



St. Leonard's R.C. Primary School
Person Specification for Class Teacher (Main scale)

Criteria	Essential	Where evidence found	Desirable	Where evidence found
Qualifications	Qualified Teacher Status.	A/C	Evidence of a commitment to continuing professional development	A/I
Knowledge and experience	Clear knowledge and understanding of the KS1 & KS2 curriculum, assessment and tracking progress.	A/I/R	Particular area of curriculum expertise	A/I
	Knowledge of how children learn and behaviour management strategies.	A/I/R	Teaching experience across KS1 & KS2	A/I/R
	Up to date knowledge in relation to safeguarding and welfare of pupils.	A/I/R	To have a sound understanding of how the use of the outdoors as well as technology can improve the outcomes for children.	A/I
Skills and abilities	Ability to plan and teach effective lessons to meet the needs of individual pupils.	I/R	An interest in the creative aspects of the curriculum.	A/I
	Ability to develop a purposeful, stimulating learning environment	A/I	Delivery of innovation practice to ensure progress and achievement beyond own area of responsibility.	A/I/R
	Ability to work with colleagues in identifying individual pupils needs and implement effective interventions.	I/R	Ability to work in partnership beyond the school community.	I/R
	Ability to demonstrate good communication skills, written and verbal in relation to all stakeholders.	A/I/R		
	Ability to maintain pastoral and academic records and communicate effectively with parents/carers, encouraging them to be partners in their child's learning.	I/R		
Personal Characteristics	A commitment to promoting and enhancing the Catholic ethos of the school.	A/I	Ability to undertake critical decision-making.	I
	Ability to work enthusiastically as part of a team, with a flexible and adaptable approach.	A/I/R	Inspires confidence in others and exhibits leadership potential.	A/I/R
	To be self-motivated, have excellent interpersonal skills and the ability to maintain confidentiality.	A/I/R		
	A sense of humour.	I		

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