

I AM MORE THAN A NUMBER

My choice of studying mathematics and working in education has enabled me to travel the world and get paid to do it. I have met and worked with many fantastic people, some of whom remain my closest friends.

Mathematics is the common component of humanity's shared culture, a universal language that empowers us to become problem solvers in a world fraught with problems such as climate change, food security and health care. Mathematics can tackle these. Ultimately though, maths is just a really fun thing to do.

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and that's why I **CHOOSEMATHS**, because it's **MORE THAN JUST NUMBERS**, it's humanity's tool for making sense of an uncertain universe.

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