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PERSON SPECIFICATION

POST: Caretaker (H3)

A. Education, Qualifications and Training

Essential: Current First Aid qualification or willingness to undertake training to

become a qualified First Aider Undertake evacuation chair training

Holder of a UK Driving Licence (Max 3 points, no convictions) which complies with the minimum standards for driving a minibus e.g. D1

entitlement (7am-3pm shift only)

Desirable Completed secondary education

Training in Health & Safety, PAT testing, working at heights, manual

handling etc.

B. Experience

Essential: Experience of carrying out basic DIY tasks

Desirable: Previous experience of working in a premises role in a school or

public building

Previous premises key holder with experience of opening and locking

buildings/sites

Experience of cleaning in a work environment

Proven experience in carrying out maintenance in a school or similar

organisation

C. Skills and Personal Characteristics

Skills

Essential: Proven ability to work both as part of a team and alone without

supervision

Good basic DIY skills

Good oral communication and ability to portray a positive image of

the school

To have an understanding of and a commitment to child welfare and

safety

Desirable: Ability to work in an organised manner and use initiative

Personal Characteristics

Essential: Good timekeeper, organised, motivated, hardworking with a sense of

humour.

Reliable and trustworthy

Flexible attitude to working hours e.g. ability to cover evening shifts

on occasions when colleagues are absent

Desirable: Mature attitude which inspires confidence in those you have contact

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