Role Description

Cover Supervisor



Pay Range	Band E
Responsible for:	
Responsible to:	HR/Cover Manager

Main Purpose of Post

- To provide short term cover for classes when teaching staff are absent and facilitate a
 positive learning experience
- To deliver programmes of study provided by the Team/Subject Leader
- To provide specfic support for students which will contribut to raising standards of student attainment and progress
- To invigilate exams when necessary under the supervision of the Examinations Officer.
- To contribute to work related learning programmes.

Standards and Expectations

- Be an excellent role model, exemplifying high personal and professional standards and promoting high expectations for all members of the Trust.
- Take responsibility for promoting and safeguarding the welfare of children, young people and adults within the organisation.
- Demonstrate optimistic personal behaviour, positive relationships and attitudes towards young people, professionals, parents, governors and members of the local community.
- Regularly review own practice, set personal targets and take responsibility for own personal development.

Key Areas of Responsibility:

A: Securing Policies and Compliance

- To apply academy and Trust wide policy and procedures.
- To promote and safeguard the welfare of students and other adults within the Learning Trust by adhering to all statutory and associated work place policies.
- To ensure compliance through quality assurance and evaluation.
- To report and advise on any matter that may place the brand and reputation at risk.

B: Leading People and Managing Performance

- To lead and develop staff within the team to deliver high quality performance.
- To actively manage own performance and that of others, participating in the Trust's appraisal process as Appraiser and Appraisee.
- To take responsibility for line managing specific individuals and teams, being
 accountable for their performance and ensuring that they meet the overall standards
 expected by the Trust.
- To lead, plan, co-ordinate and manage the work of the team.

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To ensure that Leaders receive high quality advice and guidance emanating from area
of work/responsibility.

C: Engagement with Stakeholders

- To build and maintain effective professional relationships with relevant external stakeholders and service user groups.
- To lead and contribute to the development and delivery of staff and leader training and support across the Academy/Trust.
- To secure and actively engage with professional networks and collaborative arrangements with outside agencies and professional bodies associated with area of responsibility.
- To provide reports and updates to Leaders and Governors in relation to area of responsibility.
- To set clear standards for and expectations of communication with parents and other key stakeholders ensuring follow up is timely, effective and appropriate.
- To work collaboratively with others to deliver added value to the Academy and Trust.
- To understand the changing community and ensure stakeholder satisfaction.

D: Leading Trust/Academy Business Functions

- To establish constructive and purposeful relationships with students, acting as a role model and interacting with them accordingly to meet individual needs.
- To contribute to work related learning and SEAL programmes to ensure students are purposefully engaged, develop employability skills and secure positive progression routes.
- To deliver programmes of study provided by the Team/Subject Leader, liaising with Academy departments to understand the aims, content, teaching strategies and intended outcomes for lessons and the place of these in the relevant curriculum.
- To communicate effectively with parents/carers to gather/report information and secure a team approach to developing young people.
- To provide cover for absent colleagues as and when necessary.
- To prepare appropriate learning activities to support curriculum areas including work experience and enrichment.
- To use the Academy's administrative systems to register and report progress with learning back to curriculum areas and families.
- To guide the work of the other adults in the classroom.
- To use existing knowledge and skills to plan and deliver a range of teaching activities that engages and supports learning in the classroom.
- To attend to students personal needs and implement related personal programmes including social, health, physical, hygiene, first aid and welfare matters.

Other considerations

 To undertake any other duties and reasonable requests that are in keeping within the requirements of this post.