



**PERSON SPECIFICATION/SELECTION CRITERIA
TEACHING ASSISTANT**

Essential	Desirable
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Sympathetic to the ethos of the Catholic School• Good interpersonal skills• Punctual• Reliable• Be confident to work with groups of children• To be open and friendly whilst maintaining a professional approach• Ability to be flexible• Able to follow instructions• Good organisational skills	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Practising Catholic• Be confident to plan and deliver programmes of work• Have the ability to work alongside class teachers in a supportive role• Experience of working with children with behavioural, emotional and social difficulties• Aptitude and willingness to attend courses• Ability to communicate well with parents• Some knowledge of how to assess through observation• Sense of humour• Ability to use own initiative