

## Learning Support Assistant Role Specification

Qualifications & Experience	Essential	Desirable
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>GCSE A - C (or equivalent) Maths and English</li> </ul>	✓	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Good general standard of education</li> </ul>		✓
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>NVQ level 2 in learning support or other equivalent qualification</li> </ul>		✓
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>BSL Level 2</li> </ul>		✓
Skills & Knowledge	Essential	Desirable
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Successful recent experience working with secondary age children</li> </ul>		✓
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Knowledge of child protection procedures</li> </ul>		✓
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Working knowledge of the education system</li> </ul>		✓
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Understand the importance of physical and emotional wellbeing</li> </ul>	✓	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Good understanding of Deaf Awareness and culture</li> </ul>	✓	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>ICT skills to support learning</li> </ul>		✓
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Working knowledge of Microsoft Office applications</li> </ul>		✓
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Basic understanding of Health &amp; Safety</li> </ul>		✓
Personal	Essential	Desirable
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Flexible and adaptable</li> </ul>	✓	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Good communication skills</li> </ul>	✓	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Remain calm under pressure</li> </ul>	✓	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Good organisational skills</li> </ul>	✓	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ability to use own initiative</li> </ul>	✓	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ability to work within a team</li> </ul>	✓	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Reliable and trustworthy</li> </ul>	✓	