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August 22, 2019, was the first day of school at Santiago Hills, and the day that the class met Mrs.Venable. She greeted her charges with a smile and also a helpful lesson. A new friendship began that day too.

Today, during the time of Covid-19, Mrs. Venable is still the 4th grade teacher that all of her 33 students know and appreciate.

She continues to teach good lessons every day."I like the way she teaches. Mrs. Venable teaches you something new everyday. Online or not, that is how school is supposed to go," says Lucas Heneks,a hardworking Coder, and a great dad to Lana Heneks, one of Mrs. Venable's current students.

Teaching a class from home must be a hard job. There aren't many tools at an average house, not even in a teachers, butMrs.Venable seems to ace it,

making her students' lives easier. That isn't something an everyday pandemic teacher might do.

Kind,flexible in time, and hardworking, all describe this enthusiastic,reddish haired

Mrs.Venable checks her gmail to see if a student of hers has a question. Once, a project that she posted did not really work, so a bright student emailed Mrs.Venable about it, and they worked it out. Mrs. Venable is a pro at answering questions and emails fast with over 30 years of teacher experience.

Mrs.Venable is important to the class because she is always there for all her friends. She teaches the class through the busiest and toughest days and always reminds the class that the pandemic will eventually end, a message we all need in these

Paula Venable is certainly an amazing and special person in many people's lives.