

Job Title	SEND Learning Support Assistant	
Salary Range	CPS Salary Scale 13 - 17	
Responsible to	Head Teacher	

Key Criteria	Essential	Desirable	Assessed By
Qualifications and Experience	Evidence of relevant Professional Development	Level 3 or equivalent childcare	А
	Experience with primary age children	Other relevant qualifications (e.g. Foundation Degree in Education)	А
	Experience of working with children who have additional needs	National Vocational Qualifications in Supporting Teaching and Learning	А
	Team Teach/Positive Handling trained or willing to undergo training	Experience of writing, monitoring and supporting IEPs for pupils, staff and parents	А
		Experience of supervising others	А
		First Aid qualifications	А
		Minimum of 3 year experience in a childcare setting, within the last 5 years	А

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	Knowledge and understanding of the requirements of the National Curriculum	Knowledge and understanding of Key Stage 1 and 2 curriculum	A, I, O
Knowledge	Knowledge of how ICT is used to support pupils' learning and ability to use ICT effectively in a classroom setting	Knowledge and understanding of current research into effective learning strategies, educational trends and issues	I, O

Knowledge and understanding of the implications of equal opportunities, multicultural education and inclusion	I
Knowledge and understanding of safeguarding and child protection legislation and guidance	A, I

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Skill and Abilities	Ability to contribute to planning and preparation of lessons and teaching materials	Understanding of assessment tracking systems	I, R
	Ability to contribute to assessment and monitoring of pupil progress	High level ICT skills	I, O
	Ability to form positive, warm relationships with pupils		I, R
	Ability to prioritise and manage time and workload		A, I, R
	Ability to work as part of a team		A, I
	Ability to communicate with a wide range of audiences, including parents, colleagues and others		A, I
	Ability to be creative, innovative and tenacious		A, I, O
	Clear and courteous communication skills		А

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Personal Attributes	Passionate approach to teaching and learning		A, I
	Commitment to the ethos and values of Cathedral Primary School		А
	Caring nature		O, R
	Ability to inspire learners. Desire to provide the best possible education to all learners		A, O

Ability to enthuse and motivate others	A, R
Positive approach to change and development	А
Flexibility and adaptability	A, R
Strong commitment to personal CPD	A, R
Professional approach	A, I, O
Innovative, creative and willing to take appropriate risks	A, I
Able to inspire confidence in pupils, parents, carers and colleagues	A, I, R

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Safeguarding	Evidence of suitability to work with children (enhanced DBS check)		R
	Evidence of commitment to the safeguarding, health and welfare of children		А

- A Application Form
- I Interview
- O Observation
- R References