

Timbold Drive, Kents Hill Park, Milton Keynes, MK7 6BZ Headteacher: Mr. James Pilgrim

## **Kents Hill Park School**

## Person Specification - Pastoral Assistant

		Essential	Desirable	A/C/I/R
Qualifications	Good literacy and numeracy skills, studied to a	*		Α
and Education	minimum standard of GCSE (grade A*-C) or equivalent,			
	in English and Maths (certificate/s to be available at			
	interview)			
	Good ICT skills	*		Α
	Counselling qualification or willingness to undertake a		*	Al
	course			
	Designated Safeguarding Lead accreditation or		*	Al
	willingness to undertake a course			
Experience	Experience of working with children/young people in a	*		AIR
	learning/education or similar environment			
	Current knowledge and experience of using databases	*		IR
	such as SIMS, and Microsoft programmes such as			
	outlook, excel and word			
	Experience of working with vulnerable families	*		IR
	Experience of creating and implementing action plans	*		IR
	Experience of delivering targeted interventions to	*		IR
	children and their families			
	Displays an awareness, understanding and	*		IR
	commitment to the protection and safeguarding of			
	children and young people			
	Self-motivated and able to work constructively as part	*		IR
	of a team			
	Covering the schools isolation room and supporting	*		IR
	pupils with their work			
Skills and	Ability to build and form good relationships with pupils,	*		R
Abilities	parents/carers and colleagues			
	Highly organised and effective under pressure	*		IR
	Ability to work constructively as part of a team,	*		AR
	understanding school roles and responsibilities			
	Ability to work in partnership with teachers and other	*		IR
	professionals as well as agencies, voluntary groups and			
	service providers			
	Verbal and written communication skills appropriate to	*		AR
	the need to			
	communicate effectively with colleagues,			
	parents/carers, pupils and other professionals			





	Encouraging inclusivity and engagement in learning and behaviour	*	IR
	Ability to take responsibility and work on initiative within set boundaries	*	IR
Personal Qualities	Commitment to the highest standards of safeguarding and child protection	*	AR
	Initiative and ability to prioritise one's own work	*	R
	Able to follow direction and work in collaboration with Line Manager/Team	*	R
	Able to work flexibly to meet deadlines and respond to unplanned situations	*	AR
	Desire to enhance and develop skills and knowledge through CPD	*	R
	Recognition of the importance of personal responsibility for Health & Safety	*	R
	Commitment to the school ethos, aims and its whole community	*	R

A - Application form

I - Interview

R - References



