





Rachel Hudson - Reception Teacher & YWTT Tutor/Mentor

I am the Reception Teacher at Hunsley Primary and I started my role when the school first opened in 2015. I applied to join the Hunsley Primary team as working in a new school seemed an exciting and rare opportunity. Knowing that the school would be linked with South Hunsley Secondary School and the Education Alliance Trust, I was sure that I would be part of a growing team in which I would be able to develop my skills as a teacher and be open to many opportunities.

Since starting at Hunsley Primary I have felt fully involved in the growth of the school. Being part of a new school has meant that I have had a lot of support since being an NQT and I have been able to put my ideas across and implement them too. Being part of a small team has meant that we have developed the school together and the Trust is always wanting to help support our school and support our role as Teachers too, so that we can be the best that we can possibly be. I have had many training opportunities including visiting Early Excellence, attending a course with Alistair Bryce-Clegg and working and learning from other schools within our trust, cluster and in other areas of Hull too. This has meant that I have continued to develop my skills and knowledge of the Early Years Foundation Stage which was graded as 'Outstanding' by Ofsted in 2018.

Since September 2019 I have been given the opportunity to work as part of the team at Yorkshire Wolds Teacher Training, tutoring and mentoring both primary and secondary teacher trainees. I am also currently beginning to develop my role as the Phonics Lead for Hunsley Primary.

I feel like a valued member of Hunsley Primary and the Education Alliance and working here has developed my love for teaching even more. The trust offers a range of opportunities to develop and grow and I am very much looking forward to my future here at Hunsley Primary, Yorkshire Wolds Teacher Training and the Education Alliance Trust.