## Science Technician Whitefriars School



### **Role Profile**

This postholder is responsible for delivering first class technical support to the Science department.

#### Key responsibilities

- Respond to teachers requisition of their required practicals and demonstrations by preparing in advance of lessons all necessary equipment, resources and documents; delivering them to the relevant classroom and laying out as requested.
- Prepare and clear up materials and equipment for lessons, project and examinations.
- Control of materials and equipment in and out of stores e.g. ensure adequate supplies of stationary, ingredients and scientific equipment.
- Allocation of materials to students.
- Recording of items to be ordered.
- Assisting during lessons.
- Assist teachers in carrying out risk assessments for demos and practicals.
- Assist teachers with demonstrations and practicals in the classroom.
- Assisting in providing an environment conducive to designing and making.
- Ensure that statutory health and safety regulations and safe practice are complied with.
- Undertake appropriate training in the application of health and safety law.
- Remove from use any equipment that is deemed unsafe and report it to your line manager.
- Laundering of linen used within lessons.
- Maintaining equipment
- Routine checking of equipment.
- Arranging for repair of equipment.
- Cleaning of storerooms.
- Arrange for photocopying, collation and stapling of written teaching materials and internal examination papers.
- Willing to undertake and make future use of any training which the school deems necessary or desirable, such as first aid training and driving the minibus (subject to licence requirements)
- Work with the school's appraisal process to evaluate and improve performance and take full advantage of the training and development available
- To invigilate examinations as required
- To supervise our students at break and lunchtimes
- Arranging displays around the school
- Help to supervise school trips
- To carry out duties and responsibilities commensurate with the post necessary for the smooth running of the school, as required by the Headteacher and Head of Science.

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### **Key Accountabilities**

The postholder is line managed by the Head of Science and General Technician

### **Person Specification**

Essential	Desirable
To have experience working as a Science technician	To have experience working as a Science technician with KS5 pupils.
To relate positively to students and staff and be helpful and patient	
To possess a pleasant personality and a good sense of humour	
To be smart and presentable	
To have good IT skills	
To pay attention to detail	
To be very well organised, methodical and accurate	
To view constructive criticism as positive input	
Strong desire to develop own skills and support others in developing their skills	
To be flexible in approach and happy to do whatever is required	
To have excellent attendance and punctuality	
To have a positive outlook and a 'can-do' approach; show initiative and willingness to be part of a team	
To be committed to the principles and practice of equal opportunities	
To be committed to student welfare and safeguarding principles of the school	

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