



Whitfield C of E Primary School
Person Specification: KS2 Class Teacher

Whitfield C of E Primary School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment



Essential	Essential	Desirable
Qualifications	Qualified Teacher status	Evidence of continuous INSET and commitment to further professional development
Experience	The Class Teacher should have experience of teaching at Key Stage 2.	In addition, the Class Teacher might have experience of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • teaching across the whole Primary age range; • working in partnership with parents. • working in a Church School • teaching mixed classes
Knowledge and understanding	The Class Teacher should have knowledge and understanding of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • the theory and practice of providing effectively for the individual needs of all children (e.g. classroom organisation, planning for differentiation and learning strategies); • statutory National Curriculum requirements at the appropriate key stage; • the monitoring, assessment, recording and reporting of learners in their class; • an understanding of the special features of a church school 	In addition, the Class Teacher might also have knowledge and understanding of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • the preparation and administration of statutory National Curriculum tests; • the links between schools, especially partner schools.
Skills	The Class Teacher will be able to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • promote the school's aims positively, and use effective strategies to monitor motivation and morale; • develop good personal relationships within a team; • establish and develop close relationships with parents, local governing body members and the community; • communicate effectively (both orally & in writing) to a variety of audiences; • create a happy, challenging and effective learning environment. 	In addition, the Class Teacher might also be able to develop strategies for creating community links An interest in music and performing arts
Personal characteristics	Approachable, Committed, Calm under pressure, Flexible, Enthusiastic, Resilient, Well-organised, Able to motivate self and others, Work in a team, A willingness to support the Christian character and ethos of the school.	Commitment to the Christian faith