

St Christopher Primary School

Person Specification: Class Teacher

	Essential	Desirable
Qualifications	Qualified Teacher status	Evidence of continuous INSET and commitment to further professional development
Experience	The Class Teacher should have experience of: teaching at one of the Key Stages.	In addition, the Class Teacher might have experience of: teaching across the whole Primary age range; working in partnership with parents.
Knowledge and understanding	The Class Teacher should have knowledge and understanding of: - the theory and practice of providing effectively for the individual needs of all children (e.g. classroom organisation and learning strategies); - statutory National Curriculum requirements at the appropriate key stage; - the monitoring, assessment, recording and reporting of pupils' progress; - the statutory requirements of legislation concerning Equal Opportunities, Health & Safety, SEN and Child Protection; - the positive links necessary within school and with all its stakeholders;	In addition, the Class Teacher might also have knowledge and understanding of: - the preparation and administration of statutory National Curriculum tests; - the links between schools, especially partner schools. - curriculum strengths complement those of our current team.

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	effective teaching and learning styles.	
Skills	The Class Teacher will be able to: promote the school's aims positively, and use effective strategies to monitor motivation and morale; develop good personal relationships within a team; establish and develop close relationships with parents, governors and the community; communicate effectively (both orally and in writing) to a variety of audiences; create a happy, challenging and effective learning environment. display the ability to be a reflective; self evaluative teacher. Ability to show initiative and leadership potential, self confident in own ability and able to influence others positively.	In addition, the Class Teacher might also be able to: develop strategies for creating community links.
Personal characteristics	Approachable Committed Enthusiastic Able to motivate self and others Calm under pressure Well-organised.....Have a sense of humour!	