

Salop Teaching School Alliance

ASSOCIATE TEACHER PROFILE

Name	Ben Underwood
Main Subject Area	English

QUALIFICATIONS

<p>9 GCSE's at Grade C or above including English and Maths 1 AS Level 3 A Levels including English Master's by research degree in English.</p>
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Title of First degree	Classification
English	First

Please indicate whether you hold any other awards / qualifications (including postgraduate academic) e.g. NVQ, Governing Body / Coaching Awards, Health and Safety, First Aid etc.

Date of Award		Award level	Subject	Grade/Result
Month	Year			
July	2019		English Subject Knowledge Enhancement	Pass

School-Based Learning Placements

Name of Employment / Voluntary Establishment	Description of Experience	Date of Experience
Belvidere School	During this school-based learning experience, I showed signs of improvement in classroom practice. Initially there was an emphasis on advice for improvement and towards the end of this practice, there was a change in emphasis as the mentors began to coach me towards developing my own teaching style.	1/10/19 – 5/2/20

Other Placements and/or employment in schools

Placement Name and Postcode	Key Stage / Age Phase	Date of Experience

STRENGTHS WITHIN MAIN SUBJECT AREA

Personal Strengths	Teaching Strengths
Organised, enthusiastic for my subject, determined to help everyone achieve the grade they most desire and develop all necessary skills to help them in life. Despite all of the ups	Innovative ideas, professional yet relatable, understanding and caring, advocate for and use many constructivist pedagogical approaches to teaching including the importance of

and downs I have faced in life, teaching is the one thing I am certain I can do. I am passionate and eager to start this career as I want to get into the classroom and start teaching.

implementing models and scaffolds into lessons and the promotion of creativity.

MY PERSONAL SKILLS AND QUALITIES

I have always excelled academically in English. It's what I am most passionate about in life. I love to read, to write and to use my creative and divergent mindset. I want to pass on and influence any young people who love English to continue with their studies and follow their dreams like I have done.

MY OTHER INTERESTS AND HOBBIES

I love English, especially reading. I read a lot as a child as I was able to use my imagination enter into a different world and explore the unknown.

I love walking my dog.

I love watching films and going to the theatre to watch plays.

I love exploring new and interesting places.