Person Specification

Job Title: Administrative Assistant

Information for Applicants: The Person Specification provides an outline of the experience, skills and abilities we expect the successful candidate to possess. You match your own skills, experience, and abilities to those listed below. Tell us in what way you have carried out the criteria asked for. Disabled people will be offered an interview where they meet the Essential Criteria alone.

Method of Testing

1 = Application Form 2 = Interview 3 = Assessment Tests

Weighting of Criterion

1 = Low Importance 2 = Medium Importance 3 = High Importance

Key Competencies and Behaviours	How Measured 1 - 3	Weighting of Criterion 1 - 3
1. Skills and Abilities – Essential		
Ability to work flexibly and meet the demands of the service	1,2	3
Ability to communicate clearly at all levels	1,2,3	3
Good ICT skills	1,2,3	2
Ability to manage time and workload efficiently and to work within deadlines set	1,2	3
Ability to work as part of a team	1,2	3
Ability to liaise with all levels of personnel	1,2	3
Ability to keep all student and staff matters confidential	1,2	3
2. Special Knowledge – Essential		
Knowledge of using Word, Excel and other relevant computer programmes	1,2,3	2,3
Knowledge of using SIMS and Parentmail +Pay	1,2,3	2,3
3. Experience – Essential		
Experience of working under pressure and meeting deadlines	2	2
3. Experience - Desirable		
Experience of working with children	1,2	2
Previous experience in an administrative / financial role	1,2	2
4. Other Requirements – Essential		
High level of energy and enthusiasm	2	2