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Statement of Duties	
Duties	<ul> <li>1. Assisting teachers with school-based tasks, including:</li> <li>display set-up</li> <li>resource preparation</li> <li>book covering.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>2. Supporting literacy and numeracy activities, including:</li> <li>one-on-one reading sessions</li> <li>group reading</li> <li>mathematics activities.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>3. Assisting in a wide range of day-to-day school activities, such as:</li> <li>photocopying</li> <li>processing library books</li> <li>general classroom activities</li> <li>editing school magazine</li> <li>typing children's stories</li> <li>chart making</li> <li>laminating.</li> </ul>
	4. Other duties as directed.

Selection Criteria		
Commitment to Catholic education	An understanding of and respect for the school values of St Mary's Primary School, Sale	
Child safety	<ul> <li>The volunteer must:</li> <li>have experience of working with children</li> <li>demonstrate an understanding of appropriate behaviours when engaging with children</li> <li>be a suitable person to engage in child-connected work</li> <li>hold or be willing to acquire a Working with Children Check card and must be willing to undergo a National Police Record Check.</li> </ul>	
Skills/attributes	<ul> <li>Ability to work as part of a team</li> <li>Good oral and written communication skills, including ability to communicate with children, parents and the school community</li> </ul>	

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	Ability and willingness to accept policy directives
	• Maturity