

## **Job Description**

Post Title: Administrative and Finance Assistant (NEAT Schools) AA4224

Points: 427 points Grade: N4

Responsible to: School Business Manager

Responsible for: Not applicable

## **Job Purpose:**

- To be an ambassador for the school when meeting parents/carers and other visitors and act as a first point of reference when people arrive.
- To provide clerical and administrative support to the Head Teacher,
  Deputy Head Teacher, School Business Manager and other staff
- Contribute to the overall ethos/work/aims of the school and meeting the needs of the children
- Be aware of and support difference and ensure equal opportunities for all

## **Main Duties:**

The following is typical of the duties of the post holder will be expected to perform. It is not necessarily exhaustive and other duties of a similar nature and level may be required from time to time.

- 1. 'Model' excellent professional relationships with children, parents/carers and other professionals within the school
- 2. Perform Receptionist duties throughout the school day: acting as first point of reference for receiving callers, pupils, parents/carers, visitors and telephone enquiries
- 3. Offer helpful, friendly, approachable and professional service at all times and take appropriate action on own initiative, resolving minor matters, referring more serious matters to appropriate members of staff
- 4. Adhere to school procedures and ensure that staff receive messages (telephone, email, fax, face to face) promptly and accurately
- 5. Maintain noticeboards, sort and distribute mail
- 6. Maintain records, organise meetings and events in the school as directed. Maintain office systems, diaries and provide information/letters to parents/carers and pupils.
- 7. Maintain effective administration in the absence of the School Business Manager

- 8. Administer parent's evening appointments
- 9. Maintain pupil database, amend and update records on the system, print appropriate reports
- 10. Collate pupils' data as required including admissions
- 11. Collect, record, compile and present data both manually and electronically, in order to maintain a comprehensive, up to date paper and electronic filing and information system, using standard reports, various software and respond to ad hoc queries where appropriate.
- 12. Ensure that office machinery, stationery and other office consumables (including basic maintenance of equipment) are ordered in accordance with purchasing procedures. To arrange servicing and repairs of school equipment.
- 13. Collecting, accounting for, reconciling and security of petty cash, dinner money, trip income, sale of uniform and/or other amounts of cash/expenditure, cheques in accordance with the Academy Trusts Financial Regulations.
- 14. Co-ordinate the preparation of orders for goods or services, receipt of deliveries, processing and payment of invoices for payment, and the issuing and stocktaking for stationery supplies in accordance with the Academy Trusts Financial Regulations.
- 15. Provide general confidential secretarial services including word processing; correspondence; mail; diaries; appointments and meetings, maintain general and confidential filing systems; provide hospitality as required
- 16. Assist in the training of, demonstration of duties to, and giving support to staff and volunteers
- 17. To promote and implement the Council's Equality Policy in all aspects of employment and service delivery
- 18. The post holder will have responsibility for promoting and safeguarding the welfare of children and young person's s/he is responsible for, or comes into contact with.