

Person Specification

Assistant Cook Grade 4 (SCP 5)

	Essential	Desirable
Qualifications	➤ Basic Food Hygiene Certificate (Foundation certificate in food hygiene) – or willingness to acquire qualification	➤ City & Guilds or NVQ Level1, Level 2, or equivalent qualification, in Food Preparation and cooking or willingness to undertake qualification or comparable experience. ➤ Intermediate Certificate in Food Hygiene.
Work or relevant experience	➤ General catering	➤ Supervisory/management experience of an institutional catering service.
Knowledge and Understanding	➤ Knowledge of specialist diets for health conditions and cultural and religious backgrounds. ➤ Knowledgeable of health and safety good practice in the kitchen. ➤ Good literacy and numeracy skills. ➤ Basic ICT ➤ Use of relevant equipment/resources. ➤ Ability to identify own training and development needs and co-operate with means to address these. ➤ Ability to relate well to children and adults	
Skills and Abilities (relevant to post)	➤ Sufficiently fluent in spoken English to ensure effective performance in the role	
Special Conditions	➤ Willingness to undertake an enhanced Disclosure and Barring Service (DBS) check.	