

Miss Michelle

BS: Elementary Education with an Early Childhood Emphasis from Winona State University

MS: Teaching, Learning and Leadership from Southwestern Minnesota State University

MN Licensure: Birth - 6th grade

Why I teach:

This will be my 8th year in the district and 13th year teaching. I love the connections and community that build between students, families and teachers. Having the unique opportunity to be a child's first teacher is a huge honor and commitment. I love watching children grow, make connections socially and academically. I truly enjoy being a part of our families educational journey in shaping our children to be lifelong learners.

About me:

My husband and I live in Chaska with our 2 year old daughter and our 7 year old son (who is in second grade this year).

We have a brown goldendoodle named Maverick who is 8.

Love to travel, garden, craft, I enjoy playing softball with my husband on community rec teams, being a part of theater productions and spending time with friends and family.

A few of my favorite things:

Song: I'm a true 90s and early 2000s girl!

Quote: "In a world that is ever changing our job is not to prepare students for something; our job is to help students prepare themselves for anything" (Spencer, Juliani, 2017).

Movie: Love all Disney movies!

Snack: Cheese and crackers or smart food white cheddar popcorn

Candy: Snickers

Drink: Diet Coke

Vacation: Europe or the beach

Team: Vikings

Color: Purple