HOPE SCHOOL

PERSON SPECIFICATION - TEACHING ASSISTANT LEVEL 2

	Essential	Desirable
Commitment to the principles of Excellence	*	
Relevance and Access		
Experience	*	
Experience of working with or caring for children		
of a relevant age and/or learning need		
Qualifications/Training		
NVQ2 for Teaching Assistants, or evidence of		
the equivalent QCF credit value, or equivalent	*	
qualifications or experience		
Training in the relevant strategies for example		*
literacy		
GCSE (or equivalent) in Maths and English		*
Basic First Aid Training/Training in specific		*
medical problems		
Knowledge/Skills		
Good numeracy and literacy skills	*	
Effective use of ICT to support learning	*	
Use of relevant equipment/resources - video,	*	
photocopier		
General understanding of the national/foundation		*
stage curriculum and other basic learning		
programmes/strategies		
Understanding of relevant policies, codes of		*
practice and awareness of relevant legislation		
Understanding of principles of child development	*	
and learning processes		
Ability to self evaluate learning needs and	*	
actively seek learning opportunities		
Ability to relate well to children and adults	*	
Work constructively as part of a team,	*	
understanding classroom roles and		
responsibilities and your own position within		
these		
Strong attendance and punctuality	*	