

# **Role Description**

Role Title: Temporary Enrolment and Student Services Staff	Pay Grade: Grade 5 – Hourly Rate £12.00
Normal Place of Work: All sites depending on enrolment requirements	Line Manager: Student Services Managers
Normal Working Hours: up to 37 per week (nil hour contract)	Responsible For: N/A

### **ROLE PURPOSE**

- To act as an initial point of contact for visitors to our college sites. Providing a meet and greet service and directing to enrolment locations
- To provide accurate and timely Information, Advice and Guidance to enquiries, whether in person, through Hub Services, by telephone or electronically, ensuring that learners are provided with appropriate information to access appropriate learning opportunities.
- To support the student services teams and teams across the college to ensure effective and efficient enrolment processes.

#### PRINCIPAL ACCOUNTABILITIES

- 1. Effectively maintain high levels of quality customer service at all times
- 2. All post holders may be required to operate across all Hub functions, to maximise flexibility, provide cover and offer students support to access student services. This will incorporate:
  - Reception Services
  - Information, Advice and Guidance (in person)
  - Information, Advice and Guidance (telephone and electronically)
  - Admissions
  - Learner Support Funds (LSF)
  - Study Centres
  - Contact Centre
- 3. Deliver advice and guidance through a range of communication tools: telephones, bespoke enquiry systems, email and face to face.
- 4. A level of specialisation between front-of-house and back-office work may be required for limited periods of time
- 5. The maintaining the accuracy of our student records system which includes processing of enrolment details in a timely and efficient manner
- 6. Be proactive in resolving enquiries, ensuring the customer is communicated with any progress
- 7. Continuously seek improvement with a view to providing high quality IAG and student support
- 8. Provide a welcoming, and productive environment that is attractive and supportive for students and creates a positive learning environment.
- 9. Liaise with internal College staff and utilise appropriate systems to provide information for audit purposes as required
- 10. Create an atmosphere whereby students feel inspired and positive about their time in College, with appropriate support and coaching, as well as access to appropriate resources
- 11. Communicate and work together with the other relevant support teams that may be required to assess and deliver student support
- 12. Be responsible for proactive addressing of health and safety issues
- 13. To support Equality and Diversity practices and principles, promoting and celebrating diversity, and tackling inequalities where they arise
- 14. Support the college's Safeguarding procedures, and that you attend updating training, as well as refer issues appropriately



- 15. Actively promote the College both internally and externally
- 16. Undertake such other duties as may reasonably be required of you commensurate with your general level of responsibility at your place of work or at any of the College's centres

# **Key Relationships**

All posts within the College require a high degree of team working. In particular, the postholder will need to develop and maintain key relationships, including:

Members of the student services hub including student services and study centre staff	
Current and prospective learners and other customers of the college.	
Extended college staff including curriculum, MIS and other support staff.	

## **Generic Responsibilities**

- To represent and promote the College brand values internally and externally; acting as an ambassador for business development on behalf of the College
- Promote the College's student first ethos, ensuring that the student experience is uppermost in policy and decision making
- To actively promote and act, at all times, in accordance with College policies, including, but not limited to: Health and Safety, Equal Opportunities, Prevent and Safeguarding, the Staff Code of Conduct and the College's Financial Regulations
- To actively promote and adhere to agreed College values
- To engage in implementing changes, promoting innovation
- To participate in the College Annual Appraisal Process, contributing to a culture of self-reflection on practice and continuous professional development
- To facilitate the achievement of the College's quality objectives including those from external bodies
- To undertake other reasonable duties commensurate with the level of post

#### **Values**

To role model the College values of: integrity, respect, ambition and pride

#### **Behaviours**

To role model and consistently exhibit: student focus; high expectations and aspirations for all; focused on progression and employment; pride in what we do and our place in the city; collaborative and continually improving.



# **Person Specification**

	Essential	Desirable	How assessed
QUALIFICATIONS	,		
GCSE at levels A – C including Maths and English or Equivalent	<b>✓</b>		AF/Cert
Information, Advice and Guidance (IAG) qualifications at Level 3		✓	AF/Cert
ECDL or equivalent, evidencing a level of general competence in the		✓	AF/Cert
full range of generic office packages			7 , 3 3
KNOWLEDGE AND EXPERIENCE (UP TO DATE/ CURRENT)			
Experience and success in delivering customer focused services	✓		AF/IV
Experience of and competence in using a range of IT systems and	✓		
software on a day-to-day basis			
Experience of prioritising tasks to respond to a range of competing tasks	✓		AF/IV
Experience of dealing with customers on the phone and via email	<b>✓</b>		AF/IV
Experience of dealing with complaints and achieving positive	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	+	AF/IV
outcomes	<b>,</b>		AF/IV
Previous experience of using a range of Microsoft office packages,	✓		AF/IV
databases and email			
Familiarity with Learner Support Fund assessments and processes		✓	AF/IV
Experience of delivering Information and Advice to enquirers		✓	AF/IV
Experience of liaising with teaching staff to deliver the services of the Student Services		✓	AF/IV
Experience of library services		<b>✓</b>	AF/IV
Knowledge of the College's course offer and how to deliver	<b>✓</b>		AF/IV
Information, Advice and Guidance			7 ,
Knowledge of recording and tracking systems	✓		AF/IV
An awareness of the actual and potential use of the College's		✓	AF/IV
website for Information, Advice & Guidance			7 ,
An awareness of the use and impact of social media		✓	AF/IV
Knowledge of key reception services and how and when to refer to		✓	AF/IV
other services			,
SKILLS AND ABILITIES			
Excellent written and verbal communication skills	✓		AF/IV
Ability to engage positively with staff and learners at all levels	✓		AF/IV
Strong team worker	✓		AF/IV
An ability to deliver excellent customer service	✓		AF/IV
A flexible approach and ability to prioritise	✓		AF/IV
Focussed and accurate when processing customer information	✓		AF/IV
A creative, innovative and proactive approach to service delivery	✓		AF/IV
An ability to learn new systems and software quickly and follow	✓		AF/IV
procedures	<b>✓</b>		A = //\ /
Willingness to work additional hours when required to meet demands of job, and on some evenings per week in term-time as necessary.	<b>'</b>		AF/IV
Will need to be available on standby for occasional Saturdays			
Willingness to work at any of the College sites to meet the service	✓		AF/IV
needs.			

# \*Assessment method:

AF = Assessed via application form IV = Assessed via interview