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What is your role?

I am one of the Student Welfare Officers (or Matron!) and a Designated Safeguarding Lead.

How long have you worked here?

It will have been here for seven years!

Where are you based?

I am in Matron's Office at the bottom of the Tower Block.

Best thing about working at Becky High?

A cliché, but the staff and students are the best! Also the short commute and the long summer holidays.



Life before Becky High!

I studied real estate at South Bank University. When I graduated, I worked as a chartered surveyor and, amongst other things, was involved in the development of Bicester Village. I loved the varied work and not being stuck behind a desk. It was fascinating to visit so many different properties/ businesses, from shipping ports to boutiques in Bond Street. I stopped working when we started a family, I spent time living in the Middle East and I trained to become a certified life coach. Then, seven years ago I spotted the ad for my role at BHS and the rest is history!



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During the lovely hot summer of lockdown I started swimming in the Thames. I carried on and started swimming in local lakes and the sea when I could. I have taken part in outdoor swimming challenges, the last was in the Thames, and this year I hope to complete 8km in the Bantham Boomerang although I will have the tide on my side for this so hope it won't be too gruelling.

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