## Junior Play Leader



## Job Description

Job summary:	Assist with day to day activities of the club Provide quality play care within the framework of the club's policies and procedures	
Line manager:	Leanne Flitcroft	
Responsible for:	N/A	
Working relationships:	Children attending the club and their parents/carers Management and staff.	

## Main duties include:

- Assist with planning, preparing and delivering quality play opportunities within a safe and caring environment.
- Providing comprehensive care for the children including collecting them from class and delivering them safely to parents or carers.
- Setting up the play space including moving furniture and play equipment.
- Providing refreshments and ensuring that hygiene, health and safety standards are met.
- Administering first aid when necessary.
- Consulting with children and involving them in planning activities.
- Helping with club administration, where necessary.
- Facilitating good communication with all members of the organisation, parents, and schools.
- Undertaking appropriate and relevant training.
- Keeping the work environment healthy, safe and secure.
- Working within the framework of the club's policies and procedures.

## Personal specification

Essential qualities	Desirable qualities	
<ul> <li>Working towards a childcare qualification</li> <li>Understanding the varied needs of children and their families</li> <li>Understanding the issues involved in the delivery of quality play care</li> <li>Understanding the issues of equal opportunities</li> <li>Provide and facilitate safe and creative play</li> <li>New fresh ideas for craft activities and games</li> <li>Good communication skills</li> <li>Able to work as part of a team</li> <li>Be reliable with good time keeping</li> <li>Sound judgement and common sense</li> <li>Sufficient understanding and use of English to ensure the well-being of the children*</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Experience of working within a play-based setting or of working with children including any baby sitting and or voluntary work with organised groups</li> <li>Experience of administration work including using spreadsheets and word documents</li> <li>Competent in using IT to support play and club administration</li> <li>Ability to work on own initiative</li> </ul>	