



PERSON SPECIFICATION Children & Family Support Worker

	Essential	Desirable
Qualifications	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • First Aid or willingness to train • Safeguarding and Child Protection or willingness to train 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Child Protection • First Aid training • Family Support Work
Skills, Knowledge and Experience	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sound knowledge and experience of working with children and families or a willingness to train • Experience of group/team work. • Knowledge of safeguarding and promoting the welfare of young people • Ability to establish positive relationships with children and families • Evidence of self-management and the ability to work using own initiative. • To share your knowledge of the importance of play • Ability to build a rapport with children and families 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Experience of planning and delivering programmes of activities to young people • Awareness of the importance of working in an anti-discriminatory framework • Competent in IT
Personal Skills	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • An excellent communicator • Adaptable to varied situations • Good physical health • Willingness to access training opportunities wherever possible. • To be fun • Flexible approach to working hours 	