

## St James' Senior School

## Job Description and Person Specification Maintenance/ Painter/ Decorator

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| Post title:                          | Maintenance/ Painter/ Decorator   |  |  |
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| Hours of work:                       | Fully Flexible - Zero Hours Contract  |  |  |
| Remuneration:                        | NMW   |  |  |
| Responsible to:                      | Head Teacher  |  |  |
| Start Date :                         | Immediate Start Available   |  |  |
| Main Purpose of the Role             | Maintenance, painting and decorating, Health and Safety and any ad hoc basis aspects of the school is compliant and actioned.   |  |  |
| Main Responsibilities                | <ul> <li>Maintaining, painting, decorating, gardening, general housekeeping and performing landscape duties or supervising others in these roles</li> <li>Inspecting the building, including heating, cooling, lighting and alarm systems to make sure they are in good working order</li> <li>Performing basic repairs and maintenance tasks as directed by Head</li> <li>Monitoring cleaning materials, tools, and furniture and advising the Head when reordering as required</li> <li>Assisting with out of hours / holiday bookings for any buildings or rooms available for hire</li> <li>Assisting with the locking up procedures each day for all doors and windows when not in operation</li> <li>Adhering to the company's safety policies to create a safe working environment for everyone</li> <li>Part of this role will involve safeguarding responsibilities including the reporting of any safeguarding concerns to the Designated Safeguarding Team</li> <li>liaise with external companies to ensure all compliance standards are met</li> <li>Working under the direction of the Head.</li> <li>Manage the maintenance team and their duties</li> </ul> |  |  |
| Professional Standards & Development | All members of staff are expected to show evidence of a continuing interest in professional and personal development and to consider the needs of the school and its development plans when planning Continuing Professional Development.   |  |  |

The School supports staff with a wide range of internal and external inset opportunities, including internally delivered teaching and learning sessions.

## **Person Specification**

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|                 | Essential   | Desirable  | Method of assessment   |
|-----------------|---|--|--|
| Qualifications: | Any Health & Safety related   | D1 driving licence   | Production of the Applicant's certificates                           |
| Experience:     | <ul> <li>Working with confidential information.</li> <li>Driving experience</li> <li>DIY skills and in depth understanding of maintenance procedures</li> <li>Problem solving skills for giving instructions to contractors and support crew</li> </ul>   | Has worked within a school environment.  | CV Interview Professional references                                 |
| Skills:         | <ul> <li>Excellent interpersonal skills</li> <li>Excellent written and verbal communicator</li> <li>Build successful and appropriate relationships with pupils, staff, parents, and the wider community</li> <li>The ability to work unsupervised and to prioritise work during peaks of commitment</li> <li>Organising, multitasking, and scheduling skills</li> <li>Customer service skills for positive dealing with a variety of stakeholders</li> <li>Research and networking skills for sourcing the best external contractors</li> <li>First aid for helping contractors or members of the community requiring basic medical care</li> </ul> |  | CV Interview Professional references                                 |
| Knowledge:      | Knowledge of effective maintenance<br>and Health and Safety processes and<br>systems.   | <ul> <li>Understanding of<br/>Health and Safety<br/>requirements.</li> <li>Understanding of the<br/>importance and<br/>implementation of<br/>safeguarding<br/>procedures.</li> </ul> | Contents of the Application Form  Interview  Professional references |
|                 | <ul><li>Professional and efficient.</li><li>Honest and reliable.</li></ul>  |  |  |

| Personal       | Hard working.                   |  |
|----------------|---------------------------------|--|
| competencies   | Motivational and inspirational. |  |
| and qualities: | Confidence, commitment, and     |  |
|                | integrity.                      |  |