

Personal information:

Name	Bruce Glendinning	Main Subject	Physical Education	Secondary Subject	Science
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My academic qualifications:

School/College	University
Ullswater Community College , Cumbria (2014 - 2016) <u>GCSE</u> : Physical Education (A), Maths (C), English (C), Geography (C), French (C), Resistant Materials (C)	Leeds Beckett University (2018 - 2021) <u>BA (Hons)</u> : Sports Coaching (2:1)
Carlisle College , Cumbria (2016 - 2018) <u>BTEC</u> : Level 3 Diploma in Sport (Dist, Merit, Merit)	North East Partnership SCITT (2022 - 2023) <u>PGCE and QTS</u> : Secondary Physical Education (pending)

The experience I have had in schools:

PGCE Placements	Ponteland High School , Northumberland (September - December 2022) Kenton Secondary School , Newcastle (January - June 2023)
Undergraduate Placements	Pro coach Yorkshire (2018-2019) Cricket coach for ages 7-18 years Ceylon Cricket academy (2018-2019) Cricket coach for ages 9-16 years H28 cricket academy (2017 - present) Assistant head coach, cricket coach for ages 5-18 years Durham Academy Cricket (2017 - 2018) Academy cricket coach for ages 16-18 years Newcastle Falcons Rugby Academy (2016 - 2017) Coaching assistant for ages 15-17 years
Other Placements / Employment	Sedbergh School , Cumbria (2021 - present) Cricket coach for ages 10-16 years Bolton Primary School , Bolton (2021 - 2022) Delivering PE lessons and coaching sports ages 4-11 years

The strengths I have within my teaching:

Sporting Strengths	NGB/Other Coaching Awards	Teaching Strengths
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Strong subject knowledge and experience of team sports which has helped with my TGfU style approach. Represented county, university and 1st team Club in rugby Represented County Cricket as well as playing 1st team cricket in the Northern Premier League All round sportsman with experience in a range of invasion games and other sports Keen participant in daily fitness activities (running, road biking, swimming etc.) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ECB Level 2 Cricket Coaching for young persons and adults British gymnastics Level 1 and 2 award for trampolining Fully qualified life guard and first aider Youth Mental Health and First Aid Introduction to Teaching Handball Kinball Level 1 Ultimate Frisbee Level 1 FA Secondary Teachers' award Youth Sports Trust Inclusion in PE workshop 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Strong subject knowledge in a variety of different sports including rugby, cricket, badminton, trampolining, handball and fitness. Passionate about creating an inclusive environment, delivering and planning engaging, highly active and challenging learning opportunities to maximise progress and participation. Experience of teaching GCSE and BTEC PE. Using feedback and assessment to shape current and future lessons Energetic, enthusiastic and can-do attitude that positively influences students

My personal skills and qualities:

I have strong communication skills and excel within a team environment. I have the ability to develop strong relationships, this helps me to build stronger connections with staff and pupils with whom I have worked. I firmly believe that developing strong relationships for learning is the foundation for excellent teaching. I have a broad range of experience in both primary and secondary schools, as well as working in both independent and state sector. I value the importance of providing young people with opportunities to remain active and healthy long after leaving school and as such am committed to extra curricular activities. I am driven to ensuring pupils are able to make progress within my lessons, looking to stretch and challenge all abilities.

My other interests and hobbies:

My other hobbies include playing both rugby and cricket, however more recently I have taken a fondness to running and road biking. During summer and winter holidays I enjoy coaching elite and aspiring cricketers looking to encourage them towards their next stage. Spending time back in the lakes (where I am from), I am often hiking, camping and looking for a good place to get a 'flat white'! During my gap in education I trained as a Barista and this is something I still thoroughly enjoy.

Preferred location:

North East England