

Headfield C E (C) Junior School - Kirklees Council

SERVICE AREA: Children & Young People Service

SECTION: All Schools Model

JOB TITLE: Educational Teaching Assistant

GRADE: 6

	ATTRIBUTES		RELEVANT CRITERIA	HOW IDENTIFIED	RANK
1.	RELEVANT EXPERIENCE	1.1	Experience of working with children/young people in a school environment, preferably in KS2.	Application Form	A
		1.2	Experience of assisting class teacher in delivering the curriculum.	Application Form	B
		1.3	Experience of working with EAL children	Application Form	B
2.	EDUCATION AND TRAINING ATTAINMENTS	2.1	Numeracy and Literacy skills to a level to assist pupils with their work.	Application Form/interview	A
		2.2	Level 2 Adult Numeracy and Level 2 Adult Literacy.(Equivalent)	Application Form/Certificates	B
		2.3	NVQ 3 for Teaching Assistants or equivalent qualifications (eg. Level 3 Diploma in Supporting Teaching and Learning in Schools) or experience.	Application Form/ Certificates	B
		2.4	Training in relevant learning strategies	Application Form/Interview	B
3.	GENERAL AND SPECIAL KNOWLEDGE	3.1	Understanding of learning programmes and strategies to support learning.	Application Form/interview	A
			Understanding of Child Development and Learning.	Application Form	A
		3.2	Understanding and commitment to the Local Authority's Equality and Diversity Policy and how this relates to the duties of the job.	Application Form	A
		3.3	Knowledge of the national curriculum applicable to the school.	Application Form/interview	A
4.	SKILLS AND ABILITIES	4.1	Effective use of ICT to support learning.	Application Form	A
		4.2	Ability to assist the teacher in planning class activities.	Application Form/interview	A
		4.3	Ability to communicate effectively with pupils and staff members.	Application Form/interview	A
		4.4	Ability to relate to children/young people from diverse/social backgrounds.	Interview	A
		4.5	Ability to work as a team member.	Application Form/interview	A
		4.6	Ability to work with children exhibiting behavioural difficulties/special educational needs.	Application Form/interview	A
5.	ANY ADDITIONAL FACTORS	5.1	Understanding of relevant policies/codes of practice and awareness of relevant legislation.	Application Form/interview	A
		5.2	Commitment to ongoing personal training and development.	Application Form	A
		5.3	Willingness to undertake an enhanced Disclosure and Barring Service check. Please note a conviction may not exclude candidates from employment but will be considered as part of the selection process.	Application Form	B

Please make sure that you demonstrate your ability to meet the requirements of the job by giving clear, concise examples of how you meet each criteria on your application form. The letters A, B and C in the "Rank" column refer to the importance we will give your answers when we read your applications. You must have all the A's on day one to be able to do the job, you need to have all the B's to do the job, but they could be learnt during the induction, and if you have C criteria this would be an additional bonus. We recognise and welcome our responsibility to remove any barriers in our

Recruitment and Selection process for disabled people. We have tried to do this, but if you have a disability and identify any barriers in the job description or employee specification, please tell us of these in your application. We are committed to making reasonable adjustments to the job wherever possible and it would help us to know your needs in order to do this.

Where criteria are to be identified through the "Selection Process", this may involve written exercises, group discussions, presentations, interview etc.

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