## **Person Specification**

## Teaching Assistant (Level 3) Grade 6 SCP 8-11

	Essential	Desirable
Qualifications	<ul> <li>Teaching Assistant Induction Training</li> <li>Teaching Assistant NVQ Level 3 or have completed training of a similar or higher standard</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>5 GCSE's or equivalent, including Maths and English</li> <li>First Aid qualification</li> </ul>
Work or relevant experience	<ul> <li>At least 4 - 5 years relevant experience working in an educational setting</li> <li>Experience of classroom administration support</li> <li>Ability to plan and organise effectively</li> <li>Ability to work with small groups or an individual pupil</li> <li>Experience of delivering a phonics programme</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Experience within a KS1/lower KS2 classroom</li> <li>Experience supporting pupils with SEND</li> </ul>
Knowledge and understanding	<ul> <li>A comprehensive knowledge of school-based education including child development</li> <li>Knowledge of national learning strategies including literacy and numeracy</li> <li>An understanding of non-school based support agencies</li> </ul>	➤ Good understanding of the national curriculum

Skills and Abilities (relevant to post)	<ul> <li>Good communication skills and ability to relate well to children, staff and parents</li> <li>Evidence of working as part of a team</li> <li>ICT and the willingness to update skills and undertake further training</li> <li>Ability to supervise whole classes</li> <li>Specialist skills, training or experience e.g.         <ul> <li>Art, Music, ICT, display etc.</li> <li>Ability to train, supervise and develop other staff</li> </ul> </li> <li>Ability to supervise whole classes</li> <li>Sufficiently fluent in spoken English to ensure effective performance in the role</li> </ul>
Personal Qualities	<ul> <li>Ability to bring to the role, initiative, enthusiasm and commitment</li> <li>Flexibility and reliability</li> <li>Willingness to develop skills with further training</li> </ul>
Special Conditions	<ul> <li>Willingness to undertake an enhanced         Disclosure and Barring Service (DBS) check     </li> </ul>