Essential	Desirable	How Identified
Satisfactory enhanced DBS clearance	Enhanced DBS clearance. References	Application form /
on appointment.	showing unreserved recommendation.	documents at
		interview.
Skills and aptitudes to manage a site.	Previous expertise in caretaking or site	Application form /
	management.	references.
Good listening and understanding	Ability to interpret what people say and	
skills.	understand complex situations. Ability to	
	discuss matters with a range of different	
	people with different motives.	
Acceptable standard of reading	Good standard of written English with good	
comprehension and writing skills for	understanding of site-specific technical	
the tasks required.	language.	
Ability to be able to identify and	Particular expertise in identifying and	Task.
remedy maintenance and Health and	remedying maintenance and Health and	
Safety issues.	Safety issues e.g. Risk Assessments.	
Previous experience carrying out	Good level of skill or qualification and	Interview / references.
maintenance work to a good	experience in school-based maintenance	
standard.	work.	
Ability to solve practical problems.	Ability to solve complex problems.	Task.
Willingness and ability to work	Be able to work evenings, weekends and	Interview /application
flexibly.	bank holidays if required e.g. lettings.	form.
Willingness to take on out of hours		Interview /application
duties such as letting (overtime		form.
paid).		
Willingness and ability to learn and	Good knowledge of COSHH regulations.	Interview /application
administer COSHH duties.		form.
Basic DIY skills	Ability to undertake "Advanced DIY" tasks.	Interview /application form.
Medically fit and well to carry out the		Interview/application
physical duties.		
	Record showing a willingness to participate	Application form and
professional development.	in training and professional development	references.
	and seek opportunities for own	
	development.	
Willingness to work as a team.	Proven record of teamwork and working	Application form and
	together.	references.
Ability to safeguard children through	Knowledge of "Keeping Children Safe in	Interview /
practical applications.	Education" and what professional	References.
	expectations are in a school community.	
Ability to follow school Health and	Knowledge of how to keep the site safe from	Interview/Task
Safety policy and procedures.	hazards.	
Willingness to engage in	References showing high levels of	Interview.
Performance Management as	competency for the role.	
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Willingness to follow school ethos,		Interview / references.
policies, aims and objectives.		
Ability to work on own initiative.	Ability to work within a framework of	Interview / references.
	supervision.	