

ABINGDON LEARNING TRUST

Person Specification for a Teacher of Music

	Essential	Desirable	How Identified
Qualifications	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Good honours degree in Music or related subject • Qualified Teacher Status 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MA / further qualification relating to Music • MA / further qualification relating to educational pedagogy 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Application • References
Knowledge and Skills	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Excellent classroom practitioner • Knowledge of current curriculum developments in subject and their implications • Good knowledge and understanding of current educational thinking • Proven ability to use intervention strategies to raise attainment in learners • Ability to inspire and motivate others • Ability to use data to track and monitor student learning and achievement • Interactive use of ICT systems for teaching and learning 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • High levels of literacy skills 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Application • References • Interview
Experience	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Record of contribution to extra-curricular activities • Experience of implementing and monitoring rigorous procedures around the health and safety of students in a music environment 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Experience as a performer and/or composer 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Application • References • Interview
Continuous Professional Development	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Evidence of commitment to personal CPD 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ability to lead the development of others 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Application
Personal Qualities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A passion for education and making a difference • Excellent communicator • Effective team player • Drive and determination • Ambition • Energy, enthusiasm, sense of humour 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Application • References • Interview

We are committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people. The successful candidate will be subject to an enhanced DBS check.