



Autism Group Assistant Person Specification

	ESSENTIAL CRITERIA	DESIRABLE CRITERIA
SKILLS & ABILITIES	1. Clear and concise verbal and written communication 2. Adaptable, creative, sensitive showing traits of empathy and understanding	
EXPERIENCE	1. Experience of working with young people and/or people with additional support needs	1. Experience of working with autistic children or adults and their families. 2. Experience of running group activities. 3. Experience of working in the 3 rd sector 4. Experience of using online platforms such as Zoom, Twitch, Discord
KNOWLEDGE	1. Knowledge of autism 2. Knowledge of the Scottish Strategy for Autism, 2011 3. SVQ 1/2	1. Understanding the policy and legislative context around autism and working with children 2. Autism specific qualifications e.g. Modules
PERSONAL ATTRIBUTES & OTHER REQUIREMENTS	1. Willing to travel 2. Willing to work evenings and weekends 3. Commitment to the Mission, Values and Objectives of HOPE	3. Car driver