



**Cledford
Primary School**
a brighter future together

Class Teacher - Mrs Emma Phillipson

My path into teaching began when I studied for a degree in 'Psychology in Education' at Lancaster University. I graduated in 2010 and began my PGCE at Manchester Metropolitan University, following which I taught at two schools in Stoke-on-Trent. In 2014 I took up my teaching post at Cledford.

Having attended Cledford Primary School myself as a child, it holds a very special place in my heart and I was very excited to be teaching where my own journey began. As English subject leader, my biggest aim is to instil a love of reading and writing in all children and ensure that every child leaves Cledford Primary School with the skills needed to achieve their own dreams.

Outside of school, I love spending precious moments with my family: finding new places to explore and watching my little girl and baby boy begin to make their own mark on the world.

"So Matilda's strong young mind continued to grow, nurtured by the voices of all those authors who had sent their books out into the world like ships on the sea. These books gave Matilda a hopeful and comforting message: You are not alone." - Roald Dahl, Matilda