



The Mead Trust

*Shaping Inspirational  
Learning*



**MEET**

**AMANDA**

**GRADUATE TEACHER 2020-21**

The School Direct programme totally immerses you into the world of teaching. Right from the start you are treated as part of the teaching team and are valued as such.

As 'Graduate Teachers' you will be welcomed to weekly training, planning and staff meetings. There are so many opportunities to learn through professional dialogue with teachers and senior leaders across the Trust.

The course is intensive to say the least, but you will get through it and, I feel, you will be prepared for the next stage of your career. You will be fully supported along the way by your mentor and will benefit from their teaching experience as well as reflecting on your teaching practice together.

The Teaching School is right behind you too and is always available to guide you through the whole experience. The training you receive from The Mead is particularly robust and manages to get the balance just right between theory and practical application. I now feel equipped with strategies which I know will give me confidence when I have my own class.

*Amanda*

There are places available on our School Direct programme starting September 2021. Find out more at [www.themeadteachingschool.org.uk/teacher-training](http://www.themeadteachingschool.org.uk/teacher-training)