Dear 4TS

I’m writing to you to say hello and to introduce myself. I’m really looking forward to getting to know you and being your teacher next year. In the meantime, I thought you might like to know a little bit about me.

I have two grown-up children who don’t live with me any longer but I’m very lucky because I still get to see them a lot. I love to spend time with them, and we have lots of fun together. We all adore our pet cat, Evie. She’s mainly white, with peachy coloured ears, and she has a very fluffy tail. Sometimes she gets up to mischief, but I’ll tell you more about that when we meet in class.

I really enjoy a good book and at the moment I’m reading Oliver Twist by Charles Dickens. You might have heard of it? Sometimes the language is a bit tricky because it was written a long time ago, but it’s a great story so I’m persevering with it. I’m so looking forward to sharing some exciting books with you in class. I wonder who your favourite authors are?

I like going on long walks and I do Pilates classes to help me stay healthy. I like tennis, although I’m not very good at it so I’d like to learn to play properly.

In the holidays, I like to visit new places and I enjoy going to museums and art galleries, so I’m hoping that they’ll be open again soon. My favourite place is The Tate Modern in London because I really admire artists. I find drawing very challenging, but I’ve been trying to improve my skills by watching draw-along videos, which I’ve found great fun. You’ll see my cartoon style self-portrait on the next page, which I hope will make you smile! I’d love it if you could send me your self-portrait drawing.

Well, future 5K, I hope you have fun in the Summer holidays, and I can’t wait to meet you in person!

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Kern