JOB SPECIFICATION – TEACHING ASSISTANT

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|  | **Appointment Criteria** | **Essential/**  **Desirable** |
| EXPERIENCE | * Working with or caring for children of primary age. * Experience with or caring for children within Early Years age ranges | E  D |
| KNOWLEDGE AND  SKILLS | * Effective use of ICT to support learning * Use of other equipment technology – video, photocopier. * Understanding of relevant policies/ codes of practice and awareness of relevant legislation. * General understanding of national/foundation stage curriculum and other basic learning programmes/strategies. * Basic understanding of child development and learning. * Ability to self-evaluate learning needs and actively seek learning opportunities. * Ability to relate well to children and adults. * Work constructively as part of a team, understanding classroom roles and responsibilities and your own position within these. | D  D  D  D  E  E  E  E |
| QUALIFICATIONS | * Good Maths/English skills. * Teaching/HLTA Status * NVQ2/3 for Teaching Assistants or equivalent qualification * First aid qualification * DBS check | E  D  D  D  E |