

## **Person Specification**

## Post: Regional Head of HR

Attributes	Essential	Desirable	How identified
Qualifications	Associate CIPD or working towards	<ul><li>Degree or similar</li><li>Chartered CIPD Membership</li></ul>	<ul><li> Application</li><li> Certification</li></ul>
Experience	<ul> <li>History of success working in a management level HR role</li> <li>Working effectively as a HR Business Partner with senior leadership</li> <li>Driving organisational and cultural change</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Working across multiple sites in a large complex organisation</li> <li>Working in an inner-city area of high deprivation</li> <li>Working in HR in an educational setting</li> </ul>	<ul><li> Application</li><li> Interview</li><li> References</li></ul>
Knowledge and skills	<ul> <li>Excellent knowledge of employment law and grasp of the key fields within HR</li> <li>Ability to analyse and highlight trends and issues; support senior staff to solve problems</li> <li>Show sensitivity and objectivity in dealing with confidential issues</li> <li>Outstanding communicator and relationship builder</li> <li>Able to quickly build trust and credibility</li> <li>Sensitively resolve conflict</li> <li>Excellent change and project management skills</li> <li>Write fluently with a high degree of accuracy</li> <li>Microsoft Office, especially Word, Excel and Outlook</li> <li>Commitment to safeguarding</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Understanding of what makes a Dixons academy different and successful</li> <li>Understanding of national terms and conditions and legislation that impact the employment of staff in academies</li> <li>iTrent (or a similar HR management system)</li> <li>Current educational policy</li> <li>Organisational development</li> <li>Talent management and development</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Application</li> <li>Interview</li> <li>References</li> </ul>
Character	<ul> <li>Strong moral purpose and drive for improvement</li> <li>Mission-aligned</li> <li>Humble, hungry, people smart and agile</li> <li>Excellent interpersonal skills</li> <li>Good sense of humour</li> <li>Desire to develop yourself</li> <li>Ability to give, receive and act on feedback</li> <li>Strong attention to detail</li> <li>Ability to work under pressure</li> </ul>		<ul><li>Application</li><li>Interview</li><li>References</li></ul>

