

# Meet the SENDIASS North Yorkshire Team



**Clare Leonard**  
SENDIASS Coordinator;

## What people appreciate about me:

- I am funny (allegedly)
- I am caring and honest.
- I am very creative.

## What is important to me:

- My family and friends.
- Rescuing animals. We currently have 2 rescue dogs, Cookie and Wilson who are both bonkers in their own way but completely lovable and loved
- Mental Health and wellbeing, mine and yours.

## How to support me:

I spent the first six months of a teaching post in a Forces school confused as to their obsession with Roald Dahl. That was until I realised BFG was British Forces Germany. If I ever say something you don't understand or use an abbreviation/word/phrase you don't recognise please stop me and ask me to explain. It is important to me that I communicate with you clearly.

Supporting children and young people with SEND and their families has always been a huge part of my life since I was a teenager. Joining SENDIASS has reinvigorated my energy and passion for this key aspect of my life.. It is important to me to be part of a team that is so committed to providing that support.

## How to contact the team:

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