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ROB

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SPECIALIST LEADER of EDUCATION in ENGLISH, BEHAVIOUR AND PSHE



Rob has been an SLE in Leicestershire since 2014. His specialist areas are English, Behaviour, and PSHE, although he would now call that Preparation for Adulthood.

Rob came late to teaching. He began his teaching career in 2001 as a teacher of English in a large secondary comprehensive in Rotherham. By 2002 he was a Lead English teacher for the authority, providing teaching and learning support to other schools in the authority.

He is now Assistant Head Teacher at Maplewell Hall School, a school for students with moderate learning difficulties, a position he took up in 2014.

In 2015, Rob was commissioned by Leicestershire Education Excellence Partnership (LEEP), to write a Behaviour Management Programme based on the innovative work he had been doing in his own setting. This behaviour management package is now known as EDR and Rob has delivered EDR training to Early Years, Primary, Secondary and Special schools across Leicestershire.

Rob's success as a behaviour specialist is largely down to his belief that high quality teaching is the main driver for positive behaviour in schools; positive behaviours can and should be explicitly taught; and that good relationships and communication are key to resolving challenging situations.

Rob makes an explicit link between Preparation for Adulthood (PSHE), behaviour, and student outcomes; he is currently working on an assessment tool to help schools ensure their students are not just academically qualified to enter the worlds of Further or Higher Education, or Employment, but are also socially and emotionally ready to enter those worlds.



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