

Person Specification: Pastoral Assistant

	ESSENTIAL	DESIRABLE	METHOD OF ASSESSMENT
Qualifications	GCSEs – Pass in English and Maths	Degree or HE equivalent	Certificates
Experience	Experience of caring for young people	 Experience of coaching sports or running activities 	Application form, interview, references
Skills	 Flexibility Adaptability Initiative Ability to work as part of a team Clear understanding of the post and responsibilities Excellent communication skills Excellent organisational skills Good sense of humour Warm and approachable 	 First Aid Skills Basic ICT skills Current clean driving licence Qualifications for coaching sports or running activities 	Application form, interview, references
Personal Competencies & Qualities	 Motivation to work with children and young people Ability to form and maintain appropriate relationships and personal boundaries with children and young people. Positive attitude to using authority and maintaining good behaviour Willingness to undertake post-related training. 		Application form, interview, references