

Meet the RSO – Arwel Jones

I'm originally from Nefyn on the Llŷn Peninsula in North West Wales and came to Cardiff 30 years ago to University, and I'm still here!

I started my career as a Biology teacher and have taught in various Welsh medium schools in the South East of Wales.

This is my 11th year of working at WJEC. I started as an Editor here and eventually became the team leader for all the editors working in Educational Resources before embarking on my role as Regional Support Officer.



Arwel's front yard at home in North Wales

Working closely with teachers and using my experience to support them with delivering the Skills Challenge Certificate is the highlight of my job. I also enjoy hearing about the incredible experiences students studying the Skills Challenge Certificate have and how developing the skills for this qualification helps them secure jobs and further study.

Interesting/Random fact – I worked in Spain for a few years as a Head of Secondary in an International School before coming to WJEC. To be catapulted out of my comfort zone into a different education system in another language was very character building!