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Yangon, Myanmar
British

Professional Development

August 2026 – Current
NPQ for SENCOs
Best Practice Network

19 Oct 2022 - 11 Jan 2023
Certificate in Arts Award Practitioner and Center

19 Oct 2025 - 11 Nov 2025
Addressing Violence and Abuse in Schools

Education

Sep 2019 – Aug 2018
PGCE Secondary Art with QTS
University of the West of England

Sep 2016– Jun 2017
BA (Hons) Contemporary Art – 2:1
University of Reading, UK

Sep 2013 – Jul 2016
A Level Fine Art, Classical Civilisation & English Literature
Loreto College, UK
2005-2012

Expertise

- Strategic Creative & Expressive Arts leadership
- Curriculum design & development (EYFS–A Level / GCSE / IGCSE)
- Assessment, standards & curriculum progression
- Department development & quality assurance
- Staff coaching, CPD & professional development
- Budget, resources & operational management
- Exhibition curation, competitions & arts enrichment
- Cross-curricular Art, Drama, Music & STEAM collaboration
- SEND, EAL & inclusive practice
- HPL & high-expectation teaching
- Safeguarding & student wellbeing
- Community & external arts engagement

Maisie Victoria May Draper

Arts Curriculam & Creative Leader
QTS Art& Design|SEND&Inclusion Specialist

QTS-qualified Art & Design teacher and experienced creative leader across UK and international schools. Proven experience establishing Arts provision from the ground up, leading curriculum, assessment and department development across multiple key stages, and raising the profile of the Arts through exhibitions, competitions, enrichment and whole-school creative initiatives. Experienced in cross-curricular collaboration across Art, Drama, Music and STEAM, staff development and inclusive practice, with a strong background in SEND and EAL. HPL teacher and currently undertaking the NPQ for SENCOs. Practising multidisciplinary artist working across drawing, painting, ceramics, textiles and sculpture, committed to ambitious, inclusive and high-quality Arts education.

Experience

Art Teacher – Network School Yangon, Myanmar
2026–Present

Teach Art & Design across Years 7–13, including Cambridge IGCSE and A Level. Lead curriculum development, portfolio support, exhibitions, international competitions and creative ECAs, including external exhibition opportunities. Collaborate with Drama and Music on productions and wider Arts events. HPL Teacher, EPQ Adviser and Year 7 Tutor.

Head of Art & Design | Capital School Bahrain
2025–2026

Established and led the Art department and KS3–IGCSE curriculum from inception, with students achieving three Grade 9s at IGCSE. Managed budgets and resources, led exhibitions and whole-school Arts initiatives, supported Primary provision and delivered staff CPD on ASD, ADHD and Canva.

Head of Creative Arts & Design Technology| Venturers' Academy
2021–2025

Led Art & Design within a specialist autism setting, delivering GCSE, Arts Award and personalised creative programmes. Managed budgets, resources and educational visits, supported staff development and developed an inclusive curriculum through adaptive, sensory and therapeutic approaches.

Teacher | Snowdon Village, Bristol
2019-2021

Delivered Art, English, Maths and Functional Skills within alternative and specialist provision, supporting students with SEMH, autism, ADHD and additional learning needs. Used highly differentiated teaching and individualised strategies to re-engage learners and overcome barriers to learning.

Art & Design Teacher | Mangotsfield School, Bristol
2018-2019

Taught Art & Design across KS3 and GCSE while completing QTS, developing strong foundations in curriculum planning, assessment and inclusive classroom practice.

Professional Portfolio
www.maisievmdraper.com
Referances available on request