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|  | Essential | Desirable |
| Qualifications | A teaching assistant qualification at NVQ Level 2 relevant to the Key Stage or its equivalent OR Relevant qualifications at NVQ Level 3 in Early Years Or Child Care/Foundation | * A valid First Aid Certificate * Good numeracy/literacy skills * Experience of planning/evaluating learning activities * Experience of working in a school environment * Experience of planning programmes of learning for individuals, groups and whole classes * Committed to continues personal development * Knowledge of Children’s Act 2004 |
| Experience | * Experience of working in a school environment * Experience of planning and evaluating learning activities * Involved in planning programmes of learning for individuals, groups and whole class * Fully supported by 2 references |  |
| Skills, Knowledge and Aptitude | * Good oral and written communication skills * Ability to use ICT effectively to support teaching/learning * Support the planning/delivering of the curriculum for students * Team worker * Calm and positive approach * High level of ability to relate well with children and adults * Sensitive to the needs of children and parents * Active listening skills * Ability to use own initiative when required * Keyboard and ICT skills |  |
| Personal Requirements | * Sensitive to the needs of children and their parents/carers * Ability to work as part of a team * Calm and positive approach * Committed to professional development |  |