

ST MARGARET CLITHEROW ROMAN CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

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PERSON SPECIFICATION TEACHING ASSISTANT

ESSENTIAL EXPERIENCE	DESIRABLE EXPERIENCE
Relevant experience of working with children	Has experience of working with EYFS children. Understands the EYFS National Curriculum.
Understand the roles and responsibilities of those in a school environment	Experience of working under the direction of a teacher in an educational environment Experience of working in a EYFS class.
Understand the needs of children, including evidence of effective positive behaviour management	Proven experience of dealing with the individual learning and pastoral needs of children
Knowledge of what the role of Teaching Assistant will entail	Proven success as a Teaching Assistant
Ability to communicate effectively in writing	Offer a specific skill that would support current school improvement initiatives
Ability to communicate effectively orally	Has led educational intervention strategies for EYFS pupils
Appropriate qualification and Maths / English GCSE at Grade C+	Relevant qualifications including Level 3 5 GCSEs (or equivalent) at A- C A' Level qualifications Relevant higher degree
Basic ICT competency	Advanced ICT competency / a relevant ICT qualification
Able to empathise with children / adults	Experience of empathising with pupils and their individual needs leading to accelerated progress and inclusion
Effective team-work and interpersonal skills	Has worked as part of a school team
Supportive of the distinctive ethos and nature of our Catholic School	Has experience of working in a Catholic School environment
Trustworthy and discreet – maintaining a professional confidentiality	Sense of humour
Committed to undertaking relevant CPD	Proven track record of CPD in relation to the needs of the role
Able to work sensitively with colleagues, other professionals and children	Experience of liaising with other professionals