

Person Specification –Teaching Assistant

Essential Criteria	Desirable Criteria	How identified
SKILLS Strong numeracy/literacy /ICT skills, with fluent written communication. Ability to adapt resources and work with a class teacher to personalise learning for specific areas of need. Ability to work constructively as part of a team. Ability to be adaptable & flexible. Ability to engage with fellow professionals, and parents / carers.	Good understanding of Microsoft Word, Powerpoint and Excel. Good understanding of remote learning platforms.	Certificate Application form Application form Application form
KNOWLEDGE & UNDERSTANDING Understanding classroom roles and responsibilities and your own position within these.	To be aware of policies and procedures relating to child protection, health, safety and security, confidentiality and data protection.	Application form
Understanding the barriers to learning that students with identified special education needs may have and an understanding of how to support access to learning.	Experience of supporting students in a secondary school or KS2 primary.	Application form and selection process
QUALIFICATIONS/ TRAINING	School safeguarding training	Application form and Certificate
GCSE English Language and Maths Grade 5 (or equivalent). Participated in development and training opportunities.	SLCN training Dyslexia and Autism Awareness L1 or higher NCFE/CACHE training	