PERSON SPECIFICATION

JOB TITLE: ADMIN ASSISTANT DEPARTMENT: EDUCATION

GRADE: 2A DATE: NOVEMBER 2024

	ESSENTIAL SOURCE OF EVIDENCE - APPLICATION = A DESIRABLE - TEST = T - INTERVIEW = I	_				
	1. EXPERIENCE, direct work experience, other relevant experience. W = 5					
D	Considerable administrative experience, to include customer contact					
D	Experience of providing support to a number of people within a team environment including organising and minuting complex and sensitive meetings					
	2. KNOWLEDGE, without which the job cannot be done effectively W = 4					
Ε	Up to date and relevant knowledge of administrative practices and procedures					
E	Excellent knowledge of Microsoft Office Systems including Word, Excel, Outlook and Calendar, PowerPoint					
D	Knowledge of the work and areas in educational setting					
	3. SKILLS & ABILITIES, essential/capable of doing, desirable/able to train W= 5					
E	High speed, accurate word-processing and keyboard skills					
E	Ability to work effectively within a team and to work under pressure prioritising workloads and handling changing priorities showing an ability to be flexible and adaptable					
E	Ability to work under minimum supervision, to make decisions act on own initiative and use good organisational skills					
E	Ability to utilise effectively a variety of IT packages including Microsoft Office					
E	A professional and polite telephone manner with a focus on Customer Care showing an awareness and understanding of customer needs					
E	Good communication skills and both verbal and written.					
	4. QUALIFICATIONS, TRAINING AND EDUCATION, also identify training to be given. W =3					
D	BTEC National / A levels / NVQ Level 3 or equivalent					
Е	Four GCSEs Grade A – C or equivalent including Maths and English					
D	RSA III typing qualification, ECDL or equivalent					
	5. PERSONALITY, SOCIAL SKILLS, relationships, thinking style, disposition. W =5					
E	The ability to communicate effectively at all levels with the public, staff, Members and other agencies on sensitive and personal issues, and build effective relationships	A/I				
Е	Must be able to operate in a highly confidential and professional manner at all times					
E	Be resilient and able to deal with sensitive and upsetting information; evidencing personal mechanisms in place to manage the impact.					
Е	Able to work under pressure and to strict deadlines.	A/I				
	6. OTHER FACTORS, physical mobility, availability, conditions etc.					

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Must present a positive image of The Federation

Must be able to work in more than one location.

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Promoting the safeguarding and welfare of children and young people.