

Person Specification – Catering Assistant

Category	Essential	Desirable	Method of Assessment
Physical	 Smart business-like appearance High standard of personal cleanliness and hygiene. Able to stand for prolonged periods. Abe to meet the physical demands of the role. 		Application Form
Qualifications	A good general education.	Basic Food Hygiene.	Application Form and Interview
Experience	 Experience of working in a food preparation environment. 	•	Application Form and Interview
Training	 Willing to participate fully in all relevant training, including training to support the postholder in their safeguarding responsibilities. 	•	Application Form and Interview.
Special Knowledge	 Understanding of safeguarding children and the boundaries between adults and children in a school setting. 	•	Application Form and Interview
Circumstances	 Able to work during some school holiday periods. Able to work some evenings. Able to work Academy open and parents' evenings. Able to be flexible to meet the development requirements of the catering operation 	•	Application Form and Interview
Disposition	Reliable, organised.Flexible and open to change.	•	Interview

	Able to remain calm under pressure.Able to work as part of a team.		
Practical and Intellectual Skills	 Commitment to safeguarding children and young people. 	•	Application Form and Interview
Legal Requirements	 Enhanced Disclosure & Barring Service Check confirming the appointee is not on the Children's Barred list. This post is covered by Part 7 of the Immigration Act (2016) and therefore the ability to speak fluent English is an essential requirement for the role. 	•	

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