

Ashurst Primary School

Clerical Assistant Person Specification

Knowledge	E = ESSENTIAL D = DESIRABLE	IDENTIFIED BY
Knowledge of Microsoft office	E	A,I
 Knowledge of the need for sensitivity and confidentiality when dealing with all members of the school community 	D	A,I
Skills and Abilities	E = ESSENTIAL	IDENTIFIED BY
	D = DESIRABLE	
 Ability to plan, prioritise and organise workload 	E	A,I,R
 An ability to keep up to date with manual and computerised records 	E	A,I,R
Good interpersonal skills and public relations	E	A,I
Dedication to hard workWillingness to learn from	E	A,I,R
others, and to share good practice	E	А
An ability to maintain confidentiality	E	A,I
 Excellent numeracy and literacy skills as required 	E	A,I
 Ability to undertake clerical/administrative duties and support as required 	E	A,R
Knowledge of SIMS.net	D	A,I
Qualifications	E = ESSENTIAL D = DESIRABLE	IDENTIFIED BY
Appropriate typing/word processing qualifications	E	А,І
 Educated to GCSE level including English and Maths 	E	A
NVQ Level II Business Admin or equivalent	E	A

• Training in the use of SIMS software	D	A,I
First Aid qualifications	D	A,I
Experience	E = ESSENTIAL D = DESIRABLE	IDENTIFIED BY
 Experience of basic clerical work as listed in the job description 	E	A,I
• Experience of operating office equipment	E	A,I
 Legislation, eg FOI, Data Protection, Health and Safety and their practical application 	E	A,I
 Experience of working in a school office environment 	D	A
• Experience of operating a	D	A,I
 busy reception area Experience of being the first point of contact for a school 	D	A,I
Special Attributes and	E = ESSENTIAL	IDENTIFIED BY
Personal Qualities	D = DESIRABLE	
 An enthusiasm for involvement with all members of the school and wider community 	E	A,I,R
 A genuine interest in student welfare, safeguarding and child 	E	A,I
protection		
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