



Admin Assistant (Level 2) – Personal Specification

CRITERIA	ESSENTIAL	DESIRABLE	HOW IDENTIFIED
QUALIFICATIONS & TRAINING	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> GCSE Literacy and Numeracy qualifications – equivalent to Grade 'C' or above 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> NVQ Level 2 or above in Administration Other relevant work related qualifications 	<p><i>Application Supporting Statement</i></p>
EXPERIENCE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Previous significant experience of administrative duties in an office environment. Good IT skills, including the use of Microsoft Office, Word, Excel and other IT systems 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Experience working within a school environment 	<p><i>Application Reference Interview Supporting Statement</i></p>
SKILLS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ability to follow direction for own workload and work to deadlines Ability to work in a busy, sometimes pressurised environment Excellent organisational skills and an ability to develop efficient office systems Attention to detail Ability to communicate effectively to a variety of audiences and in a variety of methods Ability to build effective working relationships with staff and other stakeholders Ability to maintain and contribute to the effective systems for the smooth running of the organisation 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Experience of SIMS and FMS Experience of managing challenging and/or sensitive situations 	<p><i>Application Reference Interview</i></p>
PERSONAL QUALITIES	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Supportive of the school's Catholic Ethos Friendly welcoming personality Team player Flexible and professional Calm and organised under pressure Resilient and determined Willingness to be involved in all areas of school life Clear understanding of confidentiality Commitment to promoting the ethos and values of the school Appropriate behaviour and attitude towards safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people No disclosure about criminal convictions or safeguarding concern that makes applicant unsuitable for this post 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Practising Catholic 	<p><i>Application Reference Interview</i></p>