

OFFICE ADMINISTRATOR JOB DESCRIPTION

Reporting to:	Head Teacher
Pay Grade:	H4
Location:	Camps Hill Primary School
Contract:	38 weeks (Term time only) with 1 overtime INSET day expected

Job Title: Office Administrator

All Office Administrators will display excellent communication skills (both written and verbal) at all times and will have the ability to work under pressure and prioritise effectively. All Office Administrators will have a primary function of reception and telephone-based duties but in addition have a secondary focus for example Attendance, Finance, or Communication/Events.

Leadership and Management:

- Support, model and demonstrate the school's visions and values of respect, kindness and aspiration.
- Create a positive and calm working environment
- Oversee office workflows to prioritise tasks when required to ensure deadlines are achieved

Administration/Organisation:

- Manage manual and computerised record/ Management information systems (MIS)
- Analyse and evaluate data/information and produce reports/information as required
- Contribute to maintaining school diary/dates and deadlines information
- Create the schools weekly Newsletter
- Manage pupil information: in-year admissions, medical plans etc.
- Manage orders/post coming through the office
- Manage the school admin mailbox
- Manage the schools marketing and promotion strategy via social media on a regular basis
- Set up equipment for school events and take promotional pictures and recordings
- Communicate with parents/carers and external agencies in formats such as letters, email, protected files.
- Set up booking of clubs/activities, dinners, trips, and payments via parent Arbor/School Grid interfaces.
- Maintain School Website and calendar dates for school community
- Assist in the organisation and booking of school trips and whole school events
- Ensure the office, reception area and meeting rooms are kept tidy, organised and in good order at all times
- Undertake face-to-face school office reception duties for parents, visitors, and pupils
- Handle telephone-based and face-to-face enquiries
- Pupil parent debt chasing / handling cash as per financial framework
- Manage pupil attendance and registers
- Arrange school trips, parental consents, clubs, and visits for example by school nurse, photographer
- Provide administrative support e.g. photocopying, filing, labels, emailing, completion of routine forms. This could be directly supporting the Senior Leadership Team or teaching staff.
- Provide pupil First Aid and medication
- Open, sort and distribute incoming mail and post outgoing mail

The duties and responsibilities listed above describe the post as it is at present. The post holder is expected to accept any reasonable alterations that may from time to time be necessary. A three-month probationary period will be implemented.

PERSON SPECIFICATION



Spec	Essential	Desirable	
Experience	 Strong written English skills 	 First aid qualification 	
-	 Excellent verbal communication skills 	 Office experience within a school 	
	 Experience of administrative tasks 	environment	
	• Experience managing difficult conversations	Level 1 Safeguarding	
	 Analysing and evaluating data 	Team Management experience	
	 Experience using IT skills including Word, 	Experience of Arbor/ CPOMs/School Grid	
	Excel, Office 365	 Experience website editing 	
Professional	Committed to the school's ethos and values		
Values	Establish and maintain good professional relationships		
	 Share best practice across schools and work with colleagues across settings 		
	Believe that all children have the entitlement to the best education and work hard to		
	achieve this alongside the team		
	Promote a positive working environment		
Knowledge	 Understanding statutory requirements 	 Knowledge of academy school admissions 	
and	relating to Child Protection and safeguarding	Knowledge of school attendance processes	
understanding	 GDPR/Data Protection awareness 	 Awareness of school budgets and impacts 	
Skills	 Ability to deal with regular interruptions 		
	Develop positive and appropriate relationships with parents, staff and governors		
	Promote a positive working environment		
	 Ability to prioritise work according to deadlines with minimal supervision 		
Personal	Smiley and kind		
characteristics	Punctual/Reliable		
	Approachable and empathetic		
	Organised and resourceful		
	Adaptable/Flexible		
	Commitment to making every minute count for pupils		
	Able to problem solve		
	Solution focused		
	• Calm		

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