Claire Harrison-Hoggarth

Claire Harrison-Hoggarth, our Local Leader in SEND, is the Deputy Headteacher and qualified SENCO at Woodlawn School, an all age special school within North Tyneside.

She has taught in both mainstream and special schools for over 20 years and has a passion for SEND and all pastoral areas as a designated lead for safeguarding and teacher for children who are looked after.

Claire has extensive experience in coaching and mentoring for Early Career Teachers and Initial Teacher Training, as well as an expert tutor and facilitator on national programmes.

She is passionate about Governance and is a co-opted Chair of Governors of a local first school.

Her drive to support colleagues to improve quality first teaching comes from her recognition that every child is a unique individual with different needs. She can use her expertise to remove barriers to learning and to apply integrated therapies.



