

ST ANTHONY'S SCHOOL

SPECIAL SUPPORT ASSISTANT / COVER SUPERVISOR PERSON SPECIFICATION

	Essential	Desirable
Qualifications / Experience	 Experience of working with children in an educational setting Good Literacy skills Experience of working with children with SEND 	Formal Professional qualifications to support job role
Skills/Abilities	 Well-developed interpersonal skills. Able to communicate effectively orally and in writing to a range of audiences. Able to plan, organise and prioritise. Able to manage good communications systems. 	Competent in the use of ICT
Knowledge	 A thorough knowledge and understanding of effective inclusive practices to support pupils with a wide range of needs. A knowledge of effective safeguarding Knowledge and understanding of the School Child Protection Policies and Procedures Knowledge and understanding of a range SEND 	
Personal Qualities	 Able to think creatively and imaginatively to anticipate and solve problems and identify opportunities. Able to develop and maintain good relationships with staff, parents, pupils, governors and the community. Committed to own development as a professional. Able to reflect on own practice and identify areas for improvement Can work effectively as part of a team 	