

Education: I graduated from the University of St. Thomas with majors in Elementary Education and Math after graduating from Edina High School.

Experience: This will be my 3rd year at Concord Elementary. In addition to teaching I coach middle school football and track. I completed my student-teaching at Sunnyside Elementary in New Brighton in a 5th grade classroom. I also have 7 years of experience as a PARA and Recreation Leader working for Edina Community Education.

My Family: I was born and raised in Edina. My mom, step-dad, 10 year old brother Noah, and 15 year old sister Hannah, still live in Edina. My dad and step-mom currently live in Stillwater. This is my family! Soon I will be getting married on May 1st to Jenna!

When I am not in the classroom?

I love watching football and Minnesota Hockey. I enjoy fishing and playing cribbage. You will also find me working out and spending time outside. I try to visit my cabin in Two Harbors to rest and relax as often as I can. Here is a picture of me playing at St. Thomas.

Why am I teaching? I love being a positive influence on children of the future. I have been preparing for this position my whole life, and am very excited to be at Concord. The students are a real treat, and I know this will be a great year!