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Person Specification – Lunchtime Assistant

Person Specification	Essential	Desirable
Qualifications and Training		
Current First Aid certificate		Yes
Valid Food Hygiene certificate		Yes
Personal Skills and Qualities		
Demonstrate a positive and caring attitude towards young children	Yes	
Ability to work effectively within a team	Yes	
Ability to develop and maintain good relationships with staff, and children	Yes	
Patient with a sense of humour	Yes	
Ability to communicate effectively, both verbally, written and electronically	Yes	
Capable to move furniture, and move quickly around the children	Yes	
Good timekeeping and organisational skills	Yes	
Experience		
Experience of caring for young children (within an employed capacity or as a parent)	Yes	
Professional Knowledge and Skills		
A commitment to inclusion for all children	Yes	
Understanding of the need for confidentiality	Yes	
Awareness of health, safety and hygiene practices and requirements		Yes
Suitability to Work With Children		
Display commitment to the protection and safeguarding of children and young people	Yes	