

ABINGDON LEARNING TRUST

**Person Specification for a  
TEACHER OF DRAMA with English**

	<b>Essential</b>	<b>Desirable</b>
<b>Education and training</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• First or second class degree or equivalent qualification.</li> <li>• PGCE or equivalent</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Good qualifications in English up to at least A-Level</li> </ul>
<b>Experience</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• QTS or above</li> <li>• Ability to teach drama to at least KS4</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Wider experience of life</li> <li>• Ability to teach drama to KS5</li> <li>• Teaching English to at least KS3</li> <li>• Delivery of extra-curricular activities.</li> </ul>
<b>Knowledge</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Current developments in education</li> </ul>	
<b>Skills</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Secure classroom management</li> <li>• Good communication skills</li> <li>• Ability to use data to help pupils make progress</li> <li>• Ability to plan and communicate schemes of learning</li> <li>• Ways to support young people to build confidence and participate actively.</li> </ul>	
<b>Personal qualities</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Suitability to work with young people</li> <li>• Energy, enthusiasm and creativity</li> <li>• Well-organised</li> <li>• Effective time management</li> <li>• Team player</li> <li>• Ability to inspire and motivate students of all abilities and backgrounds.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Commitment to providing a wide range of rich opportunities.</li> </ul>
<b>Interests</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Willingness to teach English alongside drama with support and training.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Love of language and literature and plays</li> <li>• Wide interests</li> </ul>