Archibald Primary School Person Specification: Level 2 Teaching Assistant EYFS

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|  | Essential | Desirable |
| Qualifications and experience | * Experience of working with or caring for children in EYFS
* Good literacy and numeracy skills
* NVQ2 for Teaching assistants or equivalent qualifications.
* GCSE Maths and English Grade C or above
 | * Evidence of INSET undertaken on learning and behaviour-management strategies.
* First aid training
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| Knowledge and understanding | The Level 2 TA should have knowledge and understanding of:* child development and learning including the different ways in which children learn and develop
* the EYFS Curriculum and other relevant learning programmes/strategies
* how to effectively support teachers in the classroom in their delivery of the EYFS Curriculum
 | * In addition, the Level 2 TA might also have knowledge and understanding of:
* behaviour-management strategies.
* EYFS intervention programmes
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| Skills | The Level 2 TA will be able to:* use ICT effectively to support learning
* relate well to children and adults
* work constructively as part of a team, understanding classroom roles and responsibilities
 | In addition, the Level 2 TA might also be able to: * self evaluate learning needs and actively seek learning opportunities
* assist the class teacher and room leader in assessing the children’s learning
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| Personal characteristics | * Calmness
* Confidentiality
* Empathy
* Enthusiasm
* Flexibility
* Initiative
* Tidy and organised
 | * Evidence of adaptability and ability to use own initiative
* Have a commitment to high standards of behaviour and achievement
* Be flexible and able to work across a broad curriculum
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