

TEACHER PASSPORT



Mrs Helen Newton
Reception class
Ladybirds
Class Teacher

What hobbies do you enjoy?

Snowboarding, learning Spanish, keeping fit, reading, listening to music, keeping in touch with friends, travelling.

Do you have any pets? If not what pet would you like?

Dexter, an abandoned cat from Blue Cross

What three words would describe you?

Gregarious

Caring

Positive

What do you like best about being a Teacher at Harpenden Academy?

The caring community ethos, growth mindset and strong team.

What were your favourite subjects at school?

Maths and Languages

What are your favourite subjects to teach?

In early years all subjects are rolled into one - I love them all.

What is your favourite book and why?

It's always the last one I've read, which was yesterday - Holes by Louis Sachar!

What is your favourite place in the world and why?

Anywhere outside in nature - the beach, countryside etc

What did you want to be when you were younger?

An explorer

What made you want to become a Teacher?

My passion for learning. I enjoy being with children and love the amazing personalities and humour in the classroom.

What is your favourite food?

I love Thai food

What is your least favourite food?

Chilli con carne

Who is in your family? Do you have any brothers or sisters?

My husband, son and daughter. I have two brothers who live in Thailand and Denmark with their families.

If you were on a desert island what two things would you take with you?

A speed boat and a charged mobile!