## **Heronsgate Primary School Person Specification**



## **Midday Meals Supervisor**

The School is looking for friendly, energetic and enthusiastic individuals to join our supervisory team. You will work from 12pm to 1pm Monday to Friday, term time only.

## Candidates should have:

- a. Proven experience of supervising children in a paid or unpaid capacity.
- b. An understanding of the importance of the school meal / packed lunch and the midday break as a social or educational occasion.
- c. An ability to receive direction and guidance from the Head of School / Senior Midday Supervisor on the supervisory and welfare needs of the pupils.
- d. An ability to manage children who display challenging or anti social behaviour and know when to refer them to the Senior Midday Supervisor.
- e. An understanding of safeguarding practices and procedures, both within Heronsgate and nationally.
- f. The ability to form and maintain appropriate relationships and personal boundaries with children and young people.
- g. An ability to work as a member of a team.
- h. The ability to relate to pupils and to deal with them patiently and firmly using positive strategies.
- i. A basic understanding of how play can contribute to child development.
- j. A commitment to deliver services within the framework of the school's equal opportunities policy.

All these points should be covered in your application.

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