1 to 1 Learning Support Assistant Job Description

- Work with individuals or groups of children, assisting in ensuring pupils are kept on task and complete activities set by teachers
- Deal with behavioural and special educational needs in conjunction with the teacher
- Help implement lesson plans
- Provide feedback to pupils in conjunction with the teacher
- Assist the teacher with assessment
- Review progress of pupils against learning objectives
- Implement curriculum policies
- Detect signs of behavioural difficulties
- Work with outside agencies
- Playtime supervision

Person Specification

Knowledge, skills & experience	Essential	Desirable
NVQ Level 2 qualification (or equivalent)	✓	
NVQ Level 3 qualification (or equivalent)		✓
Empathy with pupils and sympathetic to their needs	✓	
Good literacy and numeracy skills	✓	
Good communication skills	✓	
Professionally discreet and able to respect confidentiality	✓	
Well-developed interpersonal skills	✓	
Team worker	✓	
Firm, sensitive and effective approach towards pupil discipline	✓	
Good organisational ability	✓	
 Able to work with the teacher to plan and deliver teaching activities (including those defined in Individual Education Plans/EHCPs) 	√	
Able to monitor and record pupil progress	✓	
 Ability to apply knowledge and skills from training in practical classroom context 	√	
Flexibility	✓	
Able to motivate and encourage children	✓	
Able to work independently, with initiative	✓	
Able to establish and maintain good relationships with colleagues, parents and external contacts	√	
Be prepared to undertake further professional development	√	
Have experience of working in Early Years/Key Stage 1	✓	
Have a positive outlook and a good sense of humour	✓	
Have relevant and recent school based experience	✓	
Experience working with SPLC (Speech, Language & Communication)	✓	
Experience working with Occupational Therapists		✓