## St Richard's Catholic College

## PERSON SPECIFICATION



## Attendance Officer

	Essential criteria	Desirable criteria
Qualifications	• English and mathematics GCSE (or equivalent) at Grade C(4) or above.	
Experience	<ul> <li>Experience of working with SIMS or a similar data management system.</li> <li>Experience of using word processing, spreadsheets, database and IT packages.</li> <li>Experience of working in an admin/office based role.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Experience of working in a school environment.</li> <li>Experience of working with young people and parents.</li> </ul>
Knowledge and Skills	<ul> <li>Highly competent in the use of ICT – especially Excel, Word and Publisher.</li> <li>Excellent communication skills, both written and oral</li> <li>Excellent administrative and organisational skills.</li> <li>Extremely organised and able to meet deadlines to agreed quality standards.</li> <li>Understand the importance of confidentiality and discretion.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Understand current legislation around attendance procedures for schools.</li> <li>Ability to work with different agencies to improve pupil attendance.</li> <li>Minimum 55-wpm typing speed.</li> </ul>
Personal Attributes	<ul> <li>Motivated, enthusiastic and flexible.</li> <li>Friendly, helpful, welcoming.</li> <li>Excellent interpersonal skills.</li> <li>A desire to develop yourself and those around you as individuals.</li> <li>Ability to work under pressure.</li> <li>Excellent record of attendance.</li> <li>Accurate with good attention to detail.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Capacity to take on additional hours in busy periods.</li> </ul>