



Harpenden Academy
Education for a changing world

TEACHER PASSPORT



Mrs Kate Watson
Year 6
Shakespeare Class
Class Teacher

What hobbies do you enjoy?

Triathlons
Open water swimming
Yoga
Baking
Dancing
Spending time with my family and friends

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

No, my elder daughter would like any pet and doesn't stop telling me so

What three words would describe you?

Passionate
Energetic
Positive

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

The caring community ethos and the amazing team spirit. Children leading their own learning and being treated as unique individuals.

What were your favourite subjects at school?

Maths
Sport

What are your favourite subjects to teach?

Maths
Linking topics together in a creative way.

What is your favourite book and why?

'Anne of Green Gables,' because I loved her free spirit, red hair and friendship with her best friends.

What is your favourite place in the world and why?

Cornwall because I went there on holiday every year when I was growing up and have taken my own family every year. I love the sea, the rugged coastline, the seafood and the remoteness.

What did you want to be when you were younger?

A dancer for Madonna

What made you want to become a Teacher?

I have always loved being around children, especially their playfulness, innocence, honesty and curiosity. I have always wanted to do a job where I can make a positive difference and my precious life as an accountant wasn't fulfilling in that way!

What is your favourite food?

That's a tough question, I love all food and spend lots of time cooking and eating out. I love all things chocolate and fresh seafood by the sea is hard to beat.

What is your least favourite food?

Anything processed!

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

I have two gorgeous daughters, Charlotte and Evelyn, and a husband Phil who wants to be a rock star!

My Mum, Dad and sister live up North near Manchester where I grew up.

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

Goggles and music