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**Rachael Teeuwen**

## What is your role?

I am the Senior Learning Support Assistant.

## How long have you worked here?

I started working at Beaconsfield High in September 2021.

## Where are you based?

In Learning Support, at the bottom of the Tower Block.

## Best thing about working at Becky High?

I really enjoy supporting students in all the different subject areas.



## Life before Becky High!

I studied Zoology at Royal Holloway Uni and my first job was researching and writing for an encyclopaedia of mammals. After travelling, I worked at London Zoo as an Explainer. My role involved giving talks and presentations about different animals, but I also did some volunteer zoo keeping. I really enjoyed interacting with the visiting school groups, so I decided to do a PGCE at Kings College London. I worked as a biology teacher for seven years and then moved into Learning Support working at Berkshire College of Agriculture before BHS.



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I spent two years travelling through South East Asia and Australasia. My aim was to see as much wildlife as possible and during my travels I was fortunate enough to do some conservation volunteering on Kangaroo Island, a small island off the coast of South Australia. Whilst there, I was able to observe the actual echidna that was featured on David Attenborough's Life of Mammals series.

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