



PERSON SPECIFICATION- Apprentice Administrative Assistant

The successful candidate will meet the following person specification. Please note that the listed criteria will form the basis of the selection process. Applicants should address all elements of the Person Specification, indicating experience and where appropriate citing supporting examples within their application.

| Qualifications & Training | | Essential/Desirable | How Identified |
|---------------------------|--|---------------------|-----------------|
| | Good educational background | E | Application |
| | 5 or more GCSEs (grade 4+ / C+) or equivalent including English and Maths | E | form/Interview/ |
| | Computer literate | E | Task (if |
| | Willingness to undergo further training | E | applicable) |
| Knowledge & Experience | | Essential/Desirable | How Identified |
| | Excellent administrative skills | D | Application |
| | Experience of dealing with the public through the telephone and face to face contact | E | form/Interview/ |
| | Good standard of spoken English | E | Task (if |
| | Experience of using Microsoft Office, e.g. Excel, Word or Google Suite | E | applicable) |
| | Experience producing accurate records and documents e.g. emails, letters, files, payments | D | |
| | and reports | | |
| | Experience of using a database | E | |
| | Experience of using various types of office machinery including, photocopiers, laminators and binding machines | D | |
| | Knowledge of SIMS | D | |
| | Stock control | D | |
| Personal Attributes | | Essential/Desirable | How Identified |
| | A supportive and co-operative team member | E | Application |
| | Able to relate well to children and adults | E | form/Interview/ |
| | Excellent interpersonal and communication skills | E | Task (if |
| | Ability to work hard ensuring deadlines are met, prioritising appropriately, and maintaining good honour | E | applicable) |
| | Flexible and adaptable | E | |
| | Exercises proactivity and good judgement. | E | |





| | Makes effective decisions based on sound reasoning and is able to deal with challenges in | E | |
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| | a mature way. | | |
| | Integral, reliable, self-motivated, and has a positive attitude. | E | |
| | Takes responsibility for their own work, accepts feedback in a positive way, uses initiative and shows resilience. | E | |
| | Ability to work outside normal academy hours in line with academy and community needs | E | |
| Equal | Opportunities | Essential/Desirable | How Identified |
| | Candidates should indicate an acceptance of, and a commitment to, the principles of the Academy's Equal Rights policies and practices as they relate to employment issues and to the delivery of services to the community | E | Application form/Interview/ Task (if |
| | Commitment to equal opportunities policies relating to gender, race and disability in an educational context | E | applicable) |
| Safeguarding | | Essential/Desirable | How Identified |
| | Commitment to the protection and safeguarding of children and young people | E | Application |
| | Has up to date knowledge of relevant legislation and guidance in relation to working with young people | D | form/Interview/ Task (if applicable) |