

Job Description		
Title	Department	Post Ref
Cleaning Operative	<b>Environment &amp; Resources</b>	C&FM
Tier 7 Frontline (Grade 1 – SCP 5 to 8)		

#### Job Purpose

To further enhance the cleaning standards on site by cleaning a designated area within the establishment.

### Key Responsibilities

- To work to defined cleaning processes, using allocated chemicals and powered equipment to ensure site building cleaning specification is met.
- To assist in emergency cleans as and when required (e.g. following flooding), returning site to acceptable standard as soon as possible.
- To provide effective and efficient liaison with site representatives in order to deliver excellent standards of customer care.

### **Key Accountabilities**

- To assist in maintaining cleaning standards in line with site requirements.
- To have an understanding of, and commitment to, the County Council's Equal Opportunities Policy.
- This job description indicates the main areas of activity for this post.
  From time to time, however, other tasks/duties may be required but
  these will fall within the general area of responsibility and grade of
  the post. Any changes of a permanent nature will, following
  consultation with the employee, be included in the job description in
  specific terms and re-issued to you.

The post holder will perform any duty or task that is appropriate for the role described.

## Person Specification

# **Education and Knowledge**

- Basic literacy and numeracy.
- Knowledge or understanding of basic cleaning techniques.

## Experience

- Previous contract cleaning experience desirable but not essential as full training will be given.
- Experience in use of cleaning equipment, including floor maintenance machines and industrial vacuum cleaners is desirable.

### Personal Skills and General Competencies

- Ability to understand customer needs and puts into practice the Council's commitment to excellent customer care.
- Works well with colleagues but also able to work on their own initiative.
- Has a friendly and helpful disposition, with the ability to communicate at all levels and stay calm under pressure.
- Flexible approach with a willingness to work outside normal hours when required.
- Willingness to undertake training up to NVQ level one or equivalent.
- Shares the Council's commitment to providing a safe environment for customers and staff and also treating all with respect and consideration.

### Role Dimensions

- Responsible for maintaining cleaning standards within designated area.
- Direct reports none.
- Financial responsibility none.