

PEN PORTRAIT

Specialist Leader of Education

Name of SLE: Heather Daly

School Name: St Joseph and ST Bede RC Primary School

SLE Specialism(s) English | Key Stage Leadership | Curriculum Development

Teaching School Alliance: Heart TSA

Area(s) of Expertise

Heather has been teaching for 9 years and has led core subjects including Maths and English during this time. She is a previous SENDco and is trained in the 2014 Code of Practice. She is a writing moderator for Bury LEA and has been supporting schools across Bury with the moderation process since 2017. Heather has been a member of the Senior Leadership Team in her current setting since 2014, where she has been dedicated to driving standards forward, particularly in writing, reading, maths and best classroom practice. She had led various groups dedicated to improving English standards within her local cluster of schools and has worked closely with numerous schools to analyse their current provision within Key Stage 2 and whole school, to drive school improvement. She has been Assistant Head for 4 years (Head of Key Stage 2) with responsibilities for whole school worship, positive behaviour management, staffing, data analysis and pupil progress across the key stage and wider school. Her previous teaching experience is in Year 5 and a long-term placement in Year 6. She is currently teaching in Year 4. Heather has a passion for curriculum design and has supported staff with creating and exciting, relevant and creative curriculum in her current setting. She has collaborated with other teachers and leaders in her local authority to plan and deliver units of work for year 6 teachers, to support the use of high-quality texts to improve writing.

Current Leadership Responsibilities

- Assistant Head Teacher
- Head of Key Stage 2
- Assessment Coordinator
- Maths Subject Lead
- Writing Moderator for Bury LEA
- Curriculum overview and delivery



