



**Person Specification for a  
TEACHER OF  
TEXTILE DESIGN/ART & DESIGN**

	<b>Essential</b>	<b>Desirable</b>
<b>Education and training</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Art/Design Degree</li> <li>• PGCE</li> <li>• Textiles or art specialism</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Experience in other Art &amp; Design disciplines</li> </ul>
<b>Experience</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ability to teach the full age and ability range</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Own arts practise</li> <li>• Subject leader responsibility experience</li> </ul>
<b>Knowledge</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Art/Design/crafts Contemporary and historical reference</li> <li>• National Curriculum for Visual Arts at KS3</li> <li>• Experience teaching KS4 &amp; 5 Textiles, Art &amp; design disciplines</li> <li>• Thorough understanding of assessment processes</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Experience of KS4 Textiles/Fine art under endorsed Art &amp; Design syllabus (currently Edexcel)</li> </ul>
<b>Skills</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Practical ability</li> <li>• H&amp;S awareness</li> <li>• Able to use and teach a range of processes, including CAD based design</li> <li>• ICT skilled in a range of programmes</li> <li>• Good communicator</li> <li>• Effective classroom presence</li> <li>• Effective team management strategies</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Managing technicians</li> </ul>
<b>Personal qualities</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Passion for the role Art &amp; Design has in society</li> <li>• Energy, enthusiasm and creativity</li> <li>• Hard working, adaptive and flexible</li> <li>• Team worker.</li> <li>• Punctual and trustworthy.</li> <li>• Sense of humour</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sensitive and intuitive</li> </ul>
<b>Interests</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Good knowledge of current art/design scene</li> <li>• Interest in visits to exhibitions etc</li> <li>• Interests outside education</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Executes personal art/design work</li> <li>• A practical person who makes things</li> <li>• Photography skills</li> </ul>