

## South Dartmoor Community College

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## Person Specification - Teacher of Business Studies

Experience				
Essential	Desirable	How assessed		
Either teaching practice during	Experience of teaching A Level	Application form		
qualification or previous employment	Business	References		
at 11-18 school	<ul> <li>Experience of teaching GCSE</li> </ul>			
	Business			
	<ul> <li>Experience of organising and</li> </ul>			
	running extra-curricular activities			

Qualifications and training				
Essential	Desirable	How assessed		
<ul> <li>A good honours degree in a Business related subject</li> <li>A postgraduate teaching qualification</li> </ul>		Application form		

Skills and knowledge			
Essential	Desirable	How assessed	
<ul> <li>Detailed knowledge of Business Studies</li> <li>Awareness of new GCSE 9-1 and A Level specifications</li> <li>Highly skilled classroom practitioner, able to deliver a variety of teaching strategies</li> <li>A strong enthusiasm for Business Studies</li> <li>The ability to support pupils with SEN, Pupil Premium and High Performing Students</li> <li>Excellent lesson planning</li> <li>Effective behaviour management and motivation</li> <li>Commitment to marking for progress</li> <li>The ability to work easily with colleagues and to function as part of a team</li> </ul>	ICT competent     Interest in developing new ICT based learning tools for use within the department	Application form Interview References	

Qualities				
Essential		Desirable		How assessed
•	A readiness to become fully involved in the life of the whole 11-19 school, sharing the values of the school and United Learning	•	Able to show innovation and flexibility	Interview process References

•	Well organised and willingness to organise extra-curricular activities	
	both in and outside of the	
	department	
•	Good inter-personal skills when	
	dealing with pupils, parents, staff and	
	the wider community	
•	An ability to combine rigour and high	
	expectations with personal tact and	
	discretion	
•	Understand and respect the	
	importance of equal opportunities	
•	The ability to form and maintain	
	appropriate relationships and	
	boundaries with young people	
•	Eagerness to try out new ideas and	
	initiatives, both within and beyond	
	the curriculum	
•	To be up to date with current thinking	
	in education	
•	Eagerness to participate in extra-	
	curricular activities	