## Person Specification for Level 2 Teaching Assistant at Green Gates Primary School

Attributes	Essential	Desirable	Evidence
Education, Qualifications &	Hold relevant qualifications at a level equivalent to at least NVQ Level 2.	Evidence of specialism in specific curriculum areas.	Application form Interview
Experience	Good Maths and English skills.  Willingness to participate in other development and training opportunities.  Understanding of relevant policies/codes of practice and awareness of relevant legislation.	A minimum of a year's experience of working with children, preferably in an education setting.	References
Knowledge, Skills & Understanding	To be able to maintain effective record keeping  Ability to supervise groups of students  Ability to self-evaluate learning needs and actively seek learning opportunities  Ability to effectively use ICT to support learning, or to undertake training to do so  Effective oral and written communication skills.  Excellent interpersonal skills both in working relationship with young pupils and in forming effective professional relationships with a wide range of contacts.	Ability to liaise with other agencies and parents.  Understanding of First Aid procedures.  Evidence of extra curricular activities that could be translated into school.	Application form Interview References

	Good organisational and time management skills.	
	Ability to deal with sensitive information in a confidential manner.	
	Professional appearance and manner.	Application form
Personal Attributes	Excellent interpersonal skills and organisational skills.	Interview
	Good attendance record.	References
	Self-motivated and passionate about improving the outcomes for children.	
	Adaptability.	
	Ability and willingness to work constructively as part of a team.	
	Ability to work calmly and with patience.	
	To build positive relationships with both student and parents.	
	Empathy with young people facing barriers to their learning.	
	Emotionally literate.	