

Person Specification School Office Manager

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	Essential	Desirable	How Identified
Qualifications and Training	NVQ 3 in Business Administration or equivalent qualification in a relevant discipline (or working towards)	 Certificate of School Business Management Further professional development 	13. Qualifications check and letter
Experience	 Working in an office environment at senior level Organising, leading and motivating other staff Developing, managing and operating clerical/ administrative/financial and organisational systems. 	 4. Proven experience of working in a school office environment 5. Managing staff 6. Experience in school finances and managing budgets	17. Application form/letter17. References17. Interview
Skills, Knowledge and Aptitudes	 Good knowledge of financial regulations Excellent literacy/numeracy skills Competent in the use of ICT packages including word-processing and computerised accountancy systems Ability to use relevant office equipment effectively. Communicates well orally and in writing at all levels Able to plan, organise and prioritise 	7. Knowledge of school information and financial systems e.g. SIMS, Tucasi, Proactis or equivalent	17. Application form/letter 17. References 17. Interview
Disposition	 Willingness to learn Ability to initiate developments Ability to work under pressure Good timekeeping and attendance record Embraces change well Deals with difficult situations effectively Able to develop effective working relationships with all external partners Empathy with the school ethos 		18. Application form/letter18. References18. Interview4. Medical clearance