Essential:	Desirable
Qualifications:  • Good numeracy/literacy/ICT skills	NVQ2 for Teaching Assistants or equivalent
<ul> <li>Completion of DfES Teacher Assistant Induction Programme (can be obtained post employment via LEA)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Participation in development and training opportunities</li> <li>Evidence of further related training or interests</li> </ul>
Experience:	
	Working with or caring for children of relevant age
	Experience of working with children having a range of special needs
Knowledge & Skills:	
	Ability to use basic technology-computer, video, photocopier
Good communication skills	Willingness to support children in all activities
Ability to relate well to children and adults	Appropriate knowledge of first aid.
<ul> <li>Ability to work constructively as part of a team, understanding</li> </ul>	
classroom roles and responsibilities and own position with these	
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Awareness of child protection legislation	
<ul> <li>Awareness of confidentiality and data protection</li> </ul>	
Knowledge and understanding of inclusion within the classroom	