## Meet the R2 Teachers



## Mrs Bennett

Welcome back to the start of a busy and exciting new year! I hope you all enjoyed some relaxing and fun times with family and friends over the summer break. My name is Toni-Marie Bennett and I am very lucky to be the Kaiako in Ruma Rua this year. I have been teaching at Adventure School for ten years with this being my fourth in the Nikau Syndicate. I am married to Dion who is a Senior Police Officer and we have three children; our son Ryan (20) is in his third year at Massey University, Ella (14) is in Year 11 at Kāpiti College and my pēpe Sascha (13) has just started at Kāpiti College this year. I have been teaching for more than a few years, across all levels and even spent time teaching in the UK.

I have 2 cats; Neo and Ardie and a dog called Mac. Mac just turned 16!

I am looking forward to working with you all this year.

Should you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me to arrange a suitable meeting time: tbennett@adventure.school.nz

## A bit about me!

Favourite colour: green

Favourite animal: giraffes

Favourite drink: chocolate milk

Favourite subject: english & pe

When I'm not at school you might find me....

Walking or running around local tracks, on the sideline of sports field or hanging with friends. I also like a good

book to read.



Favourite colour: orange

A bit about me!

Favourite animal: dogs

Favourite drink: coffee

Favourite subject: Maths and PE When I'm not at school you might find me....

 Watching my children play sports, spending time with my family and friends or taking Ollie on walks. Kia ora and welcome back. My name is Tania Bourke and I'm really looking forward to teaching in Room Rua on Thursdays. I have been teaching for many years in New Zealand and have also taught in London, Tokyo and China. I live with my partner Trevor who is an accountant and we have three children. Zach our oldest, is in Year 12 at St Patrick's College Silverstream, Kade is in Year 8 and Ava is in Year 5 both here at Adventure School. We also have a dog called Ollie who loves to be taken on long walks.

Ms Bourke



