## Sowe Valley Primary School Maths Leader Person Specification



	Essential	Desirable
Qualifications	<ul> <li>QTS</li> <li>Experience of teaching across the primary years</li> <li>Experience of teaching children with EAL, SEND</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Evidence of recent and sustained participation in CPD.</li> <li>Minimum of three years teaching experience.</li> <li>Keep up to date with educational developments</li> </ul>
Knowledge, skills and attitudes	<ul> <li>Excellent classroom practice</li> <li>To be an outstanding classroom practitioner</li> <li>The ability to plan, teach and assess effectively and to a high standard.</li> <li>Excellent communication skills</li> <li>Ability to prioritise, plan and organise self and others effectively</li> <li>Competent use of ICT and expertise in how ICT can be used in Literacy/Maths</li> <li>Understanding of diversity and preparing pupils to live a culturally diverse society</li> <li>Knowledge, understanding and commitment to the pastoral care and safeguarding of pupils</li> <li>An excellent understanding of assessment and how to use it to maximise pupil progress.</li> <li>To have detailed knowledge of the National Curriculum and emerging best practice and have proven experience of managing an area of its development, planning, delivery and assessment</li> <li>To have a range of skills for promoting good behaviour</li> <li>To have the ability to create a purposeful and engaging learning environment</li> <li>To be able to employ a range of teaching styles to promote interactive and independent learning</li> <li>To have an understanding of Health and Safety requirements and safeguarding procedures.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Experience of leading a curriculum area.</li> <li>Experience of monitoring performance and recommending interventions</li> <li>Experience of successfully introducing and maintaining whole school initiatives</li> </ul>

	<ul> <li>To have proven commitment to all aspects of Equal Opportunities</li> <li>To have a knowledge and understanding of the SEN Code of Practice and of individual children's Special Educational Needs.</li> <li>Thorough understanding and commitment to an inclusive education</li> <li>The ability to create a stimulating and attractive environment that supports learners – inside and out.</li> </ul>	
Personal qualities and attributes	<ul> <li>To be an excellent role model, set high standards and model good professional relationships.</li> <li>Commitment to further own professional development</li> <li>Good interpersonal skills and ability to work as a member of a team</li> <li>Ability to develop and maintain good working relationships</li> <li>Commitment to raising standards</li> <li>Flexibility – adaptable to change</li> <li>Excellent organisational skills.</li> <li>Ability to work to agreed targets and deadlines</li> <li>Integrity, loyalty, sensitivity and a good sense of humour</li> <li>To have high expectations of pupils and demonstrate a commitment to raising educational achievement</li> <li>To communicate effectively both orally and in writing, to conduct meetings, present reports and develop links with the whole community</li> <li>To have a commitment to equality of opportunity and managing diversity within the school</li> <li>A commitment to parent and community partnerships</li> <li>An excellent record of punctuality and attendance.</li> </ul>	Evidence of contribution to the wider life of the school
Leadership and management	<ul> <li>To give enthusiastic and clear leadership and have the ability to motivate and inspire</li> <li>To have the ability to set standards and provide a role model for all staff and children</li> <li>Knowledge and understanding of strategies to support and promote high standards of achievement</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Ambitions for further leadership experience</li> <li>To have the ability to contribute to wider curriculum development and review</li> <li>Experience of supporting the leadership team to monitor, evaluate and improve</li> </ul>

- Ability to maintain a positive approach at all times and to challenge negativity
- Ability to create opportunities, motivate and energise the school community
- Understanding of the characteristics of a good school and the ability to promote this
- To have the ability to support and empathise with parents and carers and to demonstrate a commitment to positive home/school links and partnerships with Governors.
- To show an awareness of current local and national initiatives
- Experience of improving the quality of teaching of others.
- Ability to set targets and complete tasks to deadline.
- Organise and lead staff CPD
- Managing resources and given budget effectively.

teaching and learning across the school

 Has an understanding of school data and how it can be used to benchmark a school's performance and for target setting