

Meet the Support Staff

A little about me.

My name is Miss McLaughlin and I have worked as a Classroom Assistant within NLC for 20 years. I was redeployed to Gartcosh Primary School and started in January 2017 and I have to say it was an excellent choice.

What is important to me outside of school? Family gatherings with my partner, 2 children, 2 grandchildren and friends, I also like going for long walks, cycling and visiting hot beautiful countries.



What's Important to me in school...

The most important things to me within the school are that I assist and support all teachers and children in all aspects of the curriculum, getting it right for every child with encouragement and help where and when required.

When encountering behaviour challenges I strive knowing that I am there to support individuals, small groups and whole classes.

I love working with all the teachers and children and love to see the children grow and reach their goals and potential. I feel rewarded to be a part of this.

Gartcosh Primary is a kind and friendly environment maintaining a positive ethos within our school.

We are a fantastic support team who work well together as everyone brings their own unique strengths.

What my day may look like...

My morning starts at 8.15am with Breakfast Club. It has been a pleasure getting to know all the new P1's and seeing them getting to know the other primary children.

When the bell rings at 9am I am in class assisting the respective teacher and children/child with their designated tasks.

At 10.15am until 10.50am I help supervise two separate playground covers, infants first and seniors next ensuring the children have a point of contact at each one.

Lunch duty starts at 11.45am and the chaos begins and ends at 1pm.



After lunch I am back assisting in my designated class and I love my job, it's a pleasure getting to know each of their individual personalities.

A Friday playtime is the best of the week as we take music out into the playground and dance around and have fun.

Where you can find me in school....

You will find me all around the school either in the building, dinner school or in the playground.

If you need to get in touch with me

1. Call the school (01236 794892)
2. Email enquiries-at-gartcosh@northlan.org.uk

