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PEN PORTRAIT

Specialist Leader of Education

Name of SLE : Elizabeth Gallagher

School Name : Our Ladys RC High School

SLE Specialism(s) : Pupil Premium; Closing the Gap; Raising Standards; Raising Standards in History; Assessment and feedback.

Teaching School Alliance

Area(s) of Expertise

I have experience of leading a successful history department whose results were consistently in the top ten percentile nationally and have supported leadership in many different subject areas including Technology; RE; Geography; MFL and Performing Arts.

I have led successful whole school initiatives including improving pupil attitudes to learning; ensuring consistency of quality feedback; consistency in the quality of homework; raising standards at KS3.

Current Leadership Responsibilities

I currently hold the post of Assistant Headteacher. I am currently responsible for raising standards at KS3. To ensure pupil progress I have implemented a new assessment system and ensure personalised interventions are put in place regularly for pupils. I try to promote smooth transition between KS3-4 (between Y8-9) and lead a team of coordinators who are responsible for the progress of pupil premium pupils. I also look at ways in which we can build pupils cultural capital at KS3 to promote independent learners with a thirst for knowledge.