

PERSON SPECIFICATION – Site Assistant

The successful candidate will meet the following person specification. Please note that the listed criteria will form the basis of the selection process. Applicants should address all elements of the Person Specification, indicating experience and where appropriate citing supporting examples within their application.

Qualifications & Training		Essential/Desirable	How Identified
	Willingness to develop new skills and undertake appropriate training	E	Application
			form/Interview
Knowledge & Experience		Essential/Desirable	How Identified
	Experience of working in a similar site assistant role	E	Application form/Interview
	An understanding of cleaning processes and procedures	E	
	Able to use cleaning equipment	Е	
	Able to work within and apply all relevant school policies and procedures	E	
	An understanding of health and safety	D	
Skills & Key Criteria		Essential/Desirable	How Identified
	Ability to prioritise workload effectively to meet deadlines	E	Application
	General maintenance and DIY skills	E	form/Interview
	Excellent communication and inter-personal skills, including tact and diplomacy	E	
Personal Attributes		Essential/Desirable	How Identified
	A supportive and co-operative team member	E	Application
	Excellent organisational and time management skills	E	form/Interview
	Enthusiastic and self-motivated	E	
	Standards driven	E	
	Ability to work outside normal academy hours in line with academy and community needs	E	
	GDPR compliant	E	
	Use of transport to travel between Newcastle sites	D	



Equal	Opportunities	Essential/Desirable	How Identified
	Candidates should indicate an acceptance of, and a commitment to, the principles of the Academy's Equal Rights policies and practices as they relate to employment issues and to the delivery of services to the community	E	Application form/Interview
	Commitment to equal opportunities policies relating to gender, race and disability in an educational context	E	
Safeguarding		Essential/Desirable	How Identified
	Commitment to the protection and safeguarding of children and young people	E	Application form/Interview
	Has up to date knowledge of relevant legislation and guidance in relation to working with young people	D	
	No disclosure about criminal convictions or safeguarding concern that makes applicant unsuitable for this post	E	