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## **Chapel Street Primary School**

### **Person Specification Teaching Assistant – Level 1**

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#### **For this job we are looking for:**

Experience of working with or caring for children of a relevant age

Numeracy/literacy skills (at a level equivalent to NQF Level 2)

Ability to relate well to children and adults

Ability to work as part of a team

An understanding of the role of the Teaching Assistant and other professionals working in the classroom

Ability to use relevant technology e.g. photocopier

Understanding of national/foundation stage curriculum and other basic learning programmes/strategies

Willingness to cover a class when needed (planning provided)

Basic understanding of child development and how this can be negatively affected by trauma/adverse childhood experiences

Willingness to undertake minor first aid training as appropriate

#### **Personal Style and Behaviour**

Tact and diplomacy in all interpersonal relationships with the public, pupils and colleagues at work.

Self motivation and personal drive to complete tasks to the required timescales and quality standards.

The flexibility to adapt to changing workload demands and new school challenges.

Personal commitment to ensure that the provision of support is equally accessible and appropriate to meet the diverse needs of the pupils.

Personal commitment to continuous self-development.

A commitment to school improvement.

Be willing to consent to and apply for an enhanced disclosure to a DBS check.