



	Essential	Desirable
Skills	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Effective verbal and written communication skills• Strong organisational skills, including ability to manage sports events and clubs• Ability to motivate and engage children in physical activity• Ability to relate well to pupils of all abilities and needs• Ability to work effectively as part of a team• Ability to work independently and use initiative• Positive behaviour management skills	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Ability to lead or support extracurricular sports clubs• Ability to organise competitions, fixtures or events• Adaptability and creativity in engaging pupils
Knowledge	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Understanding of the National Curriculum (particularly PE)• Understanding of safeguarding and child protection• Awareness of inclusion and how to support pupils with differing needs• Basic knowledge of health and safety in a school setting (including PE)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Knowledge of School Games / inter-school competition structures
Experience	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Experience of supporting learning or activities with children• Experience supporting or delivering PE lessons• Experience running sports clubs or physical activities• Experience of working as part of a team• Awareness of equal opportunities in a primary setting	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Experience across EYFS / KS1 / KS2
Qualifications	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Demonstrable levels of numeracy and literacy equivalent to GCSE (A–C / 4–9)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Level 3 Teaching Assistant qualification (or equivalent)• Coaching qualification or relevant sports qualification• Paediatric First Aid qualification

