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Before completing my initial training to teach English as an additional language in 2013, I spent almost 10 years working in aviation at London's Heathrow and Gatwick airports. I began my career flying internationally for one of the world's leading airlines as a Business and First Class Flight Attendant, and was part of a dedicated flight team selected to operate one of the world's first commercial A380-800 passenger routes back in 2008. I also spent several years working in airport security and anti-terrorism operations on the ground.

Since becoming involved in education, I have worked with a number of different language schools and international training centres, providing a wide range of courses from Cambridge FCE, IELTS and TOEFL to English for specific purposes and functional skills English at pre-entry, Entry 1, Entry 2 and Entry 3. I have also worked extensively with the local authority as part of the government's resettlement programme for Syrian refugees, and with the British Red Cross as part of their Refugee Support and International Family Tracing service.

At Newbury Hall I am part of a small team of teachers responsible for delivering Intensive Exam English and Intensive Academic Literacy programmes. As well as helping students improve their English skills and spending time with each individual to develop their confidence in a range of language skills, I also promote students' spiritual, moral, social and cultural (SMSC) development, and teach global citizenship and life skills as part of students' personal, social and health education (PSHE).

I very much enjoy working with such a professional team of educators at Newbury Hall in the unique learning environment that it offers to our young people.