**St Osmund’s Middle School Science Technician**

**Person Specification**

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|  | **Essential** | **Desirable** |
| **Qualifications** | Achieved CSE/GCSE/O level or equivalent qualification in English and Maths | Knowledge of KS2/3 Science curriculum |
| **Knowledge, Understanding & Experience** | Knowledge of Safeguarding proceduresUnderstanding of how different children develop and learnA willingness to attend courses as required to enhance knowledge, understanding and skills to improve level of quality and support. | Experience of encouraging positive social interactionUnderstanding of barriers some children face when accessing school and learningScience backgroundAwareness of CLEAPSS |
| **Skills** | Motivated and organisedAble to use own initiativeSkills of empathy, listening, communication and responding with appropriate language Qualities required are discretion, loyalty, commitment patience, flexibility, good personal organistation and team player.Able to work positively and sensitvely with colleagues, parents, a range of professionals and other pupilsWilling to attend and contribute to school staff meetings and INSET | Willingness and ability to contribute to the wider life of the school.Competent user of ICT both for self and as a learning toolWillingness to seek opportunities towards continuous professional developmentAbility to adapt practice accordingly |