

Personal information:					
Name	Caitlin McVeigh	Main Subject	Physical Education	Secondary Subject	Science
My academic qualifications:					
School/College			University		
St Thomas More Catholic High School , North Shields (2011 - 2018) GCSE: English lang (4) English lit (4) Maths (4) Science (4) PE (4) BTEC Level 3: National Extended Certificate in Sport (Merit), Cambridge Technical Diploma in Health and Social Care (Distinction, Distinction)			Northumbria University (2020 - 2023) <u>BSc (Hons):</u> Sports Coaching (First Class) North East Partnership SCITT (2023 - 2024) <u>PGCE and QTS:</u> Secondary Physical Education (pending)		
The experience I have had in schools:					
PGCE Placements	Wellfield Middle School , Whitley Bay, (October - December 2023) George Stephenson High School , Newcastle upon Tyne (February - June 2024)				
Undergraduate Placements					
Other Placements / Employment	Access Coaching , Tyne and Wear, (2020-2023) Monkseaton Middle School (2022), Wellfield Primary School (2022), Southridge Primary School (2022), Redesdale Primary School (2022), St Mary's Primary School (2022), Riverside First School (2022), Langley Primary School (2022), St Columbus Primary School (2022), Backworth Primary School (2022), New York Primary School (2022).				
The strengths I have within my teaching:					
Sporting Strengths		NGB/Other Coaching Awards		Teaching Strengths	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> County level rugby union (Northumberland) and local club first team (Rockcliff ladies 1st team). Represented high school in netball, rounders, rugby, trampolining competitions. Seatonians netball team member for 6 years Participated in International netball tournament in Paris (2018) and trained alongside world athletes. Highly competent skier regularly skiing with family and school. Experience in tennis, badminton, gymnastics, dance, trampolining and swimming. All round sportswoman 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> British Gymnastics Level 1 and 2 Teachers Trampoline Award Level 1 Kinball Introduction to Teaching Handball Award ECB Secondary Teacher's Chance to Shine FA Secondary Teacher's Award Level 1 Ultimate Frisbee First Aid at Work Youth Mental Health First Aid Safeguarding Level 2 Rugby Coaching Award 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Strong curriculum knowledge across a wide range of sports. Ability to form strong professional relationships with students and staff by using effective communication (both verbal and non-verbal) High expectations and consistency of approach Ability to use questioning and formative assessment strategies to check for student understanding and progress. Ability to change and adapt lessons to meet the needs of all students to ensure they are challenged but also supported. High levels of organisational skills which supports ability to adapt to meet the needs of all students in the learning. 	
My personal skills and qualities:					
<p>I am a friendly and confident person, which enables me to develop solid professional relationships with students and staff alike. I am highly organised and I am always keen to set high expectations for myself and students; keen to lead by example and also in being a positive role model for all students not just those in my class. I take pride in my ability to change and adapt lessons so all students are able to achieve and be challenged. I regularly reflect on my teaching and seek feedback from peers and teachers on which I then apply to future lessons to enhance the impact of my teaching on student progress.</p>					
My other interests and hobbies:					
<p>I volunteer as a coach for an U16 girls rugby team and have responsibility for designing training sessions and supporting athletes' development. I enjoy walking my dogs and I am a regular gym goer. I also participate in rugby training 3 times a week as well as playing matches at the weekend. I love to challenge myself by learning new skills and have recently started crocheting when I have spare time. When I am not playing sports or volunteering, I like to spend time with family and friends.</p>					
Preferred location:		North East			