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Person Specification – Main Scale Class teacher April 2016

	Essential	Desirable	Evidence / Source
Qualifications & Experience	 Qualified teacher status Experience of teaching children in either KS1 or KS2 	Evidence of recent CPD	 Application Reference Documentation Interview
Teaching & Learning	 Exemplary classroom practitioner Understanding of the primary curriculum and assessment procedures Understanding of how children learn Ability to inspire, engage and motivate all children Knowledge and understanding of effective teaching and learning practices Planning to meet the needs of individuals, including those with SEND, EAL and more able learners Ability to plan for a creative, skills based curriculum at all levels (long, medium and short term) Experience of working effectively with support staff Effective classroom organisation and behaviour management Understand how to raise standards through the use of assessment, tracking of pupil progress Recognise the importance of children needing to make day to day, week to week progress in their learning and to ensure good levels of achievement across the academic year. 	 Understanding of the wider perspectives of home/school liaison A willingness to develop own practice A strong commitment to CPD Experience of leading in a curriculum area 	 Application Reference Interview
Knowledge & Understanding	 A developing understanding of how children learn best with an emphasis on first-hand experience and provision for all learning styles An understanding of the importance of the emotional wellbeing of the child Works in partnership with Parents and external agencies Good ICT skills for teaching, learning and planning Sound knowledge of safeguarding and Child Protection 		 Application Reference Interview



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Interpersonal Skills	 Demonstrates a positive attitude Flexible and adaptable approach to work Calm, considerate and patient Good communication skills, both oral and written Demonstrates good relationships with all members of the school community, children, staff, parents, Governors and visitors Good organisational skills Ability to work as part of a team Willing to take a full and active part in school life, e.g. extra-curricular activities and fundraising events Confidential and professional 	•	 Application form Reference Interview
Other	 Commitment to the Christian ethos of a Church of England school Commitment to equal opportunities and diversity within our distinctive, but inclusive ethos 	•	 Application form Interview