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I have been a teacher for 18 years and have worked in a variety of settings; mainstream, special school as an MSI Teacher and am currently teaching in a designated specialist provision as the SEND Lead teacher, supporting colleagues in the DSP and mainstream. I have a passion for seeing pupils with additional needs grow and learn to their full potential using my knowledge of Total Communication Skills, Sensory Diets and flexibility in different approaches to teaching.

I deliver training to colleagues, parents and carers and enjoy seeing the 'light bulb' moments when they see that they can make a change for pupils with additional needs and utilise new strategies to support them