**Parkside Primary School**

**Teaching Assistant**

**Level 2**

Person Specification.

**1. Experience**

1.1 Experience of paid work of working with a child of primary age on a 1:1 basis in the last 5 years - **essential**

1.2 Experience of delivering a range of interventions – **desirable**

1.3 Experience of working with children with a range of needs including Autistic Spectrum condition - **desirable**

**2. Qualifications**

* 1. GCSE/equivalent in Maths and English (Grade C and above)
	2. NVQ 2 for Teaching Assistants or equivalent qualifications or experience- **desirable**

**3. Knowledge, Skills and abilities**

3.1 Knowledge and ability to use ICT effectively to support learning

3.2 An awareness of health and safety and safeguarding in a primary setting

3.3 Ability to model high quality language to all children and adults

3.4 Understanding of relevant polices/codes of practice and awareness of relevant legislation

3.5 General understanding of national curriculum and other basic learning programmes/strategies

3.6 Basic understanding of child development and learning

3.7 Ability to self-evaluate learning needs and actively seek learning opportunities

3.8 Ability to relate well to children and adults

3.9 Work constructively as part of a team, understanding classroom roles and responsibilities and your own position within these

**4. Other requirements**

4.1 A commitment to on-going personal development and willingness to undertake

 appropriate training

4.2 Appointment to the post is subject to a satisfactory enhanced DBS check

4.3 Evidence of commitment to safeguarding and protecting the welfare of children

4.4 This post is exempt from section 4(2) of the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act,

 1974, as the duties give you access to persons who are under the age of 18.

 Applicants are not entitled to withhold information about convictions, which

 would be regarded as spent for other purposes.