

PERSON SPECIFICATION

Learning Support Assistant (LLDD)

	ESSENTIAL	DESIRABLE
Education/ Training/Qualifications	 Minimum Level 2 – Supporting Teaching and Learning in Schools. Minimum Level 2/Grade C/Grade 4 - Maths and English. 	 Level 3 - Supporting Teaching and Learning in Schools. Food Hygiene and Safety Level 2
Experience	 Experience of working in a care or education environment. Experience of providing in class support to learners. Experience of working with vulnerable adults or young people Experience of working with learners with learning difficulties and/or disabilities. 	 Experience of sharing good practice with others. Experience of OFSTED requirements.
Competencies	 Well developed communication skills (oral and written) Basic ICT Skills. Excellent interpersonal skills. Ability to motivate others. Able to look at a problem and produce creative solutions. Ability to work effectively and sensitively with service users (families/carers, staff and professionals) 	 Basic understanding of Autism / special needs. Knowledge of relevant legislative framework, including safeguarding procedures. Report writing skills.
Values and Attitudes	 Confidence and professionalism Focused and flexible. Calm manner with an appreciation of a good sense of humour. Amicable and approachable. Team player with sound initiative. Enthusiasm. Empathy. 	
Additional Requirements	 This post is subject to a satisfactory Enhanced DBS check Committed to the ethos of Groundwork and its practices. Commitment to Health and Safety, Safeguarding and Prevent processes. 	A full driving license