STOCKPORT METROPOLITAN BOROUGH COUNCIL : POST DETAILS

PERSON SPECIFICATION

Ladybridge Primary Schooll

**POST TITLE:**  SEN Teaching Assistant

**DIVISION:** Services to People, Ladybridge Primary School

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| ATTRIBUTES | ESSENTIAL | DESIRABLE | HOW IDENTIFIED |
| RELEVANT EXPERIENCE | Experience of working with children of primary age.  Experience of working in a primary school. | Experience of and expertise in working with children with special needs in particular Autism Spectrum Disorder/ social communication difficulties. | Application form/Interview |
| EDUCATION AND TRAINING |  | Suitable qualification, e.g. NVQ, Diploma, Degree  SEN related training or qualification  First Aid Training  Attending INSET or training courses | Application form/Interview |
| SPECIAL KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS | Ability to communicate with pupils and other staff.  To be confident to plan and deliver activities on a 1:1 basis.  Ability to build effective relationships with children, parents and colleagues. | Awareness of current developments in education.  Interest in SEN. | Application form/Interview |
| ANY ADDITIONAL FACTORS | Ability to build positive relationships with colleagues.  Willingness to work outside of the classroom environment to meet the needs of the child.  Willingness to accompany the child for visits out of school to meet their needs.  Willingness to undertake additional training.  Be reliable, flexible and have a positive attitude.  Ability to take direction and yet use initiative when required.  To be physically fit as you may need to lift and move equipment or children. | Willingness to contribute to the full life of the school.  A commitment to help to raise standards of achievement of all pupils. | Interview |