St Ralph Sherwin Catholic Multi-Academy Trust Person Specification Office Manager

A Training and Qualifications	Essential	Desirable
Five GCSEs including a minimum of GCSE (or equivalent) grade C in maths and English	Y	
Level 3 qualification in business administration or equivalent experience	Y	
Evidence of commitment to continuing professional and personal development	Y	

B Experience	Essential	Desirable
Experience of working in a busy admin/secretarial position	Υ	
Experience of working in a school office	Υ	

C Professional Knowledge and Skills	Essential	Desirable
A commitment to continual professional development	Υ	
Excellent ICT skills	Y	
Excellent verbal and written communication skills	Y	
Excellent planning, organisation and negotiation skills	Υ	
Knowledge of school administrative systems	Υ	

D Personal Attributes	Essential	Desirable
Willingness to support Catholic life in schools	Υ	
Professional, friendly and approachable and able to relate well to staff, students and visitors	Υ	
Excellent telephone manner	Y	
Able to adapt to changing circumstances and new ideas	Υ	
Attention to detail	Υ	
Can-do attitude and solution focused approach	Υ	
Ability to be respectful and promote equality of opportunity and diversity	Υ	

E Safeguarding	Essential	Desirable
Understanding of responsibilities of the Trust and schools in ensuring compliance with all relevant legislation	Υ	