

ASSOCIATE

## JACKIE BEERE OBE



*“The best teacher for a class should always be the best learner in the class”*

As the idea of the ‘Learning School’ has grown over the last few years, Jackie Beere has been right at the heart of this educational revolution and her wide experience across primary and secondary sectors has earned her a reputation for dynamic, inspiring, yet highly practical presentations and resources.

Following a highly successful teaching career, Jackie has been a leading player in the development of emotionally intelligent schools with a relentless focus on teaching and learning to raise achievement.

As an AST, she was awarded an OBE for her work in developing new approaches to learning then, later, as a successful headteacher she introduced a competency curriculum alongside a drive towards the pedagogy that delivers independent learning.

Ofsted commented *‘The dynamic focus by the headteacher and other key leaders, on improving learning is proving very effective in raising standards and has achieved local and national recognition’*

In addition, Jackie has worked with SSAT, the Campaign for Learning, the National College for School Leadership and as a School Improvement Partner for Cambridgeshire and Warwickshire LAs. She is a consultant for Oasis Academies, helping to develop their creative

competency curriculum and works nationally and internationally in primary and secondary schools training teachers and leaders to raise achievement.

Her contributions to the world of education have included staff and leadership training for emotionally intelligent leadership, ‘good’ to ‘excellent’ teaching and learning, change management using NLP techniques and inspiring the most able children to be resilient learners. She has helped many schools and Academies redesign their **curriculum for KS3 both** in the UK and abroad following her own experience of leading the introduction of Opening Minds, the RSA competency curriculum, in her own school setting.

### Books written by Jackie Beere:

- [The Perfect Teacher](#)
- [The Learner’s Toolkit](#)
- [The Competency Curriculum Toolkit](#)
- [The Primary Learner’s Toolkit](#)
- [The Perfect \(Ofsted\) Lesson \(revised and updated\)](#)
- [The Perfect Ofsted Inspection](#)
- [The Perfect \(Teacher\) Coach](#)
- [There is Another Way](#) (contributor)

*“Make no mistake: the way you think makes you the teacher that you are” - The Perfect Teacher*

- [GROW. Change Your Mindset, Change Your Life](#)

### Feedback from recent events:

*“VERY INFORMATIVE DAY - really enjoyed the course it helped us think outside our comfort zone”*

*“Your delivery of the course was exciting, stimulating and inspiring. It is clear you have a passion for teaching and learning - this shines through and has infected me!”*

*“Thank you so much for such an inspirational morning - I came back to school ‘buzzing’ with excitement (and a very full brain!)”*

*“I have not stopped telling my colleagues how inspired I was and would recommend anyone to come and listen to your wonderful ideas”*

Jackie has been with Independent Thinking for over 10 years

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