

Bexley Grammar School Combined Technician in Design Technology (DT) and Science Person Specification

	ESSENTIAL	DESIRABLE	HOW ASSESSED
QUALIFICATIONS	• Good general education, with English, Maths and Science to grade C or equivalent	 Qualifications and / or training relevant to the post NVQ Laboratory and Associated Technical Activities or equivalent 	Application
EXPERIENCE	• Experience of practical work relevant to the post	 Experience of working in a school environment or similar setting Experience of working with children / young people Relevant experience in school laboratories, or experience in industrial laboratories or the National Health service, or suitable science technical experience 	Application, references and interview
TRAINING	• Basic Health & Safety Certificate or willingness to work towards within an agreed timescale	Evidence of attendance at various CLEAPPS courses or similar	Application and interview
SKILLS AND QUALITIES	 Good practical skills and technical proficiency relevant to the post Familiarity with tools, machinery, and equipment used in DT, such as the 3D printer, CNC machine, 	 Experience of working in a school science and / or DT environment Competence in using computer-aided design (CAD) 	Application and interview

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laser cutter, the metal and wood lathe, and hand	software and other relevant
tools	technology
• Ability to maintain and repair equipment, ensuring	Subject and curriculum knowledge
it is safe and in good working order	relevant to the role, and ability to
 Understanding of health and safety regulations 	apply this effectively in supporting
 Ability to conduct risk assessment and implement safety measures 	teachers and pupils
Good organisational skills; Efficient in managing	
materials and resources, keeping inventories, and	
ensuring that supplies are well-stocked	
• Ability to prioritise tasks and manage time	
effectively, particularly when preparing materials	
and equipment for lessons	
• Excellent communication skills with the ability to	
build good relationships with staff and pupils	
 Ability to work independently and as part of a busy technician team as required 	
 Ability to follow detailed instructions 	
 Flexibility; willingness to continually learn and 	
develop in the post	
 Commitment to getting the best outcomes for 	
pupils, and promoting the ethos and values of the	
school	
• Commitment to maintaining confidentiality at all	
times	
• Commitment to safeguarding pupil's wellbeing and	
equality	