## Biography

My name is Ines Walters and I am responsible for the English lessons at school. I studied English and Dutch at the university of Tilburg in the Netherlands. After having worked for six years at secondary schools in the Netherlands I settled on this beautiful island.

The third Lyceum of Heraklion feels like home to me because I have worked here for twelve years. During my lessons I often want my students to work in groups so as to encourage cooperation and respect for peers. Working together means learning from each other. The active use of the language has priority.

I have two daughters and a son. In my spare time I like hiking in the Cretan mountains.

I sing in a jazz band and a choir and I am a qualified dance teacher.

Being a member of an English book club I get to know new books of English and American authors.

I love teaching and consider myself more an educator than a source of knowledge.

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