

Job Description – General Maintenance Assistant

Overall Purpose

The General Maintenance Assistant works as part of the Estates team and undertakes general maintenance duties, as directed, across both King Edward's and Barrow Hills School.

Reporting to: The Estates Bursar

Location: King Edward's Witley and Barrow Hills School

Direct reports: None

Hours of work: Monday to Friday 8.00am-4.30pm, with 30 minutes' unpaid break for lunch. Plus, Occasional evening / weekend work on a time in lieu basis.

Member of the maintenance cover team on a rota basis and as such, required to remain on-site (sleep-over) at School when on duty. Single accommodation is provided for this purpose.

Annual leave: 30 days including Bank Holidays (rising to 35 days after 5 years with the School).

School lunches: Provided without charge and are usually available throughout the year.

PPE: Uniform and PPE is provided.

Main duties and Key responsibilities

- To carry out general maintenance duties and tasks.
- To carry out reactive, planned and requisition works.
- To help manage stores and control stock.
- Operate equipment and tools in accordance with health & safety guidelines.
- To work unsupervised, work alone or as part of a team on designated tasks.
- To ensure full compliance with statutory, regulatory requirements and School Polices at all times and that adequate records are maintained.
- To carry out such other tasks as may be required from time to time by the Maintenance Team Leader or Estates Bursar.

Person Specification

Essential

- Previous experience in a maintenance role
- Ability to work alone or as part of a team
- Able to work in a clean, tidy and professional manner
- The ability to multi-task on a daily basis
- To be able to work unsupervised on designated tasks
- An appreciation and dedication to the importance of the safeguarding agenda.
- Enthusiasm for an educational environment and the aims of KESW in particular.

Desirable

- Relevant experience in a trade
- Recognised qualification(s) in a trade
- Experience of working in an Estates and Facilities department.
- Experience working in educational environment.
- Hold a clean driving license.