



Amdana i About Me

My name is Emily Carroll however I prefer to be called Ellie. I am a 21 year old aspiring Religious Education teacher from Ystradgynlais. I grew up within a Catholic family but I would consider myself agnostic. I love learning about every other religions and cultures as Religious Studies is one of my biggest passions. I also enjoy travelling to experience other religions, particularly Turkey.

Y math o athro hoffaf bod The kind of teacher I aspire to be

I aspire to be the exciting teacher that has every pupil engaged and learning. I hope to be the appropriate scaffold to ensure pupils achieve to the best of their ability. Alongside professional teaching qualities, I wish to be the teacher that pupils can confide in and express themselves. Lastly, I hope to inspire pupils and change the mindset of individuals, allowing them to love the subject of RE.

Profiad addysgu blaenorol Previous teaching experiences

- One week at a primary school in Brecon.
- One week as an assistant at primary school in Abercrave.
- 100 hours of voluntary work at the Religious Education department of Ysgol Maesydderwen.

Cefndir academaidd Academic history

- Penycae Primary school.
- Ysgol Maesydderwen comprehensive school.
- 3 A levels in Religious Studies, Media Studies and Welsh Bacc.
- 2:1 degree in Religious Studies at the university of South Wales.

Rhesymau dros ddewis addysgu fel proffesiwn Reasons for entering the teaching profession

From work experience, one of the best feelings is to observe the progress that each child makes whilst watching them turn from a child to a multi-skilled young adult ready for the 'big' world. Alongside this, the subject of RE has always been a big passion for myself and I would therefore love to share my passion with pupils and hopefully allow them to also find a passion for the same subject. Through this, I would like to be a positive influence on the lives of young pupils and inspire future generations to work towards specific careers. Lastly, I am excited to discover what I will be like as a teacher and I can only wish that I will meet my aspirations.

Meysydd / pynciau medraf eu haddysgu Areas / subjects I could teach

Preferred subject is Religious Studies, however to coincide with the new curriculum I enjoy other humanities subjects. For my GCSE options I chose to study Geography and History and obtained B grades in both.