



PERSON SPECIFICATION

JOB TITLE	Visiting Teacher – Head of Singing (Classical)
DEPARTMENT/SECTION	Music Department

SAFEGUARDING:

Forest School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children.

The postholder will be required to;

- Complete an Enhanced Disclosure and Barring Check (DBS).
- Complete Child Protection Training.
- Promote and safeguard the welfare of all children and young persons they are responsible for, or with whom they come into contact.

CRITERIA	ESSENTIAL	DESIRABLE
QUALIFICATIONS:		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Good Degree level qualification in Music and/or Performance from a recognised university or conservatoire • Masters or higher-level qualification 	X	X
EXPERIENCE:		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Experience of teaching singing to a range of students from beginner to advanced level • Experience of teaching both boys and girls • Demonstrate a proven track record of building a good rapport with pupils • Familiarity with the most current syllabi for exams with a variety of awarding bodies (e.g. ABRSM, Trinity) • Experience of leadership in a similar role • Experience of running choral ensembles, vocal coaching in groups 	X X X X X	X
KNOWLEDGE & SKILLS:		

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Excellent musicianship • Strong organisation skills • Good communication skills, orally and written • Contacts with external choral organisations • Competent level of ICT skills with Microsoft Office and Windows 10 	<p>X</p> <p>X</p> <p>X</p>	<p>X</p> <p>X</p>
APTITUDES:		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Passion, enthusiasm, and ability to motivate and inspire students • Goodwill and a positive attitude to education • Discretion, courtesy, honesty, and integrity • Reliable, punctual, diligent, and well-organised • Committed to safeguarding and the welfare of students 	<p>X</p> <p>X</p> <p>X</p> <p>X</p> <p>X</p>	

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