



Staff Profile
Ethan Teague



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1) Why did you choose Plus Accounting?

I was immediately interested by their B-Corporation Certification which made me delve deeper into who they are as a firm, and what they stand for. I was happy to see their values aligned with mine and that they specialised in the Videogame industry which has been a hobby of mine for a very long time.

2) If you could change one thing in the tax system, what would it be and why?

Simplified approach for most self-assessments and better educational resources available so more people are more comfortable being able to tackle their own tax returns.

3) If you could give your 18 year old self one piece of advice what would it be?

Enjoy the time and don't get to caught up on chasing the future. The time will go quicker than you realise so have fun while you can.

4) What was your very first job?

I worked in a chip shop in a coastal town on the South Coast of Devon, the summer months sure were a busy time.



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5) What hobbies do you have outside of work?

My day-to-day hobby is playing videogames; this has let me stay in contact with many of my friends who now live around the world, as well as meeting new friends along the way. I have also been attending pottery classes for the past 2 years on a Monday after work, it definitely helps to beat the Monday blues with a good destress after the day.

6) Is it still a good time to be starting a new business in the current climate?

While the current climate does look worrying, it will never be a 'good' time to start a new business. It's a massive investment and will always require that first leap of faith.

7) If you suddenly became financially independent, what would you miss most about your job?

The routine and social interactions. I wouldn't know what to do with all my time and I would start missing the usual things that come with seeing everyone in the office everyday.

8) What is the difference between a top ten 10 employer and a smaller firm

The culture in a smaller firm can feel much more authentic as you see the managers and directors living and breathing the culture. It also feels like a much more close-knit team, all helping one another out, and not team against team.

9) If you could meet a celebrity, dead or alive, who would it be? George RR Martin for a hopeful sneak peak at the next book.

10) Describe yourself in three words?

Dependable, approachable, curious.