



TRAIN WITH US!

The Valley Learning Partnership

**Brighthouse High School
The Brooksbank School
Savile Park Primary School**



WHY SCHOOL DIRECT?

School Direct gives you the opportunity to immerse yourself in school life immediately. It allows you to participate as an active and valuable member of our team and our community from day one!



WHY OUR PROGRAMME?

As part of The Valley's School Direct Programme you will work with a committed team of professionals and a student group that we feel proud to teach. You will also work alongside other PGCE trainees from the University of Huddersfield, receiving high quality training, support and guidance both from the University team and The Valley team. You will receive bespoke training and development through The Valley Learning Partnership as part of our School Direct Provision in a small, community based training provision.

KIRSTY MCDONALD – SCHOOL DIRECT TRAINEE IN DESIGN & TECHNOLOGY 2020



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*Honestly, the students are awesome!
The staff are fantastic, supportive
and engaging. The training and
support gives you a realistic yet
flexible approach to your own
learning journey.*

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ABOUT THE VALLEY LEARNING PARTNERSHIP

The Valley Learning Partnership is a **Strategic Learning Partnership** created to formalise collaboration between groups of schools in Calderdale and neighbouring areas.

The two founding schools are **Brighouse High School** and **The Brooksbank School** in Elland, with **Savile Park Primary** joining us recently as our Primary Lead School. We also work collaboratively with **Todmorden High School** and **Ryburn Valley High** Schools at Secondary and **Withinfields Primary** and **Norristhorpe Junior & Infant School** at Primary.

The SLP was incorporated as a trust with charitable status on 1st July 2019.



SUCCEEDING WITH US

Our successes are built on a strong **partnership** between our students, staff and community; the cornerstone on which our future successes continue to be built. The key to success for all remains an **appropriate and personalised curriculum** upheld by strong classroom practice; a clear school ethos engendering a sense of place in the community and wider society; systemic positive behaviour and an effective partnership between school and home.

BRIGHOUSE HIGH SCHOOL

At Brighouse High School we are proud to be a truly comprehensive school and value our place at the heart of the community. We aim to provide for our students an education that is second to none. We strive to ensure that Brighouse High is a happy place to learn and work and that there is equality of opportunities for all. We value the 'voice' of our students and seek to involve them in the decision making process and respond to their feedback.

The best thing about Brighouse High School is the people in it.

We encourage each individual, student and staff member to contribute positively to school life.



THE BROOKSBANK SCHOOL



At Brooksbank our aim is to provide an outstanding educational experience for every one of our students. We have many talented and personable young people, who go on to live happy and successful lives and forge rewarding and successful careers. Our vision as a school is encapsulated in three 'A's': **Aspire And Achieve**. It reminds us all that we should strive to do our very best, every moment of every day and encourage our students to **Aspire and Achieve**.

SAVILE PARK PRIMARY SCHOOL

At Savile Park Primary School we celebrate all children who are part of our school family. We aim to encourage their talents, abilities and experiences so that they achieve their full potential. We want each individual to grow in confidence, knowledge and awareness and we provide a happy, caring and stimulating atmosphere where they will enjoy learning and feel secure and involved. We endeavour to promote **a love for learning, a love for life and a love for one another.**



MOORSIDE COMMUNITY PRIMARY

At Moorside Community Primary School we aim to value and foster the intellectual achievements of each child, so enabling each one to fulfil their academic potential. We seek to create an environment in which children will strive to discover and develop their capabilities and to lay the foundations of a healthy lifestyle. We seek to promote an ethos within the school in which each individual feels **valued and respected** and is encouraged to make a positive contribution to home, school and the community partnership.



KATIE REDDINGTON – SCHOOL DIRECT TRAINEE IN ENGLISH 2020

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The school has such a warm and friendly atmosphere. The staff are willing to give advice and guidance and I feel School Direct has been the perfect choice for me.

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THE VALLEY LEARNING VALUES

1 Friendly Community

We are a welcoming, community-based partnership with an excellent reputation for high quality teacher training in the primary, secondary and post-16 sectors

2 Bespoke Training

As a smaller provider, we have the benefit of being able to offer bespoke training packages, tailored to meet the needs of our trainees

3 Support & Wellbeing

We are passionate about teacher training and have an outstanding, committed team of subject mentors, pastoral mentors and professional mentors

4 Life-changing Opportunities

We offer, life-changing, local placements within a small network of Calderdale primary and secondary schools with a strong commitment to post-16 teaching and learning

5 A Good Match

We work closely with our partnership schools to ensure that every trainee we recruit is “**a good match**” to the school they are placed in. It is part of our success!



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