

## Person specification: Deputy Headteacher.

Criteria	Qualities
Qualifications	<ul> <li>Qualified teacher status</li> <li>Educated to degree level</li> <li>Professional Development in preparation for a leadership role.</li> </ul>
Experience	<ul> <li>Successful leadership and management experience in a school</li> <li>Teaching experience – a minimum of 4 years.</li> <li>Involvement in school self evaluation and development planning</li> <li>Experience of managing other staff</li> <li>Experience of contributing to and leading whole school development.</li> <li>Experience of line managing staff.</li> </ul>
Skills and Knowledge	<ul> <li>Data analysis skills and the ability to use national, LA and school data to set targets and identify areas for development.</li> <li>Understanding of high quality teaching and learning and the ability to model this for others and support others to improve.</li> <li>Understanding of pupil premium funding and how it can be effectively used to diminish the difference between disadvantaged pupils and their peers.</li> <li>Understanding of school financial management systems and school finances.</li> <li>Effective communication and interpersonal skills.</li> <li>Ability to communicate a vision and inspire others.</li> <li>Ability to build effective working relationships.</li> </ul>
Personal Qualities	<ul> <li>Honesty, integrity and a clear sense of moral purpose.</li> <li>A passion and drive for getting the best outcomes for all pupils.</li> <li>Ability to work under pressure and prioritise effectively.</li> <li>Understanding of the importance of relationships – ability to empower staff and pupils and show great empathy.</li> <li>Resilience, optimism with energy and a positive attitude with the ability to remain calm in a crisis.</li> <li>Humour and humility.</li> <li>Commitment to safeguarding and equality.</li> </ul>