



Play Worker - Person Specification

Essential Criteria	Measured By
Experience	
Working with children of the relevant age	AF/I
Ability to take an active part within a team to plan and participate appropriate activities	
Qualifications/Training	
Completion of a recognised Level 3 childcare qualification, or	AF/I
working towards completion, or experienced in a similar role	
Good numeracy/literacy skills	
First Aid Training (can be completed with employer) Level 4 Sefection Training (can be completed with	
 Level 1 Safeguarding Training (can be completed with employer) 	
Food Hygiene Certificate (can be completed with employer)	
Knowledge/Skills	
Ability to work creatively	
Understanding of relevant policies/codes of practice	
Work constructively as part of a team	AF/I /A
Good written and verbal skills for maintaining records and	
providing feedback to parents/carers/colleagues	
Well-developed interpersonal skills to be able to relate well to a wide range of people.	
 Knowledge and understanding of safeguarding procedures in 	
schools	
Behavioural Attributes	
Ability to effectively and efficiently communicate verbally	AF/I
and in writing	
Punctual, reliable and trustworthy Figure 1 and trustworthy and the second secon	
 Excellent communication skills with children/colleagues/parents/carers 	
Enthusiasm for working with children	
AF - Application form A – Assessment	I – Interview