

PERSON SPECIFICATION

ART & DT TECHNICIAN

	E (essential) D desirable	A (application) I (interview) T (task)
Qualifications & Training		
Good standard of education including GCSE in English & Mathematics at grade 9 - 4	E	A
Level 3 Certificate in a relevant subject discipline	D	A
Relevant safety certificate	D	A
First aid certificate	D	A
Experience		
To be able to provide technical support during practical lessons in the use of wood, metals plastics and other materials	E	A,I
Awareness of Health and Safety Guidelines and Codes, and risk control measures in accordance with agreed practice	E	A,I
Experience of working in a school, college or environment or working with young people in a different setting	D	A
Experience of stock taking and ordering from suppliers	E	A,I
Industrial experience	E	A,I
Knowledge &Skills		
Proficient in the use of laser cutting technology	E	A,I
Knowledge of graphics and electronics and other smart technology	D	A,I
IT proficient, particularly MS Office & Google Drive	E	A,I
Excellent verbal communication and interpersonal skills	E	A,I
Well-developed organisational skills	E	A,I
Knowledge and understanding of safeguarding procedures	E	A,I
The ability to converse at ease with members of the public and provide advice in accurate spoken English is required for this post*	E	A,I

Personal Qualities	E (essential) D desirable)	A (application) I (interview) T (task)
• Flexible and able to adapt to changing priorities to meet the needs of young people	E	I
• Commitment to the safeguarding and welfare of all students	E	I
• The ability to build effective working relationships with colleagues and students	E	A,I
• Sensitivity, patience and understanding	E	I
• A commitment to maintaining confidentiality at all times	E	A,I
• A willingness to work flexibly when needed to support with extra-curricular events and activities	E	A,I
• An enthusiasm for DT and knowledge of contemporary designer makers	D	A,I

Weatherhead High School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment.

If successful, you will also be required to apply for a Criminal Record Check from the Disclosure and Barring Service. The level of check required for this post is Enhanced Disclosure, with Barred List check.

**** Code of Practice on the English Language requirements for public sector workers***