

JOB DESCRIPTION – PRIVATE HOUSE CLEANER

The School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment, therefore the following shall be deemed to be included, in addition to the duties that you may be required to perform:

Promoting and safeguarding the welfare of children and young persons for whom you are responsible and with whom you come into contact.

- 1. You will be employed as a Domestic Cleaner
- 2. You will be directly responsible to your Housekeeper
- 3. Your duties will include, but not be limited to, the following: -
 - Emptying waste bins or similar receptacles; transporting waste material to designated collection points
 - Sweeping floors with brushes and mopping floors with wet or dry mops
 - Suction cleaning carpeted areas and 'spot' cleaning carpets
 - Using electrically powered scrubbing/polishing machines to burnish, scrub, polish and spray clean floors (after receiving proper instruction and training)
 - Dusting, damp-wiping, washing or polishing furniture, ledges, window sills, and external surfaces of cupboards, radiators, shelves and fitments
 - Dusting light shades and fittings
 - Cleaning scuff marks, foot and finger prints from doors and banisters
 - Replenishing consumable items (soap, toilet rolls, paper towels etc.)
 - Cleaning toilets, hand basins, sinks, baths and showers.
 - Using such chemical cleaners as directed by the Housekeeper in the discharge of cleaning operations or maintenance procedures (after receiving proper instruction and training, and in accordance with current COSHH directions)
 - Washing walls or cleaning inside window panes, using approved stepladders where necessary
 - Washing-up duties, as required (subject to suitable training being given)
 - Changing of bed linen as required
 - Washing and ironing of clothing and linen as required
 - All other such duties as the School may reasonably, from time to time, communicate either orally or in writing to you
 - Inform the Housekeeper of any damage or faults you may notice within the House
- 4. Your normal hours will include be 0900hrs 1200hrs Mon-Fri term time only. In addition, 72 hours per year clean down in the boarding house at the end of one term and the start of another.