## **Independent Fossil Walk Guide**

## Person Specification:

Essential Criteria	Desirable Criteria
Qualifications:	
BSc. Earth Sciences, Geology, Biology or Geography or equivalent experience.	Postgraduate degree or qualification in palaeontology, geology. PGCE or other teaching qualification. Qualifications in outdoor education, guiding, eco tourism or similar.
First Aid	
Knowledge and Experience:	
Experience of teaching and leading guided walks.	Minimum 2 years' experience of leading groups in a similar role.  Experience of working in museum, heritage, education or outdoor learning setting.
Experience and enthusiasm for fossils and geology.	A good knowledge of West Dorset Geology, the history of Lyme Regis, fossils and the Jurassic Coast.
Enthusiasm for and knowledge of Mary Anning	
Ability and interest in finding and identify fossils in the field.	
Skills and Aptitude	
Excellent Communication skills and ability to build rapport.	
High level of customer service skills.	
Organised, methodical and reliable	
Good IT skills and experience of using Microsoft packages such as outlook and 365.	Driving License