

GTS: SLT

Mr Bloodworth: Headteacher



Welcome to GTS, I am Mr Bloodworth, your very proud Headteacher. Greeting our new pupils is my favourite part of each year and getting to know you and your families. Watching you grow and develop into young adults is always a privilege. Your five years at GTS will pass quicker than you realise, my aim is to provide you with the best journey possible so when you leave us in year 11 you are fully prepared for the next stage of your life.

I really hope you make the most of the opportunities available at GTS and that you will leave with fond memories and a wealth of experiences.

I am passionate about rugby and still aspire to play for England, sadly the phone has been oddly silent for many years. When not in school I enjoy time with my family, dogs and going surfing.

Ms Royse: Deputy Headteacher



Hello and welcome to GTS!

My role at the school is deputy head teacher. My main responsibilities are the curriculum - everything that you are taught, GCSE options - in year 9 and I'm your careers leader which means I make certain that you are all aware of what jobs, post 16 courses and opportunities are available to you when you leave GTS.

I also teach science and PSHE and I may be lucky enough to teach some of you next year. Come and say hello it would be great to meet you.

Mr Stanier: Assistant Headteacher



Mr Stanier teaches mostly History but sometimes French too. He loves playing chess and runs a chess club every week. He has worked at GTS for many, many years. His main job in school is making sure that all lessons are of the best quality they can be.

Mrs Whiterod: Assistant Headteacher



Hello Everyone

Some of you may have met me before, I am Mrs Whiterod. I am the INCO at GTS (Inco stands for Individual Needs Coordinator). I am the SENCO and Transition Lead. An important part of my job is making sure you all have a smooth transition to GTS, working alongside you, your primary schools, your parents/ carers and your new staff.

When I'm not in school I enjoy spending time with my family and two (crazy) rescue dogs.

Mr Buss: Head of Operations



Mr Buss has worked at GTS for over sixteen years, following a move to Devon from the ICT sector in London. He is a non-teaching member of the Senior Leadership Team and has a wide range of responsibilities including site staff, ICT team, Data Protection Officer, External Trips and Visits Coordinator, School contracts, Staff absence and First Aid. He also helps write the timetable with the Deputy Headteacher! Out of school he is a true 'petrol head', being an avid follower of Formula 1 and owning / maintaining a classic American car.