



**Cheadle Heath**  
**Primary School**

Championing Excellence for Everyone

# Welcome to Anning Class

## MEET MISS KING-BARKER

### HELLO ANNING CLASS

I am very excited to welcome you into Year 2. We are going to have a fantastic year full of fun, laughter and lots of exciting learning.

You will learn how to be more independent, challenge yourself and feel proud of all the progress you make throughout the year. We will celebrate your achievements together and overcome any challenges.

I cannot wait to see all the amazing things you will achieve.

### A BIT ABOUT ME

This will be my 2<sup>nd</sup> year at Cheadle Heath Primary, but my 5<sup>th</sup> year teaching overall.

I love spending time outdoors, especially going on long walks with my dog Dougie.

One of my favourite places to visit is Windermere in the Lake District – I love the beautiful scenery and it holds very special memories for me, including my engagement.

### OUR CLASSROOM

- Our classroom rules: Be ready, Be Responsible and Be Respectful.
- We are a team and always look after each other.
- We have dinosaur names for our groups/table places. (Triceratops, Brachiosaurus, Stegosaurus, Pterodactyl and T-rex)

### HERE ARE A FEW OF MY FAVOURITE THINGS

**Animal:** Tiger

**Sport:** Dance

**Book:** Mavis the Bravest

**Colour:** Navy Blue

**Hobby:** Cooking

**Drink:** Cup of Tea

**Subject:** Maths

**Food:** Pasta Bolognese

**Film:** The Lion King



# A LITTLE BIT MORE ABOUT LIFE IN ANNING 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 start at 8:40am and ends at 3:15pm. Please try to be in school at 8.40am for our Do Now task as it is a really important start to the day.
- Snack: a fruit snack is provided for children in KS1. You can bring one from home but this must be fruit or vegetables.
- School lunches: please remember to order your school meal from home so that we don't waste time at the start of the school day.
- How to contact me: I can be contacted via class dojo or email. I'll aim to reply within 48 hours unless it is an emergency.

## HOW PARENTS / CARERS CAN HELP AT HOME

- Read together for 10 minutes every day -please sign the reading record so that we can monitor this
- Practise key words or number bonds to consolidate foundational knowledge.
- 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.