

SACRED HEART SCHOOL, WADHURST PERSON SPECIFICATION – KS1 & KS2 PART TIME TEACHER

	ESSENTIAL	DESIRABLE
SKILLS AND ABILITIES	 The ability to safeguard the welfare of all children in the school. Good communication skills. Able to lead an extra-curricular club to pupils across a Key Stage. 	
QUALIFICATIONS	Have qualified teacher status.Good GCSE passes in English and Maths.	
KNOWLEDGE & UNDERSTANDING	 Have detailed knowledge of relevant aspects of the National Curriculum and other statutory requirements and initiatives, e.g. KCSIE Experience or understanding and appreciation of working in the independent sector 	
PERSONAL QUALITIES	 High standards of dress and appearance which reflect the professional status of the post. Calm under pressure with a good sense of humour. A team player who is flexible and willing to be involved in the school as a community. Loyal, tactful, discreet, diplomatic and honest. Reliable, enthusiastic and creative. An inspirational teacher and ambassador for the school. A history of good attendance and good timekeeping. Good personal organisation and the ability to meet agreed deadlines. Willing and able to develop positive relationships with all colleagues 	
PROFESSIONAL QUALITIES	 A willingness to support and promote the Catholic ethos of the school. Commitment to continuing professional development and evidence of recent relevant training. A clear philosophy of primary education which puts the child at the centre of the process. Committed to working with parents, colleagues and other agencies in a positive and constructive manner. A belief that primary education should be a lively, stimulating, enjoyable experience which enable pupils to achieve high standards. High expectations for yourself and your pupils including excellent behaviour management and strategies and the ability to manage a calm and purposeful working atmosphere. Good classroom management (including resources and displays). Ability to form and maintain appropriate relationships and personal boundaries with children and young people. 	
EXPERIENCE	 Experience of teaching primary aged pupils at KS1 and KS2. Experience of working with children with a range of abilities. 	Experience of monitoring and developing a subject area through the co- ordinator role.