

Cardinal Heenan Catholic High School Person Specification Teacher of Music – Maternity Leave Cover

		Attributes		Where Identified		
		Essential	Desirable	Application Form/Letter	Interview	Reference
Qualifications/Knowledge	 Well qualified Honours Graduate of Music or related area 	✓		\checkmark	✓	✓
	 Qualified Teacher Status 	\checkmark		\checkmark	\checkmark	✓
	 Ability to teach Music to GCSE 	\checkmark		\checkmark	\checkmark	
Experience	 Experience of using a variety of teaching styles 	\checkmark		\checkmark	\checkmark	
	• Experience of teaching full ability range at Key Stages 3 and 4		\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	✓
	 Awareness of ICT applications 	\checkmark		\checkmark	\checkmark	
	 Evidence of using assessment data to set challenging targets and raise standards of pupils' achievements 		~	\checkmark	√	✓
Specific Attitude	 Understanding of the way young people learn 	✓		\checkmark	\checkmark	✓
	Ability to communicate effectively with pupils, parents and staff	\checkmark		\checkmark	\checkmark	
	 Effective classroom management 	\checkmark		\checkmark		✓
	 Work effectively as an individual and as part of a team 	\checkmark		\checkmark		✓
	 Well organised with high level of commitment to teaching 	✓		\checkmark	\checkmark	
	 Good management and interpersonal skills 	\checkmark		\checkmark	\checkmark	
	Computer literate	\checkmark		\checkmark	\checkmark	
Motivation and Social Skills	Show initiative	~		\checkmark		✓
	 Ability to deal with pupils in a firm and sensitive manner 	\checkmark		\checkmark		\checkmark
	 Place importance on self and pupils achieving high standards 	\checkmark		\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark
	 Supportive of the school ethos 	\checkmark		\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark
	 Has vision, energy and enthusiasm 	\checkmark		\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark
	Practising Catholic		\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	
	 Ability to contribute to other aspects of school life 		\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	
	 Commitment to safeguarding and promoting the wellbeing of all children 	~			✓	
	 Ability to make an effective contribution to the Catholic ethos of the school 	✓		✓	✓	