

Person Specification

Job Title

Progression Tutor

Qualifications	~
Essential	
Teaching qualification Education and Training Level 4 or equivalent or	A/I
willingness to work towards within an agreed timeframe	
• English and maths level 2	
ICT level 2 qualification	
TAQA level 3	
Desirable	
TAQA level 4 or willingness to work towards within an agreed	A/I
timeframe	
Key skills	
Essential	
Excellent communication skills to support developing relationships with a	A/I
range of audiences including individual learners, parent/carers, multi-	
disciplinary staff teams and others as relevant to learners needs	
Proven ability to stretch and challenge learners to achieve aspirations	
using a variety of teaching strategies including coaching and mentoring to	
support learning with greater independence from starting points	
Ability to challenge colleagues on performance that impacts on learner	
achievement	
 Excellent organisation skills to support the effective and efficient 	
management of a caseload of learners	
Experience	
Essential	
Experience of developing high quality unique and innovative approaches	A/I
to teaching learners with complex needs that plan to meet funded	
outcomes including health and wellbeing, employment and independence	
relevant to the individual learner	
Experience of providing purposeful learner focused tutorial support that	
ensures positive outcomes against planned including stretch and challenge	
• Experience of providing a cohesive and well communicated approach to	
wrap around support, including parent/carers, employers and external	
agencies that support learners making good or better progress	
 Experience of writing progress reports to an expected standard Experience of using data to monitor, communicate and stretch and 	
challenge learner progress	
Desirable.	
☐ Working with young people and adults to overcome barriers to learning	A/I
Knowledge	
Essential	

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programmes, and the EHCI A sound know support learned Knowledge of independence	vledge and understanding of individualised study relevant frameworks e.g. Preparation for Adulthood, EIF and relevant funding requirements vledge of teaching pedagogy and appropriate strategies to ers with learning difficulties reaching their potential building resilience to support health and well-being barriers to learning, seeking employment, developing and resilience and strategies to overcome barriers to ensure progress is made	A/I
Desirable		
	of how to help improve instructional techniques, enable f tutor time and facilitate the widespread sharing of	A/I

Other personal requirements

Essential

- Positive outlook and a 'can do' solution based approach to problem solving and driving forward improvements to ensure learner achievement
- Approachable and helpful to a variety of key stakeholders and in particular learners and citizens, parent/carers and employers
- Be able to manage a caseload of learners with mixed abilities and across routes and subject areas to maximise potential
- Forward thinking and decision making abilities to keep abreast of expectations on study programmes, funded outcomes and employment opportunities
- Drive and ambition to support learner achievement
- Strength of character to challenge underperformance or negative attitudes to learner progress

→ How we intend to assess your match with our person specification

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