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Description automatically generated**Eastbury Farm Primary School**

**Teaching Assistant**

**Purpose of the role:** To provide support under the direction of the class teacher

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|  | **Essential** | **Preferred** |
| **Education/Qualifications** | * Good standard of spoken English * Good standard of written English. * Numerate | * Educated to at least GCSE standard * Some knowledge of first aid * Teaching Assistant qualification |
| **Professional Experience** | * Experience of working with children * Understanding of how children learn and develop | * Experience of working in a school environment * Experience of working in a primary school * Experience of working with children * Previous experience of supporting children with barriers to learning * Evidence of additional professional development |
| **Knowledge, abilities, skills and personal requirements** | * Positive outlook * Willingness to work as part of a team * Ability to form relationships * Empathy * Nurturing personality * An energetic approach * Reliable * Caring * Enthusiastic * Committed and reliable | * Knowledge of key stage 2 * An understanding of how children learn |
| **Work related personal requirements** | * Willingness to undertake training and development * Commitment to attend statutory training for school staff (safeguarding, prevent, behaviour approach) |  |