Sophie Parkinson



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Professional Summary & Skills

Enthusiastic, self-motivated teacher bringing over five years' experience in education, dedicated to student success. Education professional pursuing a Doctor of Education (EdD) focused on relational education approaches from Bishop Grosseteste University.

- Attention to detail
- Academic report writing
- Online learning software proficient
- Curriculum planning
- Student-centred learning

Work Experience

Class Teacher • St Faith & St Martin Ce Junior School • Sept 2015 - Present Creating a positive classroom environment that encourages children to express their opinions. Improving pupil confidence and happiness through nurturing support and care. Building engaging lesson plans and resources integrating creative learning strategies, such as games and quizzes, to increase engagement. Setting and marking assessments in line with curriculum requirements to challenge and engage students.

Project & Office Assistant • Deltasimons Environmental Consultants Ltd • July 2010 – Aug 2014 Tracked and communicated project status, timelines, budgets, and action items. Organised meetings with department executives to review project status. Collaborated with cross-functional teams to organise project schedules and plans. Trained and mentored junior team members. Served as single point of contact for project scheduling and changes. Reduced costs by using site resources and subcontractors effectively. Built relations with subcontractors and suppliers to optimise cost savings and ensure timely completion.

Education & Certificates

Doctor of Education • 2020 - Present • Bishop Grosseteste University Researching attitudes towards relational approaches in education.

MA In Education • July 2020 • Bishop Grosseteste University Graduated with Distinction

Postgraduate Certificate Of Education With QTS (Primary 7-11) • July 2015 • Bishop Grosseteste University

BSc Forensic Science (Hons) • July 2010 • University of Lincoln Graduated with 2:1

Animal Assisted Therapy Diploma Centre of Excellence Issued December 2021 - Distinction

Educational Psychology Diploma Centre of Excellence Issued October 2021 - Distinction

Advanced Autism Awareness Diploma Centre of Excellence Issued Jun 2021 - Distinction

ADHD Awareness Centre of Excellence Issued Feb 2021 - Distinction