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JOB DESCRIPTION - LABORATORY APPRENTICE

Core Purpose

To support the work of the science team, gain skills, knowledge and experience.
To complete the Laboratory Apprenticeship Level 3 qualification.

The successful candidate will learn a multitude of skills in a challenging and energetic working environment and have the opportunity to make a significant contribution to the school.

Core responsibilities

To be flexible in order to meet the needs of the school.

Report to the Senior Science Technician and liaise with the science team, and other staff at all levels.

Provide support in pre-testing and setting up for practical experiments in the classroom. Preparing and disposing of special compounds, specimens, electronic circuits, reagents, microbiological materials.

Be aware of and abide by the schools' health and safety procedures and policies. To undertake any other relevant duties as may reasonably be requested by the Senior Science Technician or Senior Leadership Team.

Although the core duties are listed above, a flexible approach to working is essential. The post holder may be required to adapt the above duties to take account changes to working practices.

Person specification

We are looking for a team player with a positive, enthusiastic outlook with the energy, drive, enthusiasm and determination to succeed; excellent interpersonal skills; able to work flexibly, adopt a 'hands on' approach, and respond to unplanned situations

Responsible to: Senior Science Technician

Salary Range: £13,000 per annum

Start Date: ASAP

Skills and qualifications: Educated to at least Level 2 including English and Maths; flexible in order to meet the needs of the school; willingness to learn and develop within the role of a science technician