

# Specialist Leader of Education (SLE) Profile



## Ruth Wootton

Assistant Headteacher (Teaching and Learning and Inclusion)  
Teacher of French and Italian / Designated Safeguarding Lead  
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### About me

I have been teaching French and Italian since 2002, starting out in the London Borough of Havering and now currently working at the Anglo European School, where I have been since 2009. I am Assistant Headteacher, with an overview of Teaching and Learning and Inclusion. I am a Specialist Assessor for Access Arrangements. Additionally, I am the school's Designated Safeguarding Lead.

I have developed my practice to become an outstanding teacher of MFL and have successfully mentored a number of trainees and newly qualified teachers. I have experience of working with pupils across a wide range of abilities, from native speakers who read, write and speak fluently in the TL to those who are not naturally at ease with language learning.

### Designated Specialist Areas of Expertise

- MFL (Italian, French)
- Mentoring & Coaching
- Support for most able pupils

### Other Areas of Expertise

- SEN and Access Arrangements
- Sixth Form curriculum
- UCAS and progression
- Safeguarding

### Training Recently Attended

- Effective support for children and families in Essex
- Essex Designated Safeguarding Lead training
- Edexcel New GCSE and A level for MFL
- Delivering outstanding MFL lessons
- SEND briefing
- Access Arrangements

Should you wish to discuss a potential SLE deployment, please email [tward@billericayschool.com](mailto:tward@billericayschool.com)