



PERSON SPECIFICATION – Design Technology Technician

	Essential	Desirable
Qualifications	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• GCSE English and Maths or equivalent.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Qualifications – vocational or otherwise – in relevant areas of design technology
Experience:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Some experience in design and technology.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Some experience of working in an educational environment.• Some experience of working with or training young people• Some experience of managing design technology environments or resources.
Skills	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• IT Literacy• Excellent communication skills.• Excellent organisational skills.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• A clean driving licence.• A D1 minibus licence or a willingness to secure one.
Knowledge	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Familiarity with a variety of design technology materials and techniques.• Familiarity with standard computing packages such as Microsoft Office.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• An awareness of the statutory requirements of Health and Safety within design technology environments.
Personal competencies and qualities	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• The motivation to work with children and young people.• The ability to form and maintain appropriate relationships and personal boundaries with children and young people.• The ability to work in a team environment and under pressure.• A good sense of humour.• A calm demeanour.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• A perceptive understanding of young people and their needs and expectations.