

Class Teacher - Miss Wagstaff

After obtaining a First Class degree in Estate Management and working for a rural estate agency for a couple of years, I decided to follow my passion and retrain to become a teacher. Since 2011 I have been part of the Cledford team, teaching across the school in both key stages but primarily in key stage 2, which I thoroughly enjoy.

Of course, my main role and responsibility is towards ensuring that all children in my class achieve their potential in a happy, supportive environment. One of my main interests, both professionally and personally, is English literature and I feel lucky to be part of the English team at Cledford, supporting colleagues as we work together to continue to raise standards in reading and writing.

In 2014 I completed my 'National Award for Special Educational Needs Coordination' and I enjoyed the challenging role of SENDCO for four years when I worked hard to ensure that, as a school, we provided the best experiences for our SEND learners. Meeting the needs of all children remains firmly at the core of my teaching philosophy.

Outside of school I enjoy long walks and visiting new places in the UK and further afield. When I'm cosy at home, I agree wholeheartedly with Jane Austen when she said, "I declare after all there is no enjoyment like reading!"