**Ronald Ross Primary School**

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**Person Specification**

**Post: SEN Teaching Assistant**

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| **Qualifications/Experience** |
|  | **Essential** | **Desirable**  |
|  | NVQ Qualification/ Teacher Assistant induction programme | Specialist approaches – manual handling/ Makaton signing /  |
|  | Good command of English – both verbal and written | Basic First Aid and procedures as appropriate |
|  | GCSE Maths, (or equivalent) in English and Maths | Previous classroom assistant (or similar role) experience |
|  | NVQ Qualification |  |
| **Professional Knowledge and Skills** |
|  | **Essential**  | **Desirable** |
|  | To have an understanding of special education needs  | Willing to undertake professional development |
|  | The ability to respond calmly and constructively when dealing with SEN pupils | Ability to demonstrate active listening skills |
|  | Effective use of ICT to support learning | Experience using information technology to support students in the classroom |
|  | Basic understanding of child development and learning | Support  |
|  | Ability to relate well to children and adults |  |
|  | Knowledge of relevant polices/codes of practice and awareness of relevant legislation |  |
|  | Work constructively as part of a team, understanding classroom roles and responsibilities and your own position within these |  |