

The Coleshill School: an 11-19 Business and Enterprise Academy Person Specification – Teaching Assistant Level 2



	Criteria	Method of Assessment	
Qualifications / Vocational Training / Competences	 Educated to Level 2 (or equivalent) including:- Maths GCSE – grade C or above English GCSE – grade C or above SEND accreditation in learning difficulties e.g Autistic Spectrum Other qualifications e.g Counselling/ Social Skills/ Solution Circles/ Person Centred Planning/ Circle of Friends 	Application Form	
Experience	 Worked as a Teaching Assistant/Learning Support Assistant Worked with students with SEND including SEMH Confident in managing small groups of young people Worked in 11 – 16 school setting Worked with students with complex learning needs and/ or behaviour e.g Autistic Spectrum/ ADHD Experience of working with multi- disciplinary agencies 	Application Form and Interview	
Knowledge and Understanding	Worked within KS2 and/ or KS5 Knowledge of alternative provision, including independent providers and college courses	Interview	
Job Related Skills	Ability to: Communicate effectively both orally and in written format Plan and prepare resources and short term activities Act upon own initiative Confident user of ICT Able to organise and lead activities for parents and students to support the wider school Willing to undertake further training, commensurate with the post	Interview and References	
Personal Skills and Qualities	 Patience and tenacity Ability to be empathetic Effective Team Player Good personal time management Resilience Flexible Solution focused Positively influences others Is passionate about children and developing their self-esteem and emotional resilience 	Interview and References	