

## St Michael le Belfrey Church Person Specification

Job Title	Children & Families Worker
Qualifications	<ul> <li>GCSEs or equivalent in English and Maths</li> <li>Level 4 (or above) qualification in an area relevant to working with children and families e.g. teaching, social work, early years</li> </ul>
Competencies	<ul> <li>Ability to share the gospel and lead children and families to faith in Jesus</li> <li>Leadership skills: excellent at team-gathering and team-building, and able to inspire confidence and vision</li> <li>Numerate ability to manage basic budgets and expense claims</li> <li>Ability to manage diaries and to arrange meetings and events</li> <li>Ability to teach the Bible in ways which are relevant, appropriate and engaging for 0-11 year olds</li> <li>Ability to take initiative and to work and act independently</li> <li>Good team player, with the ability to work closely with the Children &amp; Families Outreach Worker, volunteers and clergy, and to work cooperatively with other colleagues</li> <li>Good IT skills, preferably with experience of Google Suite</li> </ul>
Knowledge & Experience	<ul> <li>Significant children and/or families work experience (min. 3 years)</li> <li>Experience of planning, leading and running high quality children's provision</li> <li>Understanding and awareness of the latest guidelines and policies regarding safeguarding and health and safety for children and young people</li> <li>Awareness of relevant issues facing children and their families in the UK today</li> </ul>
Personal Qualities	<ul> <li>A follower of Jesus with a maturing Spirit-filled faith, able and willing to pray individually and with others</li> <li>A teachable person displaying the fruit of the Spirit</li> <li>Honours, lives and encourages the vision and values of The Belfrey</li> <li>Vision for growing a thriving, dynamic Children and Families ministry that resources other churches and organisations</li> <li>Commitment to or passion for supporting parents and helping them to nurture their children's faith</li> <li>Trustworthiness</li> </ul>

•	Able to handle pastoral situations with maturity, calmness and
	clarity of mind

- Warm and professional manner
- Flexible; able and willing to adapt to changing circumstances
- Keen to learn and develop themselves, and to invest in others

There is a Genuine Occupational Requirement for the post-holder to be a follower of Jesus, and a committed worshipping member of The Belfrey. This post is subject to a satisfactory enhanced DBS check. The postholder must have the right to work in the UK.