PERSON SPECIFICATION – ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT

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General heading	Detail	Examples
Qualifications &	Specific qualifications	Experience of administrative work in a busy office
Experience	& experience	environment
		Educated to NVQ Level 2 or equivalent
	Knowledge of relevant	Knowledge of general school policies and procedures
	policies and procedures	Knowledge of H&S policy and procedures
	Literacy	Good reading and writing skills
	Numeracy	Ability to count and undertake calculations
	Technology	Ability to use photocopier
		Ability to use Office 365 or equivalent
		Ability to use basic databases
Communication	Written	Ability to complete forms, write routine letters
	Verbal	Ability to exchange verbal information clearly and sensitively with children and adults
	Languages	Seek support to overcome communication barriers with children and adults
	Negotiating	Ability to consult with colleagues
Working with children	Behaviour Management	Understand and implement the school's behaviour management policy
	SEN	Understand and support the differences in children and adults and respond appropriately in relation to the role
	Curriculum	Basic understanding of the learning experience provided by the school
	Child Development	Basic understanding of the way in which children develop
	Health & Well being	Understand the importance of physical and emotional wellbeing
		Ability to support children who may be unwell
Working with others	Working with partners	Understand the role of others working in and with the school
	Relationships	Ability to establish rapport and respectful and trusting relationships with children, their families and carers and other adults
	Team work	Ability to work effectively with other adults in the school Ability to work on own
	Information	Ability to provide timely and accurate information
Responsibilities	Organisational skills	Good organisational skills

Ability to work accurately with attention to detail

Time Management Ability to manage own time effectively

Creativity Ability to follow instructions

General Equalities Demonstrate a commitment to equality

Health & Safety Working knowledge and good understanding of Health &

Safety

Child Protection Understand and implement child protection procedures

Confidentiality/Data Understand procedures and legislation relating to

Protection confidentiality

CPD Be prepared to develop and learn in the role