Person specification: Catering Assistant

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| **Qualifications and training** (Application) | **Essential** | **Desirable** |
| * Basic Food Hygiene certificate
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| **Experience/employment record** (Application/ Interview/ References) | **Essential** | **Desirable** |
| * Experience in a catering role
* Food preparation
* Cooking
* Baking
* Washing up
* Setting up food servery area
* Setting up dining area
* Handling kitchen equipment
* Serving meals
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| * Experience working in a school kitchen
* Till operation
* Supervising others
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| **Personal qualities** (Application/ Interview/ References) | **Essential** | **Desirable** |
| * Committed to promoting and safeguarding the welfare of young people
* Excellent time management skills
* Attention to detail
* Able to communicate with adults and children
* Calm under pressure
* Co-operative and tactful
* Team worker
* Proactive
* Problem solving skills
* Reliable
* Enthusiastic
* High standard of personal hygiene
* Good mobility – able to lift and handle heavy kitchen equipment
* The ability to converse at ease with members of the public and provide advice and information in accurate spoken English is essential for the post
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