

Person Specification

Learning Support Assistant

	Essential	Desirable
Personal Qualities	 A positive outlook Is creative Is a strong team player Confident and enthusiastic Friendly and helpful manner Excellent communication and good interpersonal skills Able to prioritise work Able to appreciate and respect the individual contributions made by all stakeholders to promote the caring ethos of the school 	Has a wide range of interests
Professional Qualifications	Level 2 (or equivalent) qualifications in maths and English	 Previous experience of working with children Safeguarding training Basic first aid training
Skills and Attributes	 Excellent class practitioner, able to adapt to the needs of the learners Commitment to equal opportunities and inclusion Is approachable and has integrity Maintains good relationships with staff, pupils and parents Is passionate about all aspects of childcare and education Has strong behaviour management skills Is well organized and reliable Able to act on own initiative A willingness to undertake training Is committed to the safeguarding of children 	Confident with all forms of ICT
School Specific Needs	 Is flexible and can work as an effective member of a team Can make a positive contribution to the life of the school 	