

PERSON SPECIFICATION - COVER SUPERVISOR

The successful candidate will meet the following person specification. Please note that the listed criteria will form the basis of the selection process. Applicants should address all elements of the Person Specification, indicating experience and where appropriate citing supporting examples within their application.

Qualifications & Training		Essential/Desirable	How Identified
	Relevant level 2/3 qualification e.g.,	D	Application
	 Level 2 Support Work in Schools 		form/Interview/
	 Level 2 Supporting Teaching and Learning in Schools 		Task (if
	 Level 3 Cover supervision of Pupils in Schools 		applicable)
	First Aid Qualified (or willing to qualify)	D	
	Willingness to develop new skills by participating in continual professional	E	
	development (CPD)		
	Evidence of relevant CPD	E	
Knowledge & Experience		Essential/Desirable	How Identified
	Knowledge and experience in Key Stage 3/Key Stage 4	D	Application
	Experience of working successfully as a team member	E	form/Interview/
	Experience of a team approach to problem-solving	D	Task (if
	Experience of working with young people in schools or similar settings	D	applicable)
	Experience of working with parents/carers to support the needs of young people	D	
Skills & Key Criteria		Essential/Desirable	How Identified
	A commitment to raising standards for all young people	E	Application
	Ability to prioritise workload effectively to meet deadlines	E	form/Interview/
	Excellent communication and inter-personal skills, including tact and diplomacy	E	Task (if
	Ability to motivate and manage young people of all abilities	E	applicable)
	Ability to communicate effectively with adults and young people including through written and verbal communication	E	
	Ability to work sympathetically yet purposefully with challenging young people	E	
	Ability to take initiative	E	



Personal Attributes		Essential/Desirable	How Identified
	A supportive and co-operative team member	E	Application
	Standards driven	E	form/Interview/
	Willingness to work outside normal academy hours in line with academy and	E	Task (if
	community needs		applicable)
	Willingness to travel to multi-site locations across the Trust	E	
Equal Opportunities		Essential/Desirable	How Identified
	Candidates should indicate an acceptance of, and a commitment to, the principles of	E	Application
	the Academy's Equal Rights policies and practices as they relate to employment		form/Interview/
	issues and to the delivery of services to the community		Task (if
	Commitment to equal opportunities policies relating to gender, race and disability in	E	applicable)
	an educational context		
Safeguarding		Essential/Desirable	How Identified
	Commitment to the protection and safeguarding of children and young people	E	Application
	Has up-to-date knowledge of relevant legislation and guidance in relation to	E	form/Interview/
	working with young people		Task (if
			applicable)