

 **Life Skills Manor School**

 **Person Specification**

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|  | **Essential** | **Desirable** |
| Qualifications: | Recognised Speech and Language Therapy degree/qualificationHCPC RegistrationRCSLT Membership | Evidence of CPD and relevant post qualification training e.g. AACMember of relevant Clinical Excellence Network (CEN) |
| Experience: | Experience or strong desire to work in paediatrics.Experience of using formal and informal assessment toolsExperience of completing assessments and planning therapy goals at undergraduate or post-graduate levelExperience of working in a multidisciplinary team | Evidence of CPDEvidence of providing advice, training/workshops to parents and carersExperience of working with ABA practitionersExperience of caseload management |
| Knowledge: | Knowledge of a range of therapeutic approachesKnowledge of relevant assessment toolsKnowledge of a range of approaches to assessment, intervention, and outcomes relevant to children and young adults with autismKnowledge of current policies relating to health, social care, and educationKnowledge of clinical governanceAwareness of evidence-based practice relevant to children and young adults with autismKnowledge of standards of record keepingKnowledge of Safeguarding policies and proceduresKnowledge of child development | Knowledge of outcome measuresKnowledge of eating and drinking risk management (low-level)Knowledge of language disorders and evidence-based practice to support need |
| Skills/abilities: | Able to work independently with recognised role.Proactive in nature during clinical supervision from other Speech and Language Therapists/Clinical LeadAble to build robust working relationships with external provisions. Able to organise and prioritise self and workloadAbility to maintain accurate notesAbility to communicate clearly and sensitively with parents, carers, and professionals | Able to inspire confidence and influence and motivate others Knowledge of relevant Health/Education/social issues/legislation |