



# **Brook Learning Trust**

## THE HAYESBROOK SCHOOL

JOB TITLE: Receptionist - Administrator

**RESPONSIBLE TO:** Head of Academy Administration

**GRADE:** Kent Scheme 3, points 7 – 11, TTO, Inset + 2 weeks

JOB PURPOSE:

To provide a welcoming, professional and courteous reception service to staff, students, parents and visitors to the Academy.

#### PRINCIPAL ACCOUNTABILITIES

- To be responsible for the tidy appearance and calm running of the Academy's reception area and ensure cover is always available.
- Operate the Academy's telephone system, including: responding to enquiries, taking and delivering messages, transferring calls (as appropriate) and contacting parents and other external agencies as directed.
- Download the voice mail from the Academy mailbox, on a regular basis.
- Using electronic entry system for Academy gates enabling access for parents, students and visitors to the Academy premises.
- Keep an up to date log of visitors ensuring all visitors have ID badges.
- Deal with emergencies as appropriate, deciding on the best course of action and/or referring to the appropriate members of staff as directed.
- Administer first aid.
- Issue both electronic and hard copy communications to parents, staff and outside agencies.
- Organise communication trays.
- Deal with incoming and outgoing mail.
- Receive goods into the Academy, checking delivery notes and notifying staff accordingly.
- Undertake editing, data input and retrieval duties in association with maintenance of pupil data on the school SIMS system to ensure data is accurate and up to date at all times.
- Carry out other general administrative duties.

#### **General Administrative Duties**

- Provide administrative support to the Principal, Leadership Team and other academy staff including: drafting and issuing letters, liaising with parents and external agencies, taking minutes at meetings.
- Photocopying.
- Filing.
- Displays.
- Hospitality and refreshments for meetings and events.
- Supporting other members of the admin team.
- Any other reasonable request from the Head of Academy Administration.

### **Expectations and Obligations**

Follow Health and Safety requirements and initiatives as directed.

Ensure compliance with Data Protection legislation.

The Trust is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and we expect all staff to share this commitment.

At all times operate within the Trust's Equality policies.

Commitment and contribution to improving standards for pupils as appropriate.

Contribute to the maintenance of a caring and stimulating environment for young people.

#### **Personal Attributes**

- Flexible, adaptable with a 'can do' approach
- Able to work in a highly reactive environment
- Ability to communicate clearly and assertively
- Strong attention to detail
- Be a confident user of IT systems, including Word and Excel
- Calm, patient and unflappable under pressure
- A considerate and supportive team player
- Resilient
- Friendly and approachable
- A sense of fun

Agreed By		Date	Date	
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