



Dear Students and Families,

Welcome back to school! As your language arts and social studies teacher, I am thrilled to have the opportunity to focus on my favorite subjects with you. Together, we will explore diverse writing genres, analyze texts, immerse ourselves in literature, and broaden our perspectives.

Whether you are a 5th or 6th grader, the expectations are high. I believe you will rise to the challenge of meeting those expectations and you will choose to be respectful, responsible, accountable, and always do your best!

Now, for a little bit of background on myself. I lived in six different states before I turned 15, so it's tough to answer the "Where are you from?" question. However, moving so many times taught me how to adapt to new surroundings, and I'm thankful I lived in different parts of the United States. During college I had incredible experiences teaching English to children in Russia and Taiwan. That is when I discovered my love for teaching and exploring new places. In my spare time, my favorite activity is curling up under a cozy blanket to enjoy a good book or movie.

I hope to see you at our Meet the Teacher/Curriculum Night on Monday, July 31st from 6:10 – 7pm. This will give you a chance to check out our classroom and get more information before the first day of school on August 2nd. Please feel free to contact me throughout the year with any questions you may have. We will have a fabulous school year together!

I'm so excited to get to know you! 😊

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