**FURZE DOWN SCHOOL**

**A Specialist School for Communication and Interaction**

**EYFS |PRIMARY| JUNIOR | SENIOR | SIXTH FORM**

**PERSON SPECIFICATION: LEARNING SUPPORT ASSISTANT (EYFS)**

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| **Qualifications and Training** | **Essential** | **Desirable** |
| Hold Level 2 qualifications in English and Maths as a minimum (GCSE C or above)  | 🗸 |  |
| Educated to a minimum of A level or equivalent |  | 🗸 |
| Educated to degree level |  | 🗸 |
| Successful and varied experience within a School / EYFS setting |  | 🗸 |
| Experience of delivering the curriculum to pupils with SEN, including those who have Communication & Interaction Difficulties |  | ✓ |
| Undertaken recent and relevant safeguarding training |  | 🗸 |
| **Knowledge and Experience:** | **Essential** | **Desirable** |
| Ability to communicate confidently, professionally and sensitively with parents and carers; working in partnership to enable children’s successful learning | ✓ |  |
| Fully literate and numerate with a good understanding in the use of relevant ICT | 🗸 |  |
| Good communication and presentation skills | 🗸 |  |
| Ability to work effectively as a member of a team. | 🗸 |  |
| An awareness, understanding and commitment to equal opportunitiesand inclusion  | ✓ |  |
| A good record of attendance and punctuality | ✓ |  |