



Job Description & Person Specification

Invigilator

Grade 3, SCP 6

Casual, term time only

Job Purpose

To ensure examinations are conducted correctly according to school processes and the Joint Council for Qualifications "Instructions for Conducting Examinations" and hold a key role in upholding the integrity of the external examination / assessment process.

Responsible to:

Exams Officer

Key Tasks

To work closely with the Examinations Officers and school staff to ensure all candidates have an equal opportunity to demonstrate their abilities;

- prevent possible candidate malpractice;
- prevent possible administrative failures;
- ensure compliance with all mandatory and specific instructions for each exam paper and correctly communicate these to candidates prior to commencement of exam;
- ensure examinations keep to scheduled times;
- ensure all examinations are conducted according to school procedures and National guidelines;
- ensure all candidates are observed in the exam room at all times;
- ensure correct signage is posted inside and outside the room and ensure correct layout of the examination room;
- ensure security and safety of examination papers and materials at all times – before, during and after the exam;
- maintaining integrity of examination conditions minimising, where possible, interruptions and distractions for candidates;
- reporting malpractice incidents to the Examinations Officer and assisting with writing of subsequent reports when necessary;
- collation and packaging of examination scripts and completion of postal log;
- supervision of students to allocated areas during emergency procedures;
- supervision of students with timetable clashes (sometimes over the lunch period);
- participate in appropriate training events;
- actively promote and comply with safeguarding and child protection legislation in all areas of responsibility;



- support the school's Health, Safety and Welfare policy and be aware of the responsibility for personal Health, Safety and Welfare and that of others reporting any hazards;
- undertake other duties appropriate to the role as required.

Standard Duties

- Proactively promote and comply with safeguarding / child protection in all areas of responsibility.
- Understand the importance of inclusion, equality and diversity, both when working with pupils and with colleagues, and to promote equal opportunities for all.
- To uphold and promote the values and ethos of the school.
- Implement and uphold all policies, procedures and codes of practice of the school.
- Support the school's Health, Safety and Welfare policy and be aware of the responsibility for personal Health, Safety and Welfare and that of others reporting any hazards and actively contribute to the security of the school, e.g. challenging a stranger on the premises.
- Participate fully in staff training and development opportunities including attendance at staff meetings, and work to continually improve own and team performance, sharing skills and expertise with others as required.
- Keep abreast of new technology, and make suggestions for improvement, assisting in the review and improvement of operational procedures as required.
- Undertake any other additional duties commensurate with the grade of the post

Whilst every effort has been made to set out the main duties and responsibilities of the post, each individual task undertaken may not be identified.

This job description is a guide to the duties and should be read in conjunction with the accompanying person specification.

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INVIGILATOR	Essential / Desirable	Application Interview Test
Qualifications		
Good general education	E	A
Experience		
Experience of working under pressure and responding quickly to changing demands	E	A/I
Demonstrate experience of working with confidential information where discretion is paramount	E	A/I
Ability to work individually and as a member of a team	E	A/I
Has relevant previous experience working with children and young people, ideally in a similar environment	D	A/I
Skills and Abilities		
Ability to receive and follow clear instructions both written and oral	E	A/I
Ability to convey instructions to students in a confident manner	E	A/I
Ability to produce clear and concise notes/reports/records	E	A/I
Is willing to work within organisational procedures, processes and to meet required standards for the role	E	A/I
Ability to confidently supervise students within a contained environment	E	A/I
Excellent punctuality and attendance	E	A/I
Actively promote and comply with safeguarding and child protection legislation in all areas of responsibility	E	A/I
Support the school's Health, Safety and Welfare policy and be aware of the responsibility for personal Health, Safety and Welfare and that of others reporting any hazards	E	A/I
Understanding of equal opportunities and inclusion and how it applies in a school setting	E	A/I
Must be able to work within the ethos of the school.	E	A/I
Ability to evaluate, assess and contribute to improvements in current working practices	D	A/I
Knowledge		
Knowledge of examination practices & procedures	D	A/I
Work circumstances		
Positive, open, and friendly attitude to service improvement and delivery	E	A/I
Displays commitment to the protection and safeguarding of children and young people	E	A/I

Any candidate with a disability who meets the essential criteria will be guaranteed an interview

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