

## STRENGTHS

- *enthusiastic and inspiring*
- *creative/innovative*
- *outgoing and competitive*
- *sees the 'big picture'*
- *good at working alone*
- *flexible*
- *excellent communication skills*
- *good people/task organisation skills (delegation)*
- *co-operative and collaborative*
- *calm in a crisis*
- *able to think on my feet*
- *thorough subject preparation/research*
- *good teaching experience and qualifications*
- *mature, experienced, but not too old*

## WEAKNESSES

- *poor paperwork/personal organisation*
- *poor detailed planning skills (ie. prefer to outline lesson plans, then wing it)*
- *poor typing/computer skills*
- *can be difficult to manage (rebellious, need autonomy)*
- *easily bored with routine work*

## OPPORTUNITIES

- *new career direction*
- *new challenges*
- *wider career prospects*
- *experience in a different environment*
- *fewer restraints*
- *no rigid career progression*
- *better earning prospects*
- *more autonomy*

## THREATS

- *no specific training qualifications*
- *little experience of training adults*
- *no commercial experience*
- *no experience of private sector*
- *no long holidays*
- *too many trainers going for the job?*
- *no management experience*
- *unused to working in a variety of environments*