



St Nicholas C of E (VA) Primary School and Nursery
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PERSON SPECIFICATION

TEACHING ASSISTANT

<p>Essential</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * GCSE grade C or above (or equivalent) in English and maths * Working towards or have achieved a level 2 qualification in teaching and learning * Previous experience of working in a school. * Ability to work as a member of a team. * Prepared to follow school procedures and policies * Able to communicate well with staff and children. * Enthusiastic. * Knowledge and understanding of how to support children in the learning environment. * Flexible approach with ability to use own initiative. * Ability to work under pressure. * Reliable and punctual. * Understanding of Health and Safety and Child Protection issues * Willingness to undertake First Aid / other training * Understanding of the need to maintain confidentiality on all school matters and be able to follow the staff code of conduct * Good knowledge of basic ICT * Good numeracy and literacy skills
<p>Desirable</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Working towards or have achieved a level 3 qualification in teaching and learning * Recognised training in Child Protection * Understanding of the Prevent agenda * Current First Aid qualification. * To be proficient in maths and English * To have a knowledge of delivering phonics. * Be able to support children with additional needs/ learning difficulties.