**English and Maths qualifications**

**GCSEs (grade 9-4/A-C) or one of the below equivalent qualifications in English and Maths are required for this role**, regardless of any higher qualifications attained in other subjects/fields. You will be required to bring along the original certificates to interview so that a member of the interview panel can verify and take a copy for our records. You therefore may wish to start requesting these documents in advance to avoid delay later on in the process. To find out what certificates are accepted <https://acecerts.co.uk/web/acceptable-evidence/pre> or for guidance on how to attain a “statement of results” <https://www.gov.uk/replacement-exam-certificate>

If you do not have any of the below, unfortunately you are not eligible to apply but please be aware that the government normally provides funding to colleges/training providers to deliver GCSEs or equivalent qualifications free of charge to the learner. To find out more please click on the link: <https://www.gov.uk/improve-english-maths-it-skills>

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| **Title of qualification** | **Grades accepted** |
| CSEs (Certificate of Secondary Education) – | Grade 1 |
| O’levels (Ordinary level of Certificate of Secondary Education or General Certificate of Education) | Grades A-C  Pass |
| GCSEs  (General Certificate of Secondary Education) | Grades A-C/ 9 to 4 |
| Key Skills Level 2 | Pass |
| Functional Skills Level 2  (replaced Key Skills) | Pass |
| A-Level or AS-Level | A-E |
| Essential Skills Wales or Northern Ireland in Essential Application/Communication Skills Level 2 | Pass |
| Scottish Intermediate 2 | Grade A-C |
| Scottish National 5 or Grade 3 Scottish Standard Grade Credit | Grade A-C |
| Level 2 qualification in British Sign Language or a Level 5 SCQF qualification in British Sign Language (where British Sign Language is the apprentice’s primary language) | Pass |