**PERSON SPECIFICATION**

**SEN Teaching Assistant**

**SEPTEMBER 2021**

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| **Qualifications** | Good general education, a minimum of 5 GCSEs or equivalent preferred. GCSE or equivalent level 2 grade in English and Maths. |
| **Experience and Interests** | Experience is not required but candidates should demonstrate an interest in working with young pupils with SEN. |
| **Professional Qualities** | * Good level of written and spoken English.
* IT literate.
* Commitment to completing the course of study.
* Able to follow instructions and use initiative in order to carry our role.
* Commitment to the development and maintenance of good relationships with staff, parents, pupils, governors and the community.
* Demonstrates flexibility appropriate to circumstances.
* Communicates enthusiasm and energy.
* Commitment to the safety and wellbeing of children and young people.
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| **Skills & Aptitudes** | * Ability to work individually or as part of a team.
* Good communication skills.
* Ability to form appropriate, respectful relationships with children and young people.
* Ability to plan and prioritise regular and irregular tasks.
* Ability to clarify and explain instructions to pupils.
* Ability to maintain records and pupil files.
* Personal care support
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