



# St Bernard's Catholic High School

—Part of the Mater Christi Multi Academy Trust—

## Person Specification – *Head of Chemistry*

*A = Application I = Interview R = Reference E = Essential D = Desirable*

Requirements for the advertised position	Evidence	Essential/Desirable
Ability to teach Science to Key Stage 4	A, I	E
Ability to teach Science to GCSE Higher	A, I	E
<b>Qualifications</b>		
Academic degree(s) or other professional qualification(s) relevant to the teaching of Science at the secondary phase	A	E
QTS	A	E
<b>Professional Experience</b>		
Proven track record of excellent classroom practice	A, R, I	E
Evidence of continuing professional development or relevant PGCE training	A	E
Set high expectations which inspire, motivate and challenge students	A, R, I	E
Sustained successful teaching of Science examination groups.	A, R	E
<b>Knowledge and Skills</b>		
Knowledge of the Science KS3 and GCSE curriculum	A, I	E
Knowledge of best practice in assessment	A, R, I	E
Knowledge of SEND strategies	A, I	E
Developing and embedding educational pedagogy	A, I	E
Understanding of self-evaluation processes	A, I	E
<b>Personal and Professional Qualities</b>		
Belief in sustaining the highest academic standards and excellence	A, R, I	E
Ability to prioritise, plan, organise well and work with others to achieve objectives	A, R, I	E
High professional standards in dress, attendance and punctuality	I, R	E
Knowledge of and agreement to the school Code of Conduct	R	E
Suitability to work with children and satisfactory Enhanced Disclosure with the DBS	R	E