

IAN RAMSEY CE ACADEMY PERSON SPECIFICATION



DIRECTOR OF SCIENCE (Leadership 7-11)

	Essential	Stage Identified
Qualifications	Good honours degree in a relevant subject (E)	Application Form
	Qualified Teacher Status. (E)	Application Form
	Further study and/or qualification demonstrating commitment to system leadership (D)	Application Form
Leadership and	Excellent understanding and application of effective school accountability and challenge.	Application Form/References
Management Qualities	Demonstrable commitment to leading the professional development of others – individual,	Application Form/References
	departmental and academy wide.	
	The ability to motivate and empower others.	References
	Presence, drive, and determination.	Application Form/References
	Moral courage and determination.	Application Form/References
	High levels of emotional intelligence	Application Form/References
	Uphold the Christian ethos of the academy.	Application Form/References/Interview
	Highest integrity in all aspects of professional practice.	Application Form/References
	Forms and maintains appropriate relationships and personal boundaries with pupils.	Application Form/References
	Relentless determination and commitment to constant review and refinement.	Application Form/References
	Drive, high expectations and a commitment to achieving standards of excellence.	Application Form/References
	Emotional resilience and ability to work under pressure.	Application Form/References
Experience	Experience of teaching science at KS3/KS4 across the ability range.	Application Form/References
	Evidence of recent, relevant CPD and a commitment to continuous learning for life.	Application Form/References/Interview
	Thorough and up to date knowledge of the way pupils learn.	Application Form/Interview
	A deep and extensive knowledge of science and how to plan to best support pupil outcomes.	Application Form/Interview
	• Acute understanding of data and assessment methodologies to inform pupil progress and effective interventions.	Application Form/References
	Understanding of strategies required to ensure all pupil groups make good progress.	Application Form/References/Interview
	 Understanding of Health and Safety relating to the leadership of science. 	Application Form/References

Skills	Have teaching skills that lead to excellent outcomes.	Application/References/Interview
	Ability to monitor performance and make decisive judgement that improve practice.	Application/References
	• Excellent interpersonal communication skills, and the ability to form strong relationships with all	Reference
	stakeholder groups.	
	 Ability to raise aspirations of pupils and inspire them to work towards shared goals. 	References/Interview
	Ability to effectively manage change.	References/Interview
	 Organisational skills of a high order; able to multi-task and prioritise effectively. 	References/Interview
	Ability to manage people, projects, and resources effectively.	References/Interview
	Ability to work on own initiative or as part of a team.	References/Interview