

The **Ongar** Academy

PERSON SPECIFICATION

The qualities and attributes marked 'Essential' must be demonstrable at the point of interview.

Qualities and Attributes	Essential	Desirable
Qualifications		
Good quality Honours degree	✓	
PGCE, or equivalent, in Secondary Education or in the process of working for this.	~	
Qualified Teacher Status (Non- NQTs)	~	
Experience		
Experience of teaching science up to KS3	~	
Experience of teaching G.C.S.E. science.		
Experience of teaching science at A level.		
Knowledge / Skills		
Strong subject knowledge	~	
An understanding of what makes outstanding teaching and learning and the willingness to strive for this on a daily basis.	\checkmark	
Good and imaginative use of resources including new technologies		\checkmark
Good understanding of Assessment for Learning and the ability to put this into practice	~	
The ability to differentiate effectively so that the needs of all students are met.		\checkmark
The ability to develop students' literacy and numeracy skills through science.		\checkmark
Well-developed behaviour management skills	✓	
An ability to forge good working relationships with staff and students	✓	
Organisational skills		✓
Knowledge and understanding of current curriculum developments in Science		~
Ensure that whole school policies are implemented consistently	✓	
Personal		
Ability to work hard under pressure	✓	
Ability to prioritise and meet deadlines	✓	
Commitment to continued personal development	~	
Commitment to contribute to extra-curricular activities and educational visits		~
General		
Good attendance and punctuality record	✓	
Professional dress	\checkmark	