

JOB DESCRIPTION

Job Title	Learning Support Assistant (Level 2) with NVQ2
Band/Job Group	Grade B – ESC62
Hours/Weeks	31.25 hours term time plus training days
Special Conditions	
School	Old Park Primary
Responsible to	Head Teacher

Job Summary

- To provide classroom support to pupils under the direction of the teacher.

Additional duties and responsibilities

1. Support to Pupils

To assist pupils in the use of resources including IT.

To maintain pupils' interests and motivation.

To assist pupils with dress/changing for activities, personal hygiene including illness and accidents.

To support individual and group work assigned by the teacher in raising core skills, support individual education plans (IEP/ISPs).

The care and welfare of pupils to include toileting and feeding as required.

Escorting pupils around school premises/and take home, together with another member of staff.

**General support to pupils in line with special educational needs.*

To work half an hour each day as a Lunchtime Supervisor

2. Support to School

To have contact and links with those with parental responsibility during the working day, as part of the normal consultative and educational process.

To be aware of and maintain school policies and procedures.

**Help the school to develop more effective communication by acting as an interpreter/providing translation.*

Preparation of rooms, equipment and displays.

To maintain school routine.

To promote high standards of behaviour throughout school in accordance with Discipline and Behaviour Policy.

To support the ethos of the school.

To maintain a safe environment.

3. Support to Teachers

To deliver pre-planned programmes of work under the direction of a teacher.

To assist in the assessment of pupil attainment/progress.

To undertake duties on a rota basis during mid-morning and mid-afternoon breaks.

To assist the teacher with the supervision of pupils on school trips/visits.

To keep materials and equipment in a tidy and safe manner.

To liaise with teachers and other staff to obtain, exchange and record information on pupils in accordance with school policy.

To support the supervision of individuals/groups of pupils.

4. Support with Curriculum

To be involved in planning meetings.

Attendance at appropriate training sessions as required.

To undertake repairs and maintenance of books and equipment.

To develop and prepare curriculum activities/materials.

5. To participate in the operation of the Council's Personal Performance Development Scheme.
6. It is your responsibility to carry out your duties in line with the Council's policy on equality and be sensitive and caring to the needs of the disadvantaged, promoting a positive approach to a harmonious working environment. You should act as an exemplar on these issues and should identify and monitor training for yourself and any employees for whom you are responsible, in line with this policy and the Equality Act 2010.
7. Such other duties as may be appropriate to achieve the objectives of the post to assist the Thematic Area in the fulfilment of its objectives commensurate with the post holder's salary grade, abilities and aptitudes.

8. The post holder must at all times carry out his/her responsibilities with due regard to the Council's policy, organisation and arrangements for Health and Safety at Work.