

POST TITLE: Teaching Assistant, ALF

## **PERSON SPECIFICATION**

	Essential	Desirable
Qualifications	<ul> <li>Good general education</li> <li>GCSE Maths and English Grade A-C/9-4 or NVQ Level 2 in Literacy and Numeracy or able to demonstrate ability at an equivalent level.</li> </ul>	
Competencies/ Experience	Post holders should demonstrate the competencies identified for the Level 1 posts with additional competencies from the list below:	
	<ul> <li>Good level of written and spoken English</li> <li>Numerate and Basic IT Skills</li> <li>Good listening skills</li> <li>Ability to plan and prioritise regular and irregular tasks</li> <li>Ability to clarify and explain instructions to student(s)</li> <li>Ability to communicate effectively with students and motivate them to learn</li> <li>Ability to assist with the organisation of the learning environment</li> <li>Ability to undertake routine tasks under the direction of the teacher or supervisor</li> <li>Ability to work effectively with adult team members and follow instruction</li> <li>Ability to maintain confidentiality.</li> <li>Ability to prepare resources for teaching and learning activities</li> <li>Ability to contribute to discussion on programme delivery and planning</li> <li>Ability to think through and implement strategies to enhance student learning, under the direction of the ALF leaders or class teacher.</li> <li>Ability to undertake basic administrative procedures with knowledge of ICT applications.</li> </ul>	Experience of working with young people  Creative skills - able to create differentiated learning resources
Personal	<ul> <li>Enjoys working with students whilst being sensitive to their diverse needs.</li> <li>Have the ability to work independently as well as part of a team.</li> <li>Have a good sense of humour and engaging personality.</li> </ul>	Keen interest in all aspects of school life.