

PERSON SPECIFICATION- Science Technician

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 NVQ level 3 qualification, GCSE/A 'level or Degree in Science or equivalent experience	E	Application form/Interview/ Task (if applicable)
	First Aid Qualified or willing to train	E	
Knowledge & Experience		Essential/Desirable	How Identified
	Subject knowledge and knowledge of relevant polices, codes of practice and legislation	E	Application form/Interview/ Task (if applicable)
	Experience of a team approach to problem solving	E	
	Experience of working with young people in schools or similar setting	D	
	Experience /use and maintenance of relevant equipment, laboratory safety protocols and regulations.	E	
	General technical /resource support experience	E	
Skills	& Key Criteria	Essential/Desirable	How Identified
	A commitment to raising standards for all young people at Excelsior Academy	E	Application
	Ability to motivate and manage young people of all abilities	E	form/Interview/
	Ability to communicate effectively with adults and young people through written and verbal communication	E	Task (if applicable)
	Ability to work sympathetically yet purposefully with challenging young people	E	
	Ability to take the initiative	E	



	Ability to identify own training and development needs and the desire to cooperate with measures to address these	E	
Equal	Opportunities	Essential/Desirable	How Identified
	Candidates should indicate an acceptance of, and a commitment to, the principles of the Academy's Equal Rights policies and practices as they relate to employment issues and to the delivery of services to the community	E	Application form/Interview/ Task (if applicable)
	Commitment to equal opportunities policies relating to gender, race and disability in an educational context	E	, , ,
Safeguarding		Essential/Desirable	How Identified
	Commitment to the protection and safeguarding of children and young people	E	Application form/Interview/
	Has up to date knowledge of relevant legislation and guidance in relation to working with young people	D	Task (if applicable)