Job Description



Job Title:	Teaching Assistant	
School:	Otley All Saints CE Primary School	
Pay Range:	A1-B1 1-6	
Responsible to:	Headteacher	

Role:

To work under the direct instruction of teaching/senior staff, usually in the classroom with the teacher, to support access to learning for pupils and provide general support to the teacher in the management of pupils and the classroom.

Main Duties:

- **1.** To attend to the pupils' personal needs, and implement related personal programmes, including social, health, physical, hygiene, first aid and welfare matters
- 2. To supervise and support pupils ensuring their safety and access to learning
- **3.** To establish good relationships with pupils, acting as a role model and being aware of and responding appropriately to individual needs.
- 4. To promote the inclusion and acceptance of all pupils
- **5.** To encourage pupils to interact with others and engage in activities led by the teacher
- 6. To encourage pupils to act independently as appropriate
- 7. To prepare classroom as directed for lessons and clear afterwards and assist with the display of pupil's work.
- **8.** To be aware of pupil problems/progress/achievements and report to the teacher as agreed.
- 9. To undertake pupil record keeping as requested
- **10.** To support the teacher in managing pupil behaviour, reporting difficulties as appropriate
- **11.** To gather/report information from/to parents/carers as directed
- **12.** To provide clerical/administrative support photocopying, typing, filing, collecting money etc.
- **13.** To support pupils to understand instructions

- **14.** To prepare and maintain equipment/resources as directed by the teacher and assist pupils in their use.
- **15.** To be aware of and comply with policies and procedures relating to child protection, health, safety and security, confidentiality and data protection, reporting all concerns to an appropriate person.
- **16.** To be aware of and support difference and ensure all pupils have equal access to opportunities to learn and develop.
- **17**. To contribute to the overall ethos/work/aims of the school
- **18.** To appreciate and support the role of other professionals
- **19.** To attend relevant meetings as required
- **20.** To participate in training and other learning activities and performance development as required.
- **21.** To assist with the supervision of pupils out of lesson times, including before and after school and at lunchtimes.
- **22.** To accompany teaching staff and pupils on visits, trips and out of school activities as required.

Safeguarding responsibilities:

- To comply with safeguarding policies, procedures and code of conduct.
- To demonstrate a personal commitment to safeguarding and student/colleague wellbeing.
- To ensure that any safeguarding concerns or incidents are reported appropriately in line with policy.
- To engage in safeguarding training when required.

Any Special Conditions of Service:

Our school is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. The successful candidate will be subject to an enhanced DBS check.

Term time working. There may be a need to occasionally work outside of school hours and off school premises, as required by the school. No smoking policy.

Person Specification



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Essential Criteria	How Identified	Desirable Criteria	How identified
SKILLS Good numeracy/literacy skills	Application form and selection process	GCSE Maths and English, grades A-G CSE level 2	Provide evidence by producing certificate
Use basic technology – computer, video, photocopier	Application form and selection process		
Ability to relate well to children and adults	Application form and selection process		
Ability to work constructively as part of a team	Application form and selection process		
KNOWLEDGE & UNDERSTANDING			
Working with or caring for children of relevant age	Application form and selection process	Appropriate knowledge of first aid	Application form
Understanding classroom roles and responsibilities and your own position within these.	Application form and selection process	To be aware of policies and procedures relating to child protection, health, safety and security, confidentiality and data protection.	Application form and selection process
QUALIFICATIONS/ TRAINING Participate in development and training opportunities	Application form and selection process	Completion of DfE Teacher Assistant Induction Programme	Application form and Certificate
OTHER CONDITIONS			