

Person Specification

Job Title: Teacher of DT (Food)

Knowledge	Essential	Desirable
1. Ability to teach Food at KS3, KS4 and potentially KS5	✓	
2. Knowledge of developments in the food industry and new technologies		✓
3. A flexible approach to teaching in a wide range of material areas		✓
4. Knowledge of Hospitality and Catering and Child Development		✓
Qualifications		
5. An appropriate qualification in Food to degree level and completion of an appropriate teacher-training course.	✓	
6. An upper second-class degree or better in your specialism.		✓
7. Up to date health and safety training, including basic food hygiene	✓	
Experience		
8. Recent and relevant experience of teaching in Food to GCSE	✓	
9. Experience of teaching across the Design and Technology curriculum and Food to A level		✓
Skills		
10. Highly creative practitioner capable of effective teaching and learning.	✓	
11. Strong ICT skills.		✓
12. Strong interpersonal skills and the ability to play a full role in a large team, sharing the development of effective practice.	✓	
13. Experience of using CAD/CAM in the classroom		✓
14. Flexibility and desire for professional development in the classroom or towards a leadership role.	✓	
15. Ability to work independently and use initiative in a supportive environment.		✓
16. Have high expectations of students including a commitment to ensuring they can achieve their full potential.	✓	
17. Identify and use opportunities to personalise and extend learning.		✓
18. Have a range of teaching, learning and behaviour management strategies and be able to implement these with challenging groups.	✓	
19. Know how to use statistical information to evaluate the effectiveness of your teaching to monitor student progress and raise levels of attainment.		✓