

# Meet the Teacher



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Dear Parents,

Greetings! Welcome to a new school year! I am so excited to have your child in my class this year! Just a little background about me: my teaching career spans over twenty years, and I've been blessed to have taught in a number of different places: Mission, SD (Rosebud Reservation); Pinion, AZ (Navajo Reservation); Globe-Miami, AZ (Alternative Charter School & Public School); Fairmount, ND; and Wyndmere, ND. As most of you know, I am married to Scott Strenge, and we have two children - Sierra (9th grade) and Vincent (5th grade). Yes, we not only live together, but we also go to work together as well.

A letter from me was included in the registration packet. I like to be organized so that my students know the requirements and expectations for English. We focus on a number of different North Dakota Standards for English which include literature, grammar, vocabulary, various writing methods, integrated media and technology, and speech. Google Classroom is the media platform we use in my class. This means all students will have online access to the day's objectives, instructions, assignments, deadlines, and any other relevant material that may be used during that class time. When students are absent from class, they should be checking to see what they miss that day. This year, my goal is to connect parents to their child's personal Google Classroom account and his/her individualized Accelerated Reading (AR) account. This way, you can be better informed on how well your child is performing and if he/she is behind or assignments are missing. Information on how to access this will be coming home soon. Another exciting addition is an ACT English Prep Class which will be held twice a week during Flex. Joining is 100% voluntary, and I will be discussing this with the students the first or second week of school.

Our mission at Wyndmere Public School is to create an environment where students and staff are safe, respectful, and responsible. We, as a faculty, are committed to ensure all students are proficient and will graduate with the necessary skills to thrive as 21st century learners, workers, and citizens. Sometimes, our students needs a little extra help or guidance to achieve those goals. I am available before and after school. I usually arrive around 7:30 A.M. and leave between 5:00 and 5:30 P.M. If you child is missing work and/or struggling, I would request that he/she work with me to get back on track. Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions or concerns.

Thank you for attending our open house today! Working together makes us a great community of learners. A child can never have too many positive adult role models in his or her life. We truly appreciate your support at Wyndmere Public School!

Sincerely,

Stacey Strenge

