



Specialist Leader of Education (SLE) pen portrait

Charlotte Foden – Deputy Headteacher at Northcote Primary School, Liverpool

Specialist areas:

- Mathematics
- Assessment
- Curriculum design
- Leadership of Continuing Professional Development CPD
- Leadership of Initial Teacher Training (ITT)



Charlotte's work experience:

Charlotte is part of the school's leadership team and teaches maths in years 5 and 6. Charlotte has experience of teaching in KS1 and KS2 but the majority of her teaching career has been spent teaching in year 6. Charlotte leads whole school mathematics and as well as being foundation curriculum lead. In addition to this Charlotte works with other deputy headteacher to lead whole school assessment.

Charlotte undertakes other roles and responsibilities that include:

- lead for curriculum learning and teaching;
- lead for identified staff performance management/appraisal;
- lead for planning, leading and monitoring school improvement.

Charlotte has significant experience within and across teaching and leadership of Key Stage 2 and was appointed as a Specialist Leader of Education (SLE) through the National College for Teaching and Leadership (NCTL) in February 2018. Charlotte has provided support in a number of schools to raise standards in teaching and learning, to secure teachers use of assessment to track and support pupil progress; to design an effective and engaging curriculum.

Charlotte's experience as maths lead has led to maths results in her school being consistently in the top 15% of schools nationally for both attainment and progress. Charlotte is passionate about mentoring and coaching and is highly motivated to ensure that children and families are given the best possible support to allow them to achieve in their primary education.