



**Cledford
Primary School**
a brighter future together

Federation Head Teacher - Mrs Booth

A little bit about me!

I have been teaching since 1984, beginning my career in Wythenshawe. I achieved the National Professional Qualification for Headship (NPQH) in 2005, and have been a headteacher for 12 years.

I am an English graduate and a reading specialist and am keen to ensure that every child becomes an effective reader as quickly as possible when they join Cledford Primary School. I know my own life would be much duller without a love of literature!

I have introduced 'character education', 'growth mind-set' and 'SUMO' to the Cledford Primary School curriculum because I think emotional intelligence is just as important as skills development and academic success.

I am a keen sports woman and a runner. I believe in the value of exercise and the outdoors for learning and well-being. I own a 16h chestnut thoroughbred horse and an enthusiastic labrador who is a trained therapy dog; together they help keep me energised and happy with life!