

### PERSON SPECIFICATION

Job Title:	<b>Teacher of Social Sciences</b>	Salary: <b>Main Professional Grade</b>
Location:	<b>Whitley Academy</b>	

	<b>Essential Criteria</b>	<b>Measurement*</b>
<b>Education and Qualifications</b>	Graduate Teacher able to offer Social Sciences (Sociology and Health & Social Care) at KS3 and KS4	A
<b>Experience</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Experience of assessment of student performance at Key Stages 3 and 4 (with potential to develop along with the curriculum at KS5).</li> <li>Experience of working as part of a team</li> </ul>	I  I, R
<b>Knowledge</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Knowledge of National Curriculum requirements and assessment in Social Sciences</li> <li>Knowledge of current trends in the teaching of Social Sciences</li> </ul>	I, R  I
<b>Skills and Abilities</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Excellent classroom teacher with a lively, interactive approach</li> <li>Effective classroom manager</li> <li>Excellent inter-personal skills</li> <li>Excellent organisational skills</li> <li>Excellent IT skills</li> <li>Ability to teach Social Sciences at KS3 and KS4</li> <li>A commitment to the place of Social Sciences in the comprehensive school curriculum</li> <li>Patience, determination and tact; with students, parents &amp; colleagues</li> <li>A commitment to equal opportunities</li> <li>A commitment to high standards</li> <li>Engaging personality to whom students respond</li> <li>Willingness to work hard for sustained periods</li> <li>Excellent communicator</li> <li>A commitment to the safeguarding of children</li> </ul>	I, R I I, R I, R A, I I, R  I  I, R I I, R I, R I, R A, I I/ R
<b>Other</b>	This post is exempt from the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974. An enhanced Disclosure and Barring Service check will be required prior to appointment	

\* A = Application form, I = Interview, R = References