

Job title: Computing and IT Specialist Teaching Assistant

Age range: Primary

Responsible to: Head of Primary, working under the direction of the specialist IT teacher on a day-to-day basis.

Qualifications: Degree in Computer Science, relevant experience, proficiency in English in speaking, understanding and writing

Experience: Experience of working with children within an educational environment.

The teaching assistant at NCBIS is part of the primary team, working alongside a class teacher, the teaching assistant team, a Phase HLTA and the academic and pastoral leadership teams.

KEY DUTIES OF THE ROLE:

Support for the Teacher			
1.	Assisting with the display of pupils' work and the preparation of the classroom and equipment as		
	directed for lessons and clear up afterwards.		
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	pupils in their use.		
3.	Maintenance of pupil records as necessary and gather/report information from/to parents/carers		
	as directed.		
Promote good pupil behaviour, dealing with incidents in line with established policy and support the teacher			
in managing pupil behaviour, reporting difficulties as appropriate.			
Support for the Pupils			
1.	Provide support for pupils, including those with special educational/health needs, ensuring their		
	safety and access to learning. Promote self- esteem and encourage pupils to act independently as		
	appropriate.		
2.	2. Undertake structured and agreed learning activities, recording achievement and progres		
	feeding back to the teacher.		
3.	Promote the inclusion and acceptance of all pupils.		
4.	Attend to pupil's personal needs and implement related personal programmes, including social,		
	health, physical, hygiene, first aid and welfare matters.		
5.	Establish good relationships with pupils, acting as a role model and being aware of and responding		
	to individual needs.		
6.	Assist the teacher to supervise and support pupils ensuring their safety and access to learning.		
7.	Encourage pupils to interact and engage in activities led by the teacher.		

Support for the Curriculum



- 1. Support pupils to understand instructions from the teacher.
- **2.** Support pupils in respect of local and national learning strategies e.g. literacy, numeracy, foundation stage etc. as directed by the teacher.
- **3.** Support pupils in using basic ICT as directed.

General Tasks

- **1.** Provide clerical/administration support
- **2.** Be aware of and comply with policies and procedures relating to Child Protection, health, safety and security, confidentiality and data protection, reporting all concerns to an appropriate person.
- **3.** Contribute to the overall ethos/work/aims of the school.
- **4.** Attend relevant meetings as required and participate in training and other learning activities and performance development as required.
- **5.** Assist with the supervision of pupils during lesson times, including before and after school and at lunchtimes where appropriate.
- 6. Accompany teaching staff and pupils on trips and visits and other school activities as required.
- 7. To undertake other duties from time to time as the class teachers and Head of Primary require.



Computing and IT Specialist Teaching Assistant Person specification

	Desirable	Essential	
Qualifications			
Educated to degree level in Computer Science.		✓	
Holds CACHE Level 2 Award - (or equivalent qualification).	\checkmark		
Holds IELTS – minimum overall score of 5.5 (writing 5).	\checkmark		
Experience			
Experience working with children of relevant age in a recognised British school environment (or recognised equivalent).	\checkmark		
Professional Knowledge, Understanding and Skills			
Appropriate knowledge of first aid.	\checkmark		
Ability to relate well to children and adults.		\checkmark	
Ability to work constructively as part of a team, understanding classroom roles and responsibilities.	\checkmark		
Good numeracy and literacy skills.		\checkmark	
Effective use of ICT and equipment/ technology to support learning.	\checkmark		
General understanding of national/foundation stage curriculum and other basic learning programmes/strategies.		\checkmark	
Basic understanding of child development and learning.			