

Welcome to Year 2!



Hello all! I am Mrs Nelder-Marsh and I am going to be your teacher next year! I am really looking forward to all of us to meet and get to know each other.



I cannot wait to get to know all of you better, but here are a few things about me. This is my 7th year teaching, but my first at Dilkes Academy, and I cannot wait to get started and start a new adventure here! Teaching is truly a passion of mine and I always aim to do the best for every child so that they are happy and making progress, no matter what that looks like. I enjoy teaching all subjects, but I particularly enjoy maths, music and computing.

I grew up in Hornchurch with my 2 younger sisters and 1 younger brother and I recently became an auntie this year for the first time. I went to school in Havering and then went to university to gain a degree in drama. Before becoming a teacher, I worked in retail full time for 5 years and then completed my teacher training. I have been married for just over 3 years to my lovely husband who also work in a school in South London. When I am not teaching, I run a Guide unit which I have been doing so for over 15 years.

Teacher Favourites:

Colour: *Purple*

Food: *Pizza and Cheesecake*

Sport: *NFL, Athletics and Formula 1*

Animal: *Pygmy Hippos (Google them!)*

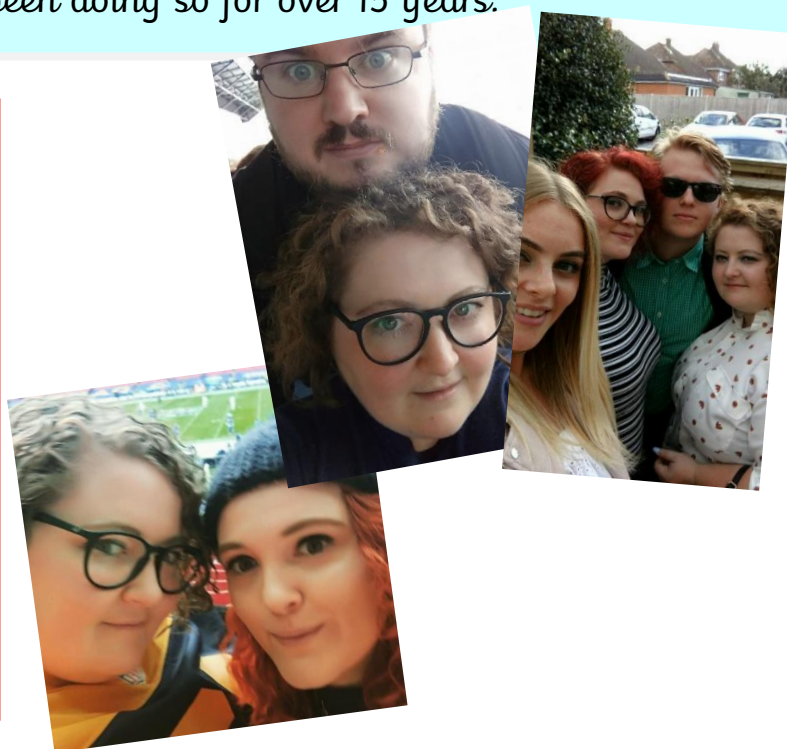
Chocolate: *Toffee Crisp*

Movie: *Toy Story and Harry Potter Series*

Book growing up: *Roald Dahl books*

Favourite subject: *Maths or Drama*

Hobbies: *Painting, reading, guiding, collecting rubber ducks.*



We will be doing lots of fun and interesting learning in Year 2. Our topics range from learning about the British monarchy and The Great Fire of London in History, learning about different materials, taking care of yourself and living things and habitats in Science, learning and printing, collages and expressionism in Art.

I am looking forward to our time together and I hope you are too. Have a lovely and safe summer holidays and I look forward to welcoming you back in September!

Mrs. Nelder-Marsh