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Job Description: Mid Day Supervisor

School:

Grade: Kent Range KSA

Responsible to: Line Manager

Purpose of the Job:

Supervise the pupils during the mealtime period to minimise any disruption, ensure their wellbeing and maintain their safety.

NB: Precise duties will vary according to type of school

Key duties and responsibilities:

- 1. Put out tables and set with cutlery and beakers in time for the mealtime period to ensure there are sufficient settings for the number of pupils eating that day.
- 2. Ensure pupils enter the dining room in a safe and orderly fashion and behave appropriately when queuing for their meal in order to maintain safety and wellbeing of all pupils.
- 3. Ensure pupils eating meals are seated in an orderly fashion to maintain safety and wellbeing of the pupils.
- 4. Assist the pupils, as necessary, during the meal break. (This may include providing them with a drink, helping with spillages, cutting up food and caring for pupils' personal needs.
- 5. Ensure plates, etc., are cleared from tables in an appropriate manner to maintain a clean and tidy environment and to free up space for any further sittings where applicable.
- 6. Once meals are finished ensure that the dining area is wiped down, etc., and is left in a clean and tidy manner to maintain a clean and tidy environment.

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Person Specification: Mid Day Supervisor

The following outlines the criteria for this post. Applicants who have a disability and who meet the criteria will be shortlisted.

Applicants should describe in their application how they meet these criteria.

	CRITERIA
QUALIFICATIONS	You will not need previous specific experience or qualifications. Recent school leavers will have evidence of basic educational achievements or qualifications.
	First Aid qualification would be an advantage
EXPERIENCE	None required. However, previous experience of working with children would be an advantage
SKILLS AND ABILITIES	Ability to communicate with pupils during midday breaks e.g. to encourage healthy meal
	Ability to recognise and deal with emergency situations
	May require knowledge to enable the post holder to be responsible for the safe use of equipment
KNOWLEDGE	Requires knowledge of school procedures for supervision of pupils during midday break and lunchtime activities where applicable.