

Welcome to Whickham School!

Hello everyone!

I am really looking forward to meeting you and hope you are excited about joining year 7 in September. I am sure you will embrace every opportunity to get involved in school life. We have a vast range of activities on offer. There really is something for everyone; whatever your interests may be: sport, art, dance, drama, music or reading.

I have been working at Whickham a very long time. I am a German teacher and I love learning languages and travelling the world. I have spent lots of time exploring Europe and South East Asia and I love meeting new people from different cultures and watching foreign language films. The beach is my favourite place to be; both in winter and summer.

I know Whickham is a huge school at first sight but you will find your way round in no time at all. It can be quite daunting to face a new challenge but I am here and happy to help you settle in and make friends.

Now, most importantly enjoy the summer holidays and I can't wait to see you all looking smart in your new uniforms!

## Mrs Etherington