

PERSON SPECIFICATION

JOB TITLE	Upper KS2 Class Teacher (Maternity Cover January 1 - end March 2023)		
DEPARTMENT/SECTION	Preparatory School		
SAFEGUARDING:			
<i>Forest School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children.</i>			
The postholder will be required to;			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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"> • Qualified Teacher Status (QTS) in the Primary Phase or EYFS • An enhanced Disclosure and Barring Services (DBS) check 		X	X
EXPERIENCE:			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prior experience as a class teacher in the maintained primary or independent preparatory sector 		X	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Appropriate co-curricular interests and experience 		X	
KNOWLEDGE & SKILLS:			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A thorough understanding of safeguarding best practice • An understanding of how to use assessment to inform planning for excellent teaching and learning • The ability to differentiate materials to meet the needs of the learners • Strong and consistent classroom management skills • The ability to work with the needs of the pupils and parents in our culturally diverse community • The ability to organise and prioritise your own workload whilst working alone, and as part of a team 		X X X X X X	
APTITUDES:			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Outstanding and innovative practitioner • The capacity to inspire and motivate pupils • High personal and professional standards • Effective time management, documentation and organizational skills • Commitment to professional development • Confident with technology • Interpersonal skills • Effective communicator • Approachable • Sensitivity and humour • A willingness to contribute to enrichment activities 		X X X X X X X X X X X	