Job Description							
Job Title	Academic Mentor	Reporting to	Senco				
Job Purpose	To work as part of a team to support students in making progress by implementing interventions that are flexible, measurable, bespoke and timed with entry and exit data.						
Liaising With (internal)	Staff and Students	Liaising With (external)	Parents, Community,				
Supervising	N/A	Contract	TTO				
Key Responsibilities	<ol> <li>Under the supervision and guidance of the Senco;</li> <li>Use the data from formal assessments carried out to assist the Assistant Vice Principals of the faculties in identifying 'wave 3' interventions for cohorts of students.</li> <li>Focus on the vulnerable groups and within the team be a lead person for one of these vulnerable groups (Pupil Premium, EAL, Low Numeracy / Literacy, EHCPs, other SEN(D))</li> <li>Ensure the support and programmes are bespoke and happen in a variety of ways, either in class, in small groups or with parents.</li> <li>To monitor and evaluate the impact of any interventions</li> <li>To liaise closely with the pastoral team including attendance</li> </ol>						
Compliance, Restrictions & Enablers	<ul> <li>Compliance with all policies and procedures of the Academies including, but not limited to:</li> <li>Health, Safety &amp; Security</li> <li>Data Protection legislation and best practice</li> <li>Freedom of Information legislation and best practice</li> <li>Equal Opportunities &amp; Diversity</li> </ul>						

Person Specification						
Job Title	Academic Mentor	Reporting to	Senco			
			Essential (E) or Desirable (D)	Evidence		
Education, Qu	ialifications, Training					
Good GCSE's in English and Maths				Application		
Additional good GCSE's or equivalent in other subject areas			E	Application		
<ul> <li>Level 2 Qualification suitable to the role or willingness to gain</li> </ul>				Application		
Skills, Knowled	ge & Experience					
Experience working in an academic setting			D	Application		
Knowledge of safeguarding and Child Protection Issues			D	Interview		
Good ICT skills in MS Office products			D	Interview		
Excellent communication skills (written & verbal)			E	Assessment		
<ul> <li>Planning, prioritising and managing workload in an environment of conflicting demands</li> </ul>			E	Interview		
<ul> <li>An understanding and experience of a range of 'needs' presented by students who may struggle to make progress in school</li> </ul>			E	Interview		
Personal Qualit	ties					
Strong outgoing personality				Reference/Interview		
<ul> <li>Able to build effective and positive working relationships</li> </ul>			E	Reference/Interview		
Organised and methodical approach to work			Е	Reference/Interview		
Good sense of humour			Е	Interview		
Enthusiastic and committed			E	Reference/Interview		
<ul> <li>Committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people</li> </ul>			E	Interview		
Committed to personal learning and development			E	Interview		

All employees are subject to full DBS check, according to current statutory requirements.