

Person Specification TEACHER OF GEOGRAPHY

D – Desirable; E – Essential; L – Letter; A – Application Form; I - Interview

Personal attributes/skills		L	A	I	COMMENTS
Ethos					
1	Support for the aims and objectives of Birkdale High School	E	X	X	
2	A commitment to work and liaise with members of the school community	E	X	X	
Qualifications / Training					
3	Good Honours Degree or equivalent in Geography	E	X		
4	Qualified Teacher Status	E	X		
5	Evidence of recent relevant CPD	E	X		
Experience					
6	Experience of teaching in an 11-16 school	E		X	
7	Proven successful classroom practitioner	D	X	X	
Knowledge and Skills					
8	A clear and compelling commitment to Teaching and Learning as key to raising attainment	E	X		
9	An up-to-date knowledge of current education thinking	E	X	X	
10	The ability to reflect and evaluate own practice and act upon the findings	E	X	X	
11	The ability to inspire students	E		X	
12	Excellent interpersonal skills reflected in the ability to work with colleagues	E		X	
13	The ability to maintain and improve high attainment standards	E	X	X	
14	An innovative approach to delivering the curriculum	D	X	X	
15	A commitment to the principles and values of an inclusive education	E	X	X	
16	A commitment to safeguarding and the pastoral care and personal development of students	E		X	
17	A knowledge and awareness of the issues surrounding the safeguarding of pupils in schools	E		X	
18	The ability to maintain and improve, where necessary, student behaviour	E	X	X	
19	The commitment and ability to embrace and implement a shared vision	E		X	
20	A commitment to providing extra curricular activities	E	X	X	
21	The ability to use ICT to facilitate learning	E		X	