

Mr Marsh Interview



This half-term, interviewers Anees Ubaid and Owen Wright sat down with Acting Head Mr. Marsh, to talk about the highlights of his fourteen years at Buile Hill.

How long have you worked at Buile Hill?

I've worked at Buile Hill for fourteen years. A lot of things have changed in that time, but the community spirit and family ethos that so impressed me when I first got here remain as strong as ever and gets better every year.

What career accomplishment are you most proud of?

Becoming Deputy Head probably made me the proudest, I think. It's a job I love and really enjoyed. Getting my current job as Acting Head made me really proud, too. There is more responsibility involved in that role, I'm learning all the time, and I feel honoured to be trusted with it.

Why did you want to work here?

The kids and the people. I've been to a lot of schools, and the kids who come to Buile Hill are something special. Every time I walk into a lesson I always find something to be proud of and

you guys get the postcards to prove it! The way pupils and staff work together here at Buile is amazing and the main strength of the school. It's definitely a family and one I'm proud to be part of!

What is your greatest weakness?

I sometimes find it difficult to switch off and over think things. It's because I care about the pupils and the school and want to get things right for them.

What are your life goals?

This one's not about the school: I want my family to be happy and healthy. I have a wonderful wife and two great daughters, and all three of them deserve the world.

What is your best memory?

My best memory is the birth of my children. It was terrifying, but at the same time an amazing experience!

Where do you picture yourself in three years?

Hopefully, by then, I'm in a more senior job. As our school moves forward and becomes Buile Hill Academy next year, it'd be nice to take a role in that, working with other schools in the Consilium trust as well as our own.

Who is your favourite staff member?

I can't choose. Really, I can't. Like I said, there's just so many brilliant people giving so much to this school every day, that it wouldn't be right to pick just one. A school is only as good as the people inside it, and it takes all of us to make Buile Hill so special. In my opinion Buile Hill has the best staff in Salford and beyond!