

TRADITIONAL VALUES — LASTING SUCCESS

## **PERSON SPECIFICATION - Science Technician**

	Essential	Desirable
Qualifications & Experience	<ul> <li>GCSE English, Maths &amp; Science grade C or above (or equivalent)</li> <li>Experience of working with children/young people 11 -18yrs</li> <li>Ability to read and understand technical reports and instruction manuals</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Higher level Science qualification</li> <li>Experience of working in specialist practical learning environment</li> <li>Experience of working in a laboratory</li> <li>Experience of using a range of specialist equipment &amp; machinery</li> <li>Previous support work within a school in a Science department</li> <li>First Aid Certificate</li> <li>Previous administrative experience</li> </ul>
Knowledge	Working knowledge of ICT packages – Microsoft Word, Excel, Outlook     Knowledge of technical/scientific terminology	<ul> <li>Knowledge of school procedures and policies</li> <li>Understanding of Safeguarding and child protection procedures</li> <li>Basic First Aid</li> <li>Good understanding of Health &amp; Safety risks in a science laboratory in particular chemical hazards</li> <li>Knowledge of and ability to maintain and repair Science equipment and tools</li> </ul>
Skills	<ul> <li>Good organisational skills to manage own workload and meet deadlines</li> <li>Ability to use clear language to communicate complex information unambiguously</li> <li>Good interpersonal skills to build effective relationships with students, colleagues and external links</li> <li>Ability to work on own initiative</li> <li>Ability to work methodically and good attention to detail.</li> </ul>	
Personal Qualities	<ul> <li>Flexible /adaptable</li> <li>Self-motivated</li> <li>Ability to remain calm under pressure</li> </ul>	

	Physically fit- able to stand for periods of time , to lift and move equipment when needed
Statutory/Legal	Legal, statutory and regulatory
	requirements including an
	enhanced DBS