JOB DESCRIPTION

Job Title	Science Technician
Grade	Point 6, within the range 6-7. Actual pro-rata salary £17,650 to £17,992 pa.
Reports to	Senior Science Technician/Head of Science.
Responsible for	N/A
Liaison with	Senior Science Technician, teaching staff, technical team, students.
Job Purpose	To provide full technician support to teaching staff, particularly in the preparation of, cleaning and clearing of lesson materials.
Principal Accountabilities	 To ensure the efficient preparation and organisation of equipment for lessons as required. To clean equipment and laboratories after each lesson and any chemical spillages when they occur.
Duties	 To ensure safe storage and use of laboratory equipment. To support teaching staff and students during lessons and also to assist supply teachers in the setting up of equipment. To refer stock requirements to the Senior Science Technician. To undertake routine photocopying as required. To liaise with caretaking staff regarding any gas or fume problems that may occur. To ensure the application of health and safety procedures and to raise awareness of H&S issues specifically in relation to laboratories. To assist in ensuring the safe conduct of students in the faculty.
General	 To undertake any training commensurate with the post. To participate in the performance and development review process, taking personal responsibility for identification of learning, development and training opportunities in discussion with line manager. To comply with individual responsibilities, in accordance with the role, for health & safety in the workplace. Ensure that all duties and services provided are in accordance with the school's quality policy. The Governing Body is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share in this commitment. The duties above are neither exclusive nor exhaustive and the postholder may be required by the Headteacher to carry out appropriate duties within the context of the job, skills and grade.