

ST JOSEPH THE WORKER RC PRIMARY SCHOOL, KIRKBY

PERSON SPECIFICATION - TEACHING ASSISTANT

Essential

Demonstrate your ability to safeguard children and promote their welfare

Good interpersonal skills.

Willingness to undertake training / evidence of training

Supportive of Catholic ethos.

Good pastoral skills with parents and children.

Ability to relate to children and recognise individual needs.

Organisational skills including record keeping.

Some knowledge of First Aid.

Ability to use initiative.

Communication skills.

General knowledge of Health and Safety and hygiene issues.

Knowledge of strategies for managing children's behaviour.

Ability to supervise orderly movement of children around school.

Experience of working with children.

Experience of supporting other staff as a team member.

Ability to carry out activities with children as directed by class teacher.

Experience of delivery of targeted programmes of work.

Desirable

First Aid training.

Classroom support training.

SEN / Behaviour Management training / experience.

Willingness to participate in general aspects of school life.

Knowledge of Primary School curriculum