

Employee Specification Form Specification for the post of: **Kitchen Assistant**

M23

	Essential Personal Attributes	Stage Identified	Desirable Personal Attributes	Stage Identified
Qualifications			 NVQ or equivalent catering qualification Maths GCSE or equivalent (Grade C or above) English GCSE or equivalent (Grade C or above) Up-to-date Level 2 award in Food Safety and Catering 	Application Certificates
Experience	 Working within a busy kitchen Experience in the use of kitchen equipment Working as a member of a team Decision making skills, such as food preparation, cooking and washing up Safe keeping, cleanliness and use of equipment 	Application Interview	 Experience working in a school kitchen Working with children 	Application Interview References
Knowledge & Skills	 Good communication and interpersonal skills Good organisational and time management skills Knowledge of procedures and equipment for preparing, serving and assisting with cooking of food Understanding of relevant hygiene requirements A positive attitude to personal development and training 	Application Interview	 Experience working independently and taking responsibility of a working station in a busy kitchen Knowledge of health and safety issues 	Application Interview References
Special Requirements	 Articulate, well-motivated and reliable Able to work flexibly to meet the changing demands of the school catering provision Embrace the school's ethos 	Application Interview	 Awareness of safeguarding issues and procedures Contribute to the wider life of the school 	Application Interview