

PERSON SPECIFICATION – TEACHER OF RELIGIOUS STUDIES

	ESSENTIAL	DESIRABLE
1. <i>Qualifications</i>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Degree Status. 2. NQT Status/Qualified Teacher Status. 3. Ability to teach Religious Studies to GCSE level. 	Ability to teach Religious Studies to AS/A2 Level.
2. <i>Experience</i>	Experience of teaching Religious Studies across the full age and ability range to at least GCSE level.	
3. <i>Training</i>	Recent, relevant INSET.	ICT Training.
4. <i>Knowledge, Skills and Abilities</i>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Good knowledge of requirements of National Curriculum in Religious Studies/South Gloucestershire Agreed Syllabus. 2. Ability to use ICT in the classroom. 3. Ability to relate well to staff and students. 4. Good communication, inter-personal and organisational skills. 5. Initiative, adaptability and flexibility. 6. Suitability to work with children 	
5. <i>Letter of Application</i>	<p>Able to present a clear and succinct statement of:-</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (a) approach to teaching Religious Studies. (b) approach to students and effective classroom management. (c) approach to the use of ICT within the classroom. (d) contribution to the wider life of the school. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Commitment to extra-curricular activities/ educational visits. 2. Interest in pastoral care.
7. <i>References</i>	Fully supportive professional references.	