



**SAINT AMBROSE CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL**

Person Specification

<b>Post Title:</b>	SEND 1-1 Teaching Assistant 3 hours per day 8.45-11.45 am	
<b>Requirement</b>	<b>Essential</b>	<b>Desirable</b>
<b><u>Education and qualifications</u></b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>English and Maths O Level/GCSE.</li> <li>Enhanced DBS Disclosure.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Further qualifications and/or studies relevant to the primary age range.</li> </ul>
<b><u>Experience</u></b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Successful experience of working with Foundation Stage and K.S.1 children.</li> <li>A commitment to high expectations.</li> <li>Experience of effective teamwork.</li> <li>Experience of children with challenging behaviour.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Understanding of the Early Years Foundation Stage Curriculum and National Curriculum.</li> </ul>
<b><u>Skills and Knowledge</u></b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Awareness of current educational issues.</li> <li>Knowledge of teaching and learning, with a stimulating, imaginative and creative style and the strong use of practical, interactive concept teaching.</li> <li>Good communication skills.</li> <li>IT skills</li> <li>Use of positive behaviour management strategies.</li> </ul>	
<b><u>In-Service Training</u></b>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>First Aid Training.</li> </ul>
<b><u>Abilities</u></b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ability to create a positive, secure, happy and exciting learning environment.</li> <li>Ability to develop children's individual characters, their independence, responsibility and citizenship skills.</li> <li>Ability to motivate and inspire children.</li> <li>Ability to work effectively within a team and to lead where appropriate.</li> <li>Ability to be flexible, have a positive attitude and the desire to learn.</li> <li>Excellent communication skills to work effectively with all school stakeholders; children, staff, parents, Governors and community links.</li> <li>Ability to partake in the full life of the school.</li> </ul>	
<b><u>Other Requirements</u></b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>To put children at the heart of the educational experience.</li> <li>To be an excellent role model for our children.</li> <li>A passion for developing the Arts.</li> <li>Creativity.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Personal interests that could be used within the school to broaden the opportunities on offer to the children.</li> </ul>
<b><u>Letter of Application</u></b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Fully supportive references which cover professional and personal qualities.</li> </ul>	