

CAREER GRADE

Department: Children's Services

Post Title: Play Support Worker

Post No: Generic

CAREER GRADED: Grade D to Grade E:

D	Possession of National 4 qualifications (or equivalent) Plus some experience of working with children. Register with the SSSC as a Support Worker in a day care of children service within 3 months of taking up the post and achieve a qualification suitable for registration without a condition within SSSC timeframe Willingness to undertake qualifications as required by SSSC. Satisfactory performance of all duties under direct supervision of the Manager/Lead Practitioner or Play Practitioner.
E	Possession of a relevant practice qualification to meet the SSSC registration requirements for a Support Worker in a day care of children service or equivalent Plus relevant experience of working with children. Registered with SSSC as a Support Worker in day care of children service without a condition relating to qualifications. Maintain registration throughout employment. Satisfactory performance of all duties in consultation with the Manager/Lead Practitioner.

If performance is not satisfactory, then subject to the right of appeal, the award of an increment may be withheld.

*Link to SSSC information on accepted qualifications: <https://bit.ly/2zY2JDc>

Allowances: Distant Islands Allowance

Evaluated Grade: D-E

Date of Evaluation: 08/12/2020

Category: Learning & School Support

PVG Membership: Children

Disclosure Check: -

Pre-Employment Medical Questionnaire: -

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