

Truro and Penwith Academy Trust is a supportive and collaborative organisation with one primary focus: the improvement of teaching and learning within Cornwall

JOB DESCRIPTION

Role: ICT Technician (Level 2) – based at a Trust school

Job Title: Mobile ICT Technician (Level 2)

Salary: TPAT Point 8

Responsible to: Digital Transformation Lead & ICT Manager

Direct Supervisory Responsibility

for:

None

Important Functional

Relationships: Internal/External:

TPAT Central Team, Partnership Headteachers & Governors, Senior

Leadership Teams, Teachers, Support Staff, Pupils, Students,

Parents/Carers, Suppliers of Goods and Services, External Contractors,

Businesses & Agencies

Main Purpose of the Job:

To contribute to the delivery of an effective ICT support service throughout Truro and Penwith Academy Trust to respond to identified need, ensure continuity of service and achieve planned reporting objectives and deadlines.

To provide support to schools across the Trust to ensure the successful operation of the schools' ICT systems including hardware, software, servers and infrastructure.

To travel to schools on a daily basis and interact with the Headteacher and staff about ICT matters.

To support the use of ICT within Truro & Penwith Academy Trust in school environments through the maintenance of ICT and related equipment, and providing support to staff and pupils to ensure administration and learning outcomes are maximised.

This job description is not intended to be a complete list of duties and responsibilities, but indicates the major requirements of the post. It may be amended at a future time, to take account of the developing needs of the service. The post holder will undertake any other duties at the request of the ICT Manager, appropriate to the grade of this post.

Main Duties and Responsibilities:

Key Duties for the ICT Team:

- Contribute to the effective performance and service provision of ICT services to minimise disruption;
- Participate in the collection, collation, processing and storage of data and information to comply with school reporting requirements;
- Implement routine manual and computerised systems, practices and procedures to ensure that data and
 information is current, relevant, effectively and securely collected and that reporting complies with
 planned outcomes and obligations, reporting any concerns as required;
- Maintain the integrity and security of all systems by use of appropriate user protocols and undertake related monitoring and reporting;

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- Provide user support to identify and respond promptly to routine system or process issues that arise within an agreed framework of performance criteria;
- Support contingency arrangements to respond to any unforeseen or unplanned circumstances that may
 arise to maintain the safety and security of data and information, maintaining security and minimising
 disruption.

Main Duties for this role:

- Work with ICT colleagues to maintain a comprehensive database of all support requests, responding and dealing with queries and allocating jobs to appropriate staff;
- Resolve hardware / software technical issues;
- Create and maintain user accounts and ensure that users have appropriate access to systems;
- Keep an accurate record of faults, work logs and inventories;
- Be responsible for the installation and maintenance of computer hardware and software;
- Carry out regular equipment checks to ensure equipment is correctly functioning and is safe for use;
- Implement the agreed backup, antivirus and security policies and procedures;
- Repair and upgrade hardware and software systems across the Trust schools;
- Support the roll out of new hardware, systems, services and software;
- Follow up planned schedules produced by senior ICT staff;
- Check hardware regularly, repairing simple faults or reporting more complicated faults to a specialist technician / audio-visual service / contractor as appropriate;
- Support staff in the setting up and running of ICT/audio-visual equipment for assembles, presentations, meetings, and school events;
- Support teaching staff / pupils in technical aspects of ICT;
- Undertake PAT testing of ICT equipment, keeping accurate PAT testing records;
- Maintain computer files by backing up / archiving and updating / deleting information as appropriate;
- Assist in maintaining and developing the network;
- Support adherence to ICT policies, including those relating to safeguarding and internet usage and report any concerns;
- Advise the ICT Manager of health and safety concerns, breaches, accidents and near misses;
- Comply with data protection regulations and maintain confidentiality at all times;
- Provide basic ICT training;
- Maintain a safe and tidy working environment at all times;
- Replace consumables and parts as required (eg toner, maintenance kits);
- Assist in the ordering of new and replacement ICT equipment and resources;
- Check and maintain stocks of ICT equipment;
- Ensure correct disposal of unwanted ICT electronic equipment as directed by the ICT Manager;
- To attend regular ICT Team meetings;
- Provide administrative support to the wider support team as required;
- To occasionally be able to work outside the core school hours to support the schools with performances and events.

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General / Other

This job description is not exhaustive and does not form part of your contract of employment. It has been prepared only for the purpose of the Trust's organisation and may change either as your contract changes or as the organisation of the Trust is changed. Nothing will be changed without consultation. This document will be reviewed annually as part of the appraisal process or as appropriate.

The Trust is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children, and to ensuring a culture of valuing diversity and ensuring equality of opportunities.

- The above principal accountabilities are not exhaustive and may vary without changing the character of the job or level of responsibility;
- The Health and Safety at Work Act 1974 and other associated legislation places responsibilities for Health and Safety on all employees. Therefore it is the post holder's responsibility to take reasonable care for Health, Safety and Welfare of yourself and other employees in accordance with legislation;
- The above duties may involve having access to information of a confidential nature which may be covered by General Data Protection Regulations (GDPR). Confidentiality must be maintained at all times;
- To ensure that pupils needs are prioritised and to have a clear sight of how this role impacts on the School's and the Trust's pupils at all times;
- To act as a Trust team member and provide support and cover for other staff where needs arise inclusive of occasional work at other sites within a reasonable travel distance;
- To be aware of and adhere to all School and Trust policies and procedures;
- To undertake mandatory training as required by the School / Trust;
- To be responsible for your own continuing self-development and attend meetings as appropriate;
- To undertake other duties appropriate to the post as required.

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