

# LYONS TOWNSHIP HIGH SCHOOL

## **Desirable Teacher Attributes:**

### **Personal characteristics/philosophy**

- enthusiastic
- joy and pride in teaching
- sense of humor
- personal enjoyment/excitement/involvement
- really wants to teach
- responsible, caring
- encourages community involvement in LT
- willingness to learn from students and other teachers
- strong work ethic
- innovative, creative

### **Student-centered**

- develops student-centered classroom
- spends extra time with students
- does more than just teach
- positive relationship with students
- role model to students
- instills mutual respect between teacher and student
- sensitive to cultural differences
- partners with parents
- respects individualism of students
- can relate to all students
- gets to know students, is available to students
- shares him/her self with students
- believes in the potential of each student

### **Related experience/education/skills**

- communicates effectively
- understands constructive criticism
- has high academic qualifications
- articulate
- dedicated
- displays exceptional people skills
- has interdisciplinary and inter-departmental skills
- employs various teaching styles
- knowledge of different learning styles
- is a lifelong learner
- actively involved in profession
- broad experiences