



PERSON SPECIFICATION

Reception/Administrative Assistant



Grade	Kent Range 3
Responsible to	Headteacher

Essential Skills and Knowledge

- Qualifications in Maths and English GCSE Grade C Minimum
- Excellent communication skills, verbal and written
- Knowledge of a range of administrative procedures
- Experience of working in an administrative role
- Patience and ability to remain calm in a stressful situation
- High level of confidentiality
- Demonstrate a basic understanding of accounting principles
- An ability to find solutions, be proactive and the initiative to act or ask when unsure
- Highly computer literate and able to use a range of packages to extract data and present information
- Attention to detail
- Able to work constructively as part of a team, understanding your role and that of others within the team
- Keyboard skills, applied with precision and speed
- Can communicate information to teachers, other staff and external suppliers in a clear and concise manner
- Literacy and numeracy skills
- Ability to produce a range of accurate documents and standardised reports, basis spreadsheet and database functions
- Ability to organise and prioritise workload to achieve deadlines
- Ability to receive and assess information over telephone and in person and refer to the appropriate person or source of information
- Ability to investigate queries and anomalies when required
- Ability to operate computerised and manual filing systems and to make improvements where necessary
- Ability to process and maintain accurate records

Desirable

- Experience of SIMS
- Experience of Microsoft Office