



## Steve Bardon - Member Profile

Previous Headteacher at Ryecroft Middle School in Uttoxeter. Fundamental beliefs and educational philosophy include

Sustain wide, current knowledge and understanding of education and school systems locally, nationally and globally, and pursue continuous professional development. Work with political and financial astuteness, within a clear set of principles centred on the school's vision, ably translating local and national policy into the school's context.

Secure excellent teaching through an analytical understanding of how pupils learn and of the core features of successful classroom practice and curriculum design, leading to rich curriculum opportunities and pupils' well-being.

Ensure that the school's systems, organisation and processes are well considered, efficient and fit for purpose, upholding the principles of transparency, integrity and probity.

Provide a safe, calm and well-ordered environment for all pupils and staff, focused on safeguarding pupils and developing their exemplary behaviour in school and in the wider society.

Exercise strategic, curriculum-led financial planning to ensure the equitable deployment of budgets and resources, in the best interests of pupils' achievements and the school's sustainability.

Develop effective relationships with fellow professionals and colleagues in other public services to improve academic and social outcomes for all pupils.

Inspire and influence others - within and beyond schools - to believe in the fundamental importance of education in young people's lives and to promote the value of education