Arden Multi Academy Trust Careers Adviser Person Specification



Criteria	Essential	Desirable
Skills Required	Excellent interpersonal skills; ability to communicate effectively, to negotiate and influence others Strong negotiating and influencing skills Ability to work effectively with internal and external colleagues Ability to work independently and as part of a team Demonstrate effective communication skills with young people, parents/carers and a range of people/colleagues Excellent organisation skills and the ability to prioritise, to work under pressure and meet deadlines Ability to enthuse and motivate others Excellent written communication skills with experience of writing information and guidance resources	Project management skills Able to co-ordinate and lead in whole College 'careers' activities Ability to develop innovative ways of working with young people and relevant organisation Ability to establish effective networks and contacts
Qualifications	Degree level (or equivalent) A relevant professional qualification drawn from careers, coaching or recruitment at Level 4; Willingness to train for the Level 6 Diploma in Careers Guidance and Development	Qualifications in Careers Advice eg. Level 6 Diploma in Careers Guidance and Development; Level 3 NVQ Certificate in Advice and Guidance Member of AGCAS Evidence of Continuous Professional Development Foundation Degree in working with young people and young people's service Post Graduate qualification; QCG (Qualification in Careers Guidance) and other qualifications in social work or youth work
Knowledge	Knowledge of national labour market developments and trends	
	Knowledge of Microsoft Office	

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	Knowledge and understanding of FE and HE employability agenda	
	Awareness of Equality and Diversity issues that may affect student and graduate recruitment	
	Knowledge of Apprenticeships and other training opportunities	
	Demonstrate a commitment to equal opportunities and an understanding of its relevance to the role	
	Compliant with the Data Protection Act	
	Knowledge of and compliance with relevant school policies and procedures	
Relevant Experience	Substantial experience in careers education and guidance and/or related areas including graduate recruitment, training or	Experience of designing and delivering careers education modules
	apprenticeships Significant experience in delivering	Experience of working with young people in settings such as voluntary organisations, careers guidance, youth
	interesting and effective career learning workshops and lectures within a school context	work, housing, disabilities, health, social work or education
	Proven track record in achieving business objectives and service demands	Experience of working with young people facing multiple difficulties
	objectives and service demands	A similar position in a school or college
	Knowledge of careers and alternative education options	Creation of written policy and procedures
		Knowledge of social media
		Knowledge of international labour market developments and trends
Personal	Highly motivated	
Attributes	Approachable and adaptable	
	Flexiblity	
	Willingness to adopt new technologies as appropriate	
	Maintain high professional and personal standards	
	Ability to work with, and alongside, management at all levels	
	Initiative, common sense and patience	
	Willingness to undertake training/professional development in-house or externally	