Midday Supervisor JOB DESCRIPTION



Role Purpose:

The purpose of this role is to work as part of a team supervising pupils during the school lunch break, which includes attending to their welfare and domestic needs.

Key Accountabilities:

Reporting to the Lead Pastoral Practitioner, this post holder will be accountable for

- Supervising pupils immediately before, during and after the midday meal, including children who bring sandwiches
- Supervising handwashing and toileting by pupils at the Headteacher's discretion
- Supervising pupils entering and exiting the dining area, including during any journey or walk to the dining room
- Supervising pupils in the playground under the direction of the Lead Pastoral Practitioner
- Setting up and removing playground equipment under the direction of the Lead Pastoral Practitioner
- Taking necessary steps when children are sick by attending to their needs when in distress and reporting the situation to the relevant member of staff
- Arranging for emergency treatment when required such as calling for a teacher if there has been an accident
- Preventing potential dangers in the playground and approaching unauthorised personnel who enter academy grounds
- Undertaking an agreed programme of training
- Carrying out duties relating to lunchtime supervision as requested by the Headteacher, Deputy Head or Senior Leadership Team

Culture

 Responsible for the Health and Safety, security and welfare of self and colleagues in accordance with E-ACT's policies and procedures, reporting all concerns to an appropriate person.

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 Responsible for working in accordance with E-ACT's policy relating to the promotion of Equality, Diversity and Inclusivity

Undertake any other duties appropriate to the grade of the post as requested by your Line Manager

E-ACT is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of its students and expects all employees and volunteers to share in this commitment.

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Whether you're a 3 year old in nursery learning to explore the world around you, an 18 year old preparing to go to university, a new teacher understanding the demands of the job, a Head Teacher leading the learning in your academy, a member of the regional team ensuring efficient and effective operations or a trustee scrutinising and challenging the CEO, we want every single person within E-ACT to be driven by three core values:

- We want everyone to **think big** for yourselves and for the world around you;
- We want everyone to **do the** *right thing* in everything you do, even when this means doing something that's hard, not popular or takes a lot of time;
- We want everyone to show strong team spirit, always supporting and driving your team forward

We really believe that if we all do the right thing, support our teams and we all think big, believe big, act big, then the results will be big too!

This means that if you want to be part of E-ACT, you need to be able to embrace and embody these values in all that you do.

OUR VALUES

Thinking Big

- Show energy, enthusiasm and passion for what you do
- Demand the highest quality in all that you do, and in the work of your team
- Willing to champion new ideas and think beyond the status quo
- Show an ability to think creatively and 'outside of the box' in your area of expertise, continually seeking improvements in what you do to make the organisation better
- Be open to new ideas and change where it will have a positive impact on the organisation
- Show a willingness to embrace different ideas and ways of thinking to improve E-ACT
- Ability to 'look outside' to continually learn about innovations in your field, new ways of doing things, and bring that learning into your work
- Commitment to self-development, and developing your wider Team

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Doing the Right Thing	 Ability to self-reflect on yourself, your performance, and to think about how this could be improved further Ability to encourage ideas from others in order to improve the organisation and build your team's confidence Have integrity and honesty in all that you do Make decisions that are based on doing the right thing, even when this means that they're unpopular or will lead to more work Take responsibility and ownership for your area of work Have difficult conversations or deliver difficult messages if that's what's required to do the right thing by our pupils Be transparent and open Be resilient and trustworthy Stand firm and stay true to our mission
Showing Team Spirit	 Understand how you can have a greater impact as a team than you can as an individual Understand how you are part of your immediate team but also a much wider organisational team, in working towards our mission Recognise that everyone is important within E-ACT, and show an ability to build strong working relationships at every level Recognise and celebrate the success and achievements, no matter how small, of your colleagues Be generous with sharing your knowledge to help to develop others Understand and be willing to receive suggestions and input on your area of work from others Support your colleagues, even when this means staying a little later, or re-prioritising some of your work Be aware of other peoples' needs and show an ability to offer genuine support Show an awareness and respect for peoples' differences, and recognise how different characteristics and personal strengths build dynamic and great teams

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KNOWLEDGE, EXPERIENCE & SKILLS



Requirement Assessed at

D – Desirable I – Interview Stage

P – During the probationary period

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Organisational	Thinking Big	Χ		Х	Χ	Χ
Fit	Doing the Right Thing	X		Χ	X	X
	Showing Team Spirit	X		Χ	X	X
Knowledge	Minimum of 5 GCSEs grade 4-9 including Maths and English or equivalent	Χ		Χ	X	Χ
	Current First Aid qualification (or willing to work towards	Χ		Χ	X	Х
	Awareness of child protection/safeguarding with up-to-date training (or willingness to undertake training)	X		Х	X	X
	Knowledge of school standards and procedures or willingness to train	X		Х	Х	Χ
	Understanding of child development and social interaction and the value of constructive play opportunities		X	X	×	X
	Knowledge of health and safety regulations within a school environment		X	X	X	X
Experience	Experience of managing the behaviour of groups of children on a voluntary or paid basis	X		X	X	X
	Working in a socially and culturally diverse school community		Х	Х	X	X
Skills	Ability to deal with sensitive and emotional situations	X		X	X	X
	Ability to maintain discipline, command attention and encourage high standards of pupil behaviour at all times	X		Х	X	X
	Ability to communicate effectively with a wide range of stakeholders including colleagues, parents and children	X		X	X	X
	Ability to work under supervision, as a member of a team and individually	X		X	X	X

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