



Job Title: Employability/ Careers Teacher

**Responsible to:** Head of School

Area of work: This post involves working 1:1 or with small groups of pupils to get them

accredited outcomes in careers

Job Type: Teaching and Learning

**Hours:** Term Time only plus 5 training days

Parkside House School

**Liaises with:** • All colleagues within the team.

Families and carers of pupils at the school.

External agencies

Conditions of Service:

This post is subject to terms and conditions of the employment of Acorn Education and Care.

The nature of this role dictates that the post holder will be subject to an enhanced DBS check. Please note that holding a positive disclosure may not automatically bar you from working with the organisation, however, a full risk assessment will be completed prior to making a recruitment decision.

**Job Summary:** 

Parkside House School is a specialist independent school providing education for pupils aged 10-19 with Education Health and Care Plans (EHCPs) for Social Emotional and Mental Health (SEMH) needs, ASC or related conditions.

You will need to have (or demonstrate willingness to develop):

- experience of working with children and young people
- an understanding of SEN
- ability to quickly build relationships with challenging pupils
- be able to work on your own initiative

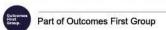
This is a challenging role, and you must be able to cope with stressful interpersonal situations whilst maintaining a high degree of professionalism.

# Duties and Responsibilities

- To deliver Careers education for KS3/4 pupils.
- To collate evidence of impact and present to external bodies







- To encourage pupils in personal development, achievement integration into The Grange Therapeutic School
- To support pupils at other provisions
- To support out of classroom activities as part of a broad and varied curriculum
- To ensure Child Protection and Safeguarding is of paramount importance
- Follow procedures for accident, illness, absconding and absence for pupils and to adhere to all school policies
- Contribute to any meetings that are called for the education and welfare of pupils
- Attend department, behaviour whole school staff meetings
- To conduct any reasonable duties as directed by the Head of School or their representatives

# Teaching, Training and Supervision:

- Undertake regular line management
- Receive regular CPD
- Attend external CPD and qualification courses pertaining to the role

ICT responsibilities: Use IT and computers in day to day work in order to facilitate more effective communication and presentation of information. This includes word processing, e-mail, electronic record keeping and information sharing, multimedia presentation and teaching, and specialist IT programmes.

### General:

To effectively and consistently manage the behaviour of pupils in line with the policies and ethos of Parkside House School.

To contribute to the development and maintenance of the highest professional standards of practice, through active participation in internal and external CPD, training and development programmes, in consultation with the middle and senior leaders.

Maintain the highest standards of record keeping including electronic data entry and recording, report writing and the responsible exercise of professional self-governance in accordance with professional codes of practices and School policies and procedures.





Safeguarding

Safeguarding is everybody's business. The welfare and safeguarding of children and young people should be of paramount consideration, whatever your role or level of responsibility is within the organisation. All employees are required to ensure compliance with the company's guidance and policy on safeguarding and are required to attend safeguarding training appropriate to their level of responsibility.

# Risk management / Health and Safety

The post holder has a responsibility to themselves and others in relation to managing risk, health and safety and will be required to work within the policies and procedures as laid down by the school. All staff have a responsibility to access support services in times of need.

## Confidentiality

You will be required to maintain confidentiality of information, access information only on a need to know basis in the direct discharge of duties and divulge information only in the proper course of their duties.

To be noted: This is not an exhaustive list of duties and responsibilities and the post holder may be required to undertake other duties which fall within the grade of the job, in discussion with the manager.

This job description will be reviewed regularly in the list of changing service requirements and any such changes will be discussed with the post holder.

The post holder is expected to comply with all relevant school policies, procedures and guidelines, including those relating to Equal Opportunities, Health and Safety, GDPR and Confidentiality of Information.





# PERSON SPECIFICATION: EMPLOYABILITY / CAREERS TEACHER

Training &	ESSENTIAL	DESIRABLE	HOW TESTED
Qualifications	Educated to L3 or A Level equivalent	Degree Careers education qualifications QTS	Show certificates of qualifications at interview
Experience	Experience delivering a curriculum related to careers	Experience of working with young people with challenging behaviour.  Experience of SEN environment	Application form. Assessed at interview and references.
Knowledge & Skills	Ability to use basic IT packages such as word	Presentation skills	Application form.  Interview and references.
Other	Ability to work independently, reliably and consistently with work agreed and managed at regular intervals.  Willingness to lone work with pupils, off site if necessary  Ability to accept and use supervision appropriately and effectively.  Ability to build relationships quickly with challenging or reluctant young people  Ability to instil learning resilience and confidence in pupils  Good personal organisational skills.  Driver	Experience of working within an education system.	Application form, interview and document check.





