

Person Specification

Job Title: Course Tutor

Attributes	Essential	Desirable
Attainments / Qualifications	<p>Degree in an animal related subject</p> <p>Computer literate, including Microsoft Word and PowerPoint</p>	<p>Full valid driving licence</p> <p>Conversant in Microsoft Office suite of applications, including Excel and Outlook</p> <p>Assessor qualification (CAVA/A1 Assessor)</p> <p>Teaching qualification (Level 3 to Level 5)</p> <p>IAG qualification</p>
Previous Experience	<p>Practical teaching skills</p> <p>Animal handling/husbandry experience</p>	<p>Experience providing lessons in a classroom setting</p> <p>Safeguarding team experience</p> <p>Knowledge of Prevent</p> <p>First Aider</p> <p>Knowledge of specific learning difficulties, autism, learning styles</p>
Circumstances	<p>This is a full-time role, so holiday requests must ensure adequate lesson cover from other teaching staff.</p> <p>All employees will attend external training courses to improve their skills – including teaching qualifications (if needed), assessor qualifications (if needed) and safeguarding / prevent.</p> <p>Happy to escort students on external trips and create risk assessments, and supervise / manage student behaviour on trips.</p> <p>Ability to attend external recruitment or enrolment events is required.</p>	

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Skills	<p>Enthusiasm and ability to engage students in the classroom.</p> <p>Ability to multi-task and manage workloads during busy periods.</p> <p>Excellent written communication skills.</p> <p>Excellent attention to detail.</p> <p>Excellent interpersonal skills, face to face, via email or on the telephone.</p> <p>Comfortable teaching in a large group or providing one-to-one support.</p> <p>Ability to communicate effectively at all levels.</p> <p>Able to organise own workload.</p> <p>Good problem-solving skills.</p>	
Disposition	<p>Passion and understanding of animal care.</p> <p>Able to take responsibility for own work and do what's necessary to get the best possible results for the Foundation and our students.</p> <p>A positive disposition.</p> <p>Ability to work on own initiative and as part of a team.</p> <p>Ability to work under pressure and remain calm when faced with emergency or difficult situations.</p> <p>Friendly, caring and approachable attitude.</p> <p>Calm, confidential and non-judgemental, especially when dealing with students</p> <p>Work professionally with our students and comply with all safeguarding policies and procedures</p> <p>Self-motivated, hard-working and reliable</p>	<p>Able to demonstrate an ability and readiness to help the students excel; and assist the team and Foundation with a positive approach and attitude.</p> <p>Able to demonstrate some strength and agility to enable effective working with our wild patients.</p>