

DANIËLLE VAN DE DONK **MIDFIELDER**

Daniëlle van de Donk is a versatile midfielder with an eye for a goal. She was one of the best performers in the Women's Super League (WSL) and an important part of Arsenal's title-winning team. She made 28 appearances, second only to Katie McCabe, scoring 13 goals.



Daniëlle is the key player at the heart of the Netherlands midfield and has impressed on international duty. Along with Arsenal teammate Vivianne Miedema, Daniëlle helped her national side win the 2017 European Championships and reached the final of the 2019 World Cup. The midfielder has already played over 100 times for her country and will, no doubt, continue to do so for many years.



An attacking player, Daniëlle can play as a No 10 or on either wing and has fantastic technique and vision. Her range of passing has helped her become one of the most feared midfielders in the WSL.

She started her career at Willem II before playing for two other Dutch teams, VVV-Venlo and PSV. She then moved to Goteborg, in Sweden, where she played in 2015. Finally Daniëlle moved to Arsenal where she has been a key member of the squad for the last 5 seasons.



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Circle or write your answers to the questions below:

- How many games did Daniëlle play in the league last season?
20
21
13
28
- What competition did Daniëlle win with her national team?
World Cup
European Championships
Continental Cup
Women's Super League
- Which Arsenal player does she play international football with?
Katie McCabe
Kim Little
Manuela Zinsberger
Vivianne Miedema
- Which phrase in the third paragraph suggests she is a versatile player?
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one of the most feared midfielders
- From the final paragraph, find and copy a word which means the same as vital.



ANSWERS: 1) 28, 2) European Championship, 3) Vivianne Miedema 4) can play as a No 10 or on either wing 5) Key