



# A Win-Win Situation

## Tapping into a Reservoir of Exceptional Tuition

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### ***"I love a win-win situation" . . .***

How would you like to be helped in your homeschooling by another pair of expert hands and also greatly bless someone else at the same time. You can. There is an amazing reservoir of talented and capable assistance out there that is just waiting for you to contact them.

I discovered this reservoir several years ago when I saw the exceptional sewing of a teenage homeschooler. She had been the fortunate beneficiary of excellent sewing instruction herself and was now a very experienced and extremely competent seamstress. Being incredibly busy myself, but wanting my own daughters to advance further in sewing, I asked if she would consider giving lessons to my girls. She was willing and suggested an extremely reasonable price that I was more than happy with. We were thrilled with the results of those lessons. It started me on the path of taking more notice of the skills and expertise other homeschoolers have acquired over the years.

We have now employed young people for all manner of private classes, including cake decorating, military model making, art classes and music lessons. We have struck gold! The classes are held at times to suit us, the prices are excellent, and the young teachers are extremely dedicated and enthusiastic. They are thrilled to be employed and take it seriously, putting their hearts into it.

We have been truly astonished at the quality of the instruction we have received from these young people. We had employed professional art and music teachers in the past but by far the best art and music instruction we have ever had has come from our young tutors – not only did they advance our children far quicker and but they were extremely patient, helpful, encouraging and hugely inspirational.

Frequently homeschoolers have had many years of tuition in specialist areas and it cost their parents a fortune in money and time for them to receive this. You can benefit from this investment and at the same time contribute towards the payback and be a great blessing, even while you are blessed.

Win-win.

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***The Smithies Family***



“Tell me and I forget. Teach me and I remember.



*Involve me and I learn.”*



- Benjamin Franklin