



Cheadle Heath
Primary School

Championing Excellence for Everyone



Welcome to Y4 Curie Class!

MEET MRS. HARRISON-WATKINS

HELLO CURIE CLASS

I am so excited to be welcoming you into Year 4. We are going to have a fantastic year together full of learning.

Year 4 is such an exciting year and I can not wait to see you continue to grow in confidence and embrace all the new learning opportunities that will be presented to you as well as become more independent learners. We have some fantastic learning experiences ready for you and I can not wait to start this brand new adventure!

OUR CLASSROOM

- In our classroom we always follow our school rules: Be Ready, Be Responsible and Be Respectful .
- We sit in table groups and you will have a learning partner to share ideas and talk through your learning with.
- We have a calm space within our class room and a fantastic class library full of books which you can borrow.

A BIT ABOUT ME

Well, the first thing you need to know about me is that I LOVE teaching! From when I was in Year 6 I knew that I wanted to become a primary school teacher and I worked hard through school and university to make my dream come true.

My happy place is in the classroom and I will always work hard to make learning fun, engaging and memorable whilst maintaining very high expectations.

Outside of school: I am sure most of you are away I am the school's 'Cat Lady!' I have 12 cats who have all been rescues and I love them all dearly! They are called: Tilly, Snow, Comet, Stitch, Lunar, Nebular, Nova, Willow, Pebbles, CeCe, DeDe & Goose! They live happily with me and my husband.

I also love all things books, especially children's books. I love to share my favourite stories with my class and will always share ideas of good books for you to read.

Crochet is also one of my hobbies. It is what I do when I want to relax.

HERE ARE A FEW OF MY FAVOURITE THINGS

Book: Harry Potter 3 **Sport:** Rounders

Animal: Cat

Colour: Green

Hobby: Crochet

Drink: Coke or Coffee

Subject: English

Food: Cheese

Film: All Harry Potter's or Marvel



A LITTLE BIT MORE ABOUT CURIE CLASS

WHAT I EXPECT FROM YOU

- Come ready to try your best
- Be kind and respectful to everyone
- Ask questions — it's how we learn
- Tell an adult if you need help

HOW I WILL HELP YOU

- I will explain new learning clearly and show you examples.
- We will have small-group support if you need it.
- If something is worrying you, you can talk to me — I will listen and help.
- I will care for you, listen to you and make our classroom a safe place to learn. I will help you try new things and celebrate your progress.

IMPORTANT INFO

- School starts at 8:40 am and ends at 3:15pm.
- We complete an important retrieval Do Now Task at 8:40am
- Snack : Just like in Year 3 you can bring a piece of fruit in for your snack at break time
- School lunches: please remember to order your school meal from home so that we don't waste time in lessons
- In Year 4 you will complete the MTC check (multiplication check)
- How to contact me: I can be contacted via class dojo or email. I'll reply within 48 hours unless it is an emergency.

HOW PARENTS / CARERS CAN HELP AT HOME

1. Read together for 10 minutes every day.
2. Support your child to access Spelling Shed to practice the spelling rule each week for at least 10 sessions.
3. Practice TT Rockstars for 10 minute a day
4. Share any changes or information promptly so we can support your child.

If you are new to English or new to our school:

We welcome all languages — tell us which languages you speak and we will help. We use lots of visuals, gestures and paired talk so everyone can join in straight away.