



After School Club Playworker – Person specification

Essential	Desirable
<p>Skills, aptitude, knowledge & experience</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Minimum Level 3 childcare qualification or equivalent ● Previous experience of caring for or working with young children in a voluntary or paid capacity ● A commitment to the provision of high quality childcare ● A positive approach to learning and gaining new skills through teamwork and training opportunities ● Good organisational, record-keeping and planning skills ● Interest in the care, learning and development of young children 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Good written, digital and verbal skills for report writing, maintaining records and providing feedback to parents/carers and colleagues ● Knowledge of the safeguarding and welfare requirements for the regulation of childcare provision ● First Aid qualification
<p>Personal qualities</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Punctuality ● Excellent communication skills with children, colleagues, advisors and parents/carers ● Patience ● Reliability and trustworthiness ● A positive approach to inclusive practice with children and colleagues ● Enthusiasm for working with young children ● Ability to work as part of a team 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Flexibility – occasionally working hours might be changed, e.g. if the setting hosts a parents' evening