

Lewknor Church of England Primary School
Selection Criteria – Maternity Cover Teacher
Infants (mixed Year 1 and 2 class)

	Essential	Desirable
Education and Professional Training	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Qualified Teaching Status (QTS), as recognised in the UK • Commitment to their own continued professional development (CPD) • Evidence of recent CPD • Safeguarding Training • A commitment to abide by and promote equal opportunities, health and safety and child protection 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SEND training in a range of interventions • Qualified First Aider
Experience	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • KS1 teaching experience • A proven track record of good or outstanding classroom practice 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Experience of preparing children for KS1 SATs and Year 1 Phonics test whilst maintaining the delivery of a broad and balanced curriculum • Experience of teaching in a C of E School • Experience of teaching mixed age cohorts • Experience of teaching a broad and balanced curriculum
Professional skills and knowledge	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • An excellent classroom practitioner (evidence of observations and feedback) • Someone who has the drive and ambition to make sure our children achieve their very best. • High expectations for children's attainment and behaviour • Up-to-date knowledge of the curriculum • Knowledge of assessment, pupil tracking and target setting • Excellent use of ICT to support learning • High level of oral and written communication skills 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • An understanding of the school's role in the wider community

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Commitment to working positively and closely with staff, parents and carers 	
Interpersonal skills	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A good sense of humour • High levels of initiative • A positive attitude with enthusiasm and drive • The ability to work well as part of a team • Effective communication skills • The ability to make warm, caring and respectful relationships with a range of stakeholders • Good time-management skills 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • An ability to think of creative solutions • Committed to positive Christian Values