**Person Specification For Teacher of Geography**

The successful candidate will:

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| **Teaching & Learning** |
| * possess and demonstrate excellent and up to date subject knowledge underpinned by a good Honours degree in Geography or a subject closely related to Geography
* possess a postgraduate teaching qualification (including QTS)
* demonstrate outstanding teaching practice at Key Stages 3, 4 and 5, including having high aspirations for their students
* the department is keen to expand the fieldwork that it carries out in KS3 as well as developing its GIS capability, so would welcome the input of the successful candidate in these two areas in particular
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| **Pastoral** |
| * demonstrate the ability to lead, inspire, motivate and support pupils in their learning
* develop positive and professional working relationships with pupils and parents
* demonstrate the ability to create positive rapport with students
* be an energetic and supportive form tutor
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| **Extra Curricular** |
| * be willing to positively contribute to the extra-curricular life of the department and school, including running lunch time sessions and competitions

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| **Professionalism** |
| * be able to evidence relevant professional development
* be willing to assist in the development of the department and in the creation of new schemes of work
* demonstrate an ability to work as part of a team in a successful and dynamic department;
* demonstrate excellent ICT, organisational and administrative skills
* be confident and competent in relevant Health & Safety matters
* demonstrate high levels of personal and professional integrity
* present themselves to the highest standards of personal presentation
* communicate effectively both orally and in writing to a variety of audiences
* be able to work flexibly, demonstrating an ability to be proactive, and self-directive while remaining positive and energetic
* be committed to their own professional development
* have the ability to inspire and motivate students
* be committed to the values of Sir Roger Manwood’s School
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