



BRIDGE THE GAP

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Hi, my name is Emilie and I am delighted to have joined Bridge the Gap as a child Wellbeing Practitioner. I have worked with both adults and children since leaving University in 2016. Graduating with a Degree in Social Work, I knew that I wanted to work closely with communities and better the outcomes for Children and young people. Over the last three years I have supported children in Derbyshire facing a range of difficulties. Whilst working with children I strive to ensure I promote relationship-based practice allowing them to feel safe and secure. I am passionate in the work that I do and feel strongly about children having access to support with their emotional well-being and a safe space to talk openly about their struggles.

Working with such an amazing team at Bridge the Gap continues to inspire me and allows me to grow and be creative. Being an adaptable service allows our sessions to be person centred and all about the individual needs of the children we support.

Outside of work I like to be around my family and friends, going on walks and days out as family is one of my favourite things to do. I also really like to bake at home in my kitchen, my partner also really enjoys this as he gets to taste all of them. I have started painting as a new hobby which I also really enjoy, this helps me to relax and unwind in the evening and my house is now full of colourful paintings.

I love to support children in Derby and find creative ways to guide them to express and understand their emotions in a safe and relaxing environment.