

Person Specification for the post of Spanish

The Teacher should have:

Qualifications and training

- Qualified Teacher Status
- A good quality honours degree or equivalent
- A good knowledge and understanding of current educational issues
- Evidence of recent relevant professional development

Experience

- Evidence of good/outstanding classroom practice
- Teaching experience/or ability to deliver Spanish at secondary level
- Experience of curriculum development
- Effective relationships with pupils, parents and staff, commanding their confidence

Skills

- Innovative approach to classroom practice and exceptional teaching skills
- Ability to interrogate departmental data to track pupil progress and attainment
- Ability to review and evaluate the efficacy of all activities
- Ability to challenge and inspire colleagues to achieve outstanding practice
- Ability to effectively manage change
- Outstanding communication and interpersonal skills
- Organisational skills of a high order; able to multi-task and prioritise effectively
- Ability to manage people, projects and resources effectively
- Ability to work on own initiative or as part of a team

Personal Attributes

- High levels of enthusiasm, motivation and a commitment to working with children
- Excellent attendance and punctuality
- "Professional" role model
- High expectations of others
- Innovative and able to stimulate initiative in others
- Forms and maintains appropriate relationships and personal boundaries with pupils
- Absolute commitment to pupils and their learning above all else
- Passion for learning
- Relentless determination and commitment to constant review and refinement
- Drive, high expectations and a commitment to achieving standards of excellence
- Personal integrity and honesty
- Keen eye for detail
- Diligence and ability to sustain work ethic
- Emotional resilience and ability to work under pressure
- Ability to motivate self and others to work effectively as an individual and a team member
- No adverse criminal or professional record