

Person Specification
Technical and Curriculum Science Assistant (Science Technician)

<u>Specification</u>				<u>Essential/ Desirable</u>	<u>Method of Assessment</u>
EDUCATION & TRAINING					
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Minimum of 5 GCSEs at Grade C or above or equivalent including English and Maths 				Essential	AF/LA/C/SP
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Equivalent relevant NVQ Level 3 qualification in Science 				Essential	AF/LA/C/SP
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Degree in a Science subject 				Desirable	AF/LA/C/SP
RELEVANT EXPERIENCE					
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Experience of working in a laboratory or school Prep Room 				Essential	AF/LA/R/SP
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Evidence of supporting and developing others 				Desirable	AF/LA/R/SP
APTITUDE AND SKILLS					
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ability to offer professional guidance and assistance to students and teachers on the practical aspects of the curriculum 				Essential	AF/LA/R/SP
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ability to carry out risk assessments in relation to laboratory work 				Essential	AF/LA/R/SP
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Good communication skills with staff and students 				Essential	AF/LA/R/SP
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ability to work effectively and efficiently within set deadlines 				Essential	AF/LA/R/SP
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Competent to trial, prepare and set up practicals in all 3 Science disciplines for lessons 				Essential	AF/LA/R/SP
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ability to use own initiative 				Essential	AF/LA/R/SP
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ability to work alone and/or as part of a team 				Essential	AF/LA/R/SP
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Proficient in the use of ICT 				Essential	AF/LA/R/SP
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Detailed knowledge of COSHH regulations in relation to the safe handling and storage of chemicals and equipment 				Desirable	AF/LA/R/SP
PERSONAL QUALITIES					
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Reliable and conscientious 				Essential	AF/LA/R/SP
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Flexible approach to work 				Essential	AF/LA/R/SP
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Team worker 				Essential	AF/LA/R/SP
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The ability to make a positive contribution to the community of the school 				Essential	AF/LA/R/SP
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ability to prioritise tasks accordingly 				Essential	AF/LA/R/SP
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Be capable of moving heavy trolleys from room to room 				Essential	AF/LA/R/SP
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ability to handle chemicals and apparatus with care 				Essential	AF/LA/R/SP
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Current First Aid Certificate 				Desirable	AF/LA/R/SP
Key	AF	LA	C	R	SP
	Application Form	Letter of Application	Certificates	References	Selection Process