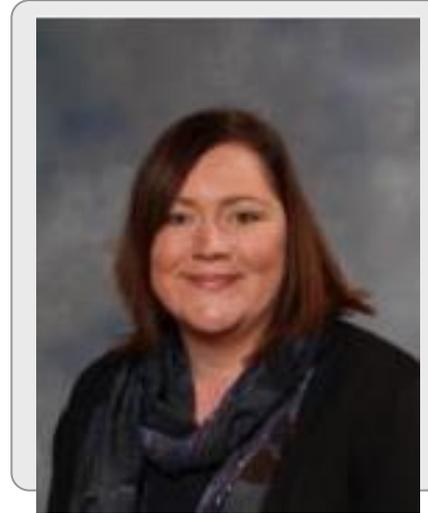




Jayne Baxter, Foundation Stage Manager
Allenton Community Primary School

- Experienced Foundation Stage lead (8 years)
- Foundation Stage judged as Outstanding (2013)
- Strengths in objective led planning, enabling environments and planning in the moment.
- Experienced coach and mentor



I have a passion for the Early Years, I believe they are the most critical years for children. Providing an environment that enables the children to be independent, focussing on skills and planning in the moment enables children to reach their full potential. I am a reflective practitioner who is continuously looking at ways to improve learning for children and keep up to date with current research and practices, which I then implement into my own setting.

Jayne is a reflective teacher who always strives for her children to reach their full potential.

Jayne has been a teacher for 15 years, majority of her teaching career being in Foundation Stage and the past 8 years as Foundation Stage manager at Allenton Community Primary School.

Jayne is an outstanding teacher with skills necessary to improve teachers and leaders alike. She uses coaching skills to develop others and instils in them the drive and passion that she has to see children develop and fulfil their true potential.

Jayne has introduced many current practises into her provision by Early Years from well known EYFS advocates, these include objective led planning, enabling environments, linked provision and planning in the moment. Alongside this Jayne understands the importance of the Early Years of education and the wider impact the skills and knowledge given to the children can have on improving end of school outcomes by Year 6. She has introduced initiatives that have impacted upon whole school improvement and is passionate about ensuring smooth transitions from EYFS into year 1 and beyond. Whole school initiatives all start in FS and it is due to Jayne's skills that these are tailored to the Early Years environment and to individual pupils.

Jayne has worked with the whole school to use teaching styles from Foundation Stage to support the children to be independent and focus on the skills instead of the outcome.

