

## HLTA Support Worker PERSON SPECIFICATION

KEY A - Application form; R - Reference; I - Interview

	Criteria	Assessments
KNOWLEDGE	Understanding of challenges facing young people which may prevent them from learning	A & I
	Understanding the types of SEN encountered in school and methods of providing support	A & I
	Understanding of relevant codes of practice and legislation	A & I
	<ul> <li>Must be able to understand and carry out instructions containing Mathematical terms.</li> </ul>	
	Good knowledge of Mathematical notation.	
SKILLS & ABILITIES	To effectively use ICT and use of other equipment	Α
	<ul> <li>Ability to relate well to children and adults and form constructive relationships</li> </ul>	R
	Able to work independently but also a good team member	R
	Ability to self-evaluate learning needs	R
	Excellent communicator both oral and written	A&R
	<ul> <li>Ability to devise implement and monitor individual action plans for students</li> </ul>	A & I
	Ability to engage constructively, and relate to young people who may have a range of individual needs	A.I&R
	<ul> <li>Ability to work effectively and network with professional support services and parents</li> </ul>	R&I
	Commitment to improving the lives and learning opportunities of young people	R&I
	Good time management	I&R
	Good organisational skills	A & I
	Flexible approach	R
	<ul> <li>Must be able to verbally communicate high amounts of information in a succinct manner.</li> </ul>	
EDUCATIONAL	<ul> <li>Good literacy and numeracy skills</li> <li>5 GCSE's grades A-C including Maths and English (or equivalent)</li> <li>NVQ level 3 in education or equivalent qualifications and or</li> </ul>	Certificates
	<ul><li>experience</li><li>HLTA Diploma or equivalent qualification or experience</li></ul>	
EXPERIENCE	<ul> <li>A proven track record of relevant work with young people in one of a range of fields including education, youth work, health and social work</li> </ul>	R
OTHER	This post is exempt from the provisions of the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974. A Disclosure and Barring Service check will be required prior to appointment.	DBS

