

Role Profile										
Job Title		Office Manager	Job No. (Office Use)			Grade			Grade E	
School		Millbay Academy			Location		Plym	Plymouth		
Reports to (Job Title)		Headteacher			Shift Pattern		Term Time Only, 40 weeks per year		Only, 40 weeks per year	
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Job Purpose	Responsible for the management and delivery of all office and administrative services for the school.									
<b>Decision</b> <b>Making</b>	The job involves working within recognised procedures but will require initiative. The work will involve responding independently to unexpected problems and situations.									

Accountabilities	<ul> <li>Under the guidance of senior staff, be responsible for undertaking administrative, HR, financial and organisational processes within the school</li> <li>Manage the school office and carry out all administration duties and financial monitoring for small amounts; be responsible for all admissions/new intake data</li> <li>Comply with and assist with the planning and development of support services and school procedures and policies relating to child protection, health and safety, confidentiality and data protection</li> <li>Manage, train and develop a small team of clerical staff as appropriate</li> <li>Undertake administration of complex procedures</li> <li>Manage manual and computerised record/information systems</li> <li>Support audit process and process overtime, absence and other school based payroll functions</li> <li>Organise school trips and events.</li> <li>First aid</li> <li>Manage school fund</li> <li>Health and safety compliance</li> <li>Attend meetings i.e. SLT, LGB</li> <li>Undertake other duties as directed and commensurate with the grading of the role</li> </ul>
Demands	<ul> <li>The post holder will be required to stand and walk as a part of their role; there are limited requirements for lifting and carrying (e.g. files, boxes, office items, stationery).</li> <li>There is considerable work-related pressure, caused primarily by interruptions and the need to reprioritise tasks due to conflicting demands.</li> </ul>
Working Conditions	There is minimal exposure to disagreeable working conditions, e.g. background noise from pupils at certain times of the day.

## Experience, Knowledge and Qualifications **Skills and Technical** Competencies

## **Essential**

- Good general education Minimum of 5 GCSE's, Grade A\* C with Grade A\*- C in Maths and English or equivalent
- NVQ4 in Business and Administration or equivalent (i.e. School Business Professional Qualification Level 4)
- Demonstrable experience of working in a school environment
- Demonstrable experience of managing a team of administrative staff
- Demonstrable experience of working with financial systems and procedures
- Demonstrable experience of working with HR systems and procedures
- Experience of successfully managing, leading and developing relevant administrative/ financial functions, including sound budget control and advice
- Knowledge of GDPR 2018 and Data Protection Act 1998
- The post holder will be required to:
- Solve varied problems related to financial management, administration and staff management etc
- Have strong verbal and written communication skills in order to train and motivate their own staff, as well as exchange information with a range of audiences (e.g. staff, pupils and others)
- Have strong IT skills including proficient in the use of Microsoft Office products
- Have advanced keyboard skills in order to produce documentation using speed and precision (e.g. audio and touch typing); the post holder will need to be able to record information on financial management IT systems
- Be methodical in approach, e.g. in order to organise school trips and events
- Be numerate in order to manage and handle cash from the school fund

## **Corporate Standards**

- Act at all times in accordance with appropriate legislation and regulations, codes of practice, the provisions of the Trusts constitution and its policies and procedures.
- Work within the requirements of the Trusts Health and Safety policy, performance standards, safe systems of work and procedures.
- Undertake all duties with due regard to the Trusts equalities policy and relevant legislation.