

## Welcome to Year 4



## **Miss Mann**

This is my ninth year at St Ann's Heath Junior School and I have worked in every year group. I am head of maths at the school. I used to work in market research and then ran French clubs for children – that led me to teaching.

I have 2 gorgeous boys, one is 15 and one is 19. During the holidays, we often meet up with my family. My boys are very close to their grandparents, aunties, uncles and cousins and we have lots of fun! Recently, I have gone back to my musical roots and joined an orchestra in Chertsey. We have a concert in October alongside a group of bagpipers (they're so loud!) why not come along and see us!



## Ms Martin

This is my second year teaching at St Ann's Heath.

I am from the beautiful country of South Africa, and have lived in England for three years now. I have been teaching for fourteen years, and am enjoying the challenge of the difference between my two countries when it comes to education.

I have a gorgeous dog at home, Nox, and my favourite time of any day is taking her out for walks in the forest. I love being outside in nature, it is my happy place. I also enjoy being crafty, scrapbooking, baking, and music – there is always music playing around me!



Mrs Van den Broek

I'm very excited to be starting my teaching career at St Ann's Heath. I worked as a Teaching Assistant for several years before doing my teacher training as an apprentice.

I have 3 amazing children (18, 21 & 22) who share my passion for cooking. I love swimming, particularly in the sea. I've been known to enter icy waters over the New Year!

I love relaxing with family and friends, visiting new places and pottering around in the garden. I also love a challenge, so I've chosen the perfect career!

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We are really excited to get to know you all and cannot wait to start teaching you all the exciting topics we have in year 4. In September, we will be starting our Blue Abyss unit of learning. As part of this unit of learning, we will be reading 'Manfish" by Jacques Cousteau. We have copies of the text photocopied, but if you would prefer to get a coloured copy of this book over the summer holiday, it would be a useful resource to have for September.

We hope you have a restful holiday; we've attached a few wellbeing ideas that you could have a go at if you wish.

