EYFS Nursery Early Years Educator - Person Specification

| KEY COMPETENCIES | | |
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| | Essential | Desirable |
| Education and Qualifications | Completion of a full and relevant TA/LSA qualification at Level 2 or above (e.g. Level 2 Diploma for the Children & Young People's Workforce, Level 2 NVQ) or equivalent Training or qualifications for working with children who have SEND | Paediatric or other First Aid certificate Completion of other relevant training/qualifications Completion of a recognised Level 3 Educational qualification, or be working towards completion Further education, e.g. ND, HND or degree |
| Experience and Knowledge | Previous experience of working with EYFS children with a broad spectrum of needs. In- Depth Knowledge of the Statutory Framework for the Early Years Foundation Stage and the National Curriculum | Experience of working with students who have an Educational Health Care Plan. Trained to successfully deliver phonics programmes, e.g., Letters and Sounds. Trained to deliver intervention programmes |
| Skills and Abilities | Ability to motivate and encourage in order to establish a supportive relationship with the child, giving praise and positive recognition to help build self-esteem Understanding of Safeguarding in Schools (training will be provided) Excellent communication skills | Competent IT skills - word processing and Google Classroom |
| Personal Competencies and Qualities | Empathy for the needs of young people. Patience, understanding caring and a sense of humour Ability to be flexible regarding timetable of work Excellent interpersonal skills, with a flexible, friendly and professional | |

| approach | |
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| Confident and able to deal with difficult situations in a calm manner | |
| Ability to work as part of a team | |