Person Specification

Teaching Assistant



In your application please relate your experience and strengths to the person specification and job description		Attributes		Where Identified		
		Essential	Desirable	Application Form/Letter	Interview	Reference
Qualifications/Training	GCSE or equivalent passes A* – C in English & Maths	✓		✓	√	
	Professional / other qualifications e.g. NVQ Level 2		✓	✓	✓	
	Knowledge/Qualifications demonstrating ability in numeracy and literacy	√		✓	√	
Experience	Experience of working in a school or educational environment		✓	✓	✓	
Skills & Specific Attitude	Ability to take small groups for extra Literacy/Numeracy support		✓	✓	✓	✓
	Good timekeeper	✓				✓
	Good interpersonal skills	✓			✓	✓
	 Ability to carry out work in an accurate, calm, clear and positive fashion 	✓			√	√
	Computer literate		✓			✓
	Ability to interpret basic instructions and act on them accordingly	√		✓	✓	
	Ability to organise activities in an efficient and effective manner	√			√	
	Ability to communicate effectively in a variety of different media	✓		✓	✓	
	Ability to interact effectively at all levels within the school	✓		✓	✓	
	Ability to contribute effectively within a team	✓			✓	
	Ability to manage own workload to meet conflicting demands an tight deadlines	√			√	√
	Ability to produce information in a clear, accurate and concise format	√			√	
	Smart professional appearance	✓			✓	
	Ability to undertake duties off the school premises as directed by Line Managers	√			√	√
Knowledge & Understanding	Understanding of the need for confidentiality	√			✓	
	Understanding of children and their needs	√			√	
	Understanding of Child Protection and Safeguarding issues	✓			✓	
	 Commitment to safeguarding and promoting the wellbeing of all children 	√			✓	√