

Your Tutors and Staff at Western Tutorial College Bristol

We are fortunate to have a group of highly qualified and experienced tutors who can offer a varied range of A-level and GCSE subjects, and have developed courses that can be delivered over 1 year. All of our tutors have experience of mainstream education, and bring a variety of skills, passion and commitment. Here is some information you may find interesting.

Principal: Adrian Bradfield

Adrian is one of the college directors and also teaches on the maths, physics and computing courses. He has a rich variety of experience in both independent and state sectors, and has overseen the college from its inception in 2011.

Administrator: Rocio is our part time administrator, and is in college most mornings and is happy to help with your non-specialist questions. She is also responsible for our examination entries.

Chemistry: Gordana teaches A-level Chemistry, and is especially interested in the practical side of the subject, as this enables students to experience the chemical processes developed during the course. Gordana is sometimes helped by a postgraduate research student from Bristol University, who reinforces the theory from previous lessons and is happy to answer any questions.

Biology: James is our A-level Biology tutor, and he has carefully developed a 1 year course that is highly successful. As with Chemistry, a postgraduate research student from Bristol University comes to reinforce theoretical concepts and answers any questions that may arise.

English: Catherine teaches our A-level English and GCSE English Language courses, and she is a current examiner and moderator. Catherine also has experience of working with students who have special needs, and has helped many with written or spoken communication problems.

English and Sociology: Annette has considerable experience in tutoring A-level students for Sociology and English Language, and helps to deliver our English and Sociology courses. She has carried out sociological research at a professional level, and clearly enjoys student interaction in these participatory subjects.

Psychology: Claire-Louise teaches our A-level Psychology course, and brings considerable experience of the subject matter with her. Louise has developed a structure for our 1 year A-level course that successfully integrates all aspects of this complex subject.

History / Politics: Andrew comes from many years as the Head of History at a local school, and is enormously enthusiastic about his subjects! He has produced a book specialising in American Political history, and (like many of our tutors) has experience as an examiner.

Economics / Accounting: Robert has for many years been a freelance tutor for A-level students, and he also has experience of teaching in local colleges of further education. He is a real polymath!

GCSE courses: The teachers mentioned above mostly contribute to our GCSE courses, with Bob additionally teaching Biology. These courses typically do not have as much time per week as A-level courses, but this is in line with most schools and students can take several GCSE subjects.

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