

Meet Your Teachers

**A Special Supplement to the
Torrington Telegram**



August 30, 2024

Martin Anaya

Name: Martin Anaya
Building: Torrington High School
Subject/ grade level/ position: Auto

**Susie Asa**

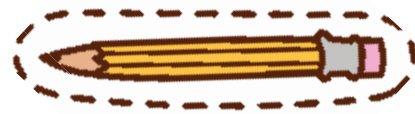
Name: Susie Asa
Building: Lingle-Fort Laramie
Subject/grade level: Special Education
Taught since 1997, all in Goshen County. Taught in Goshen County 22 years.
Education: AA from EWC and a BA from Chadron State.
Family: Husband Greg, daughter Alexis and son Eli Cooper.
Hobbies: Cooking and gardening and boating.

**Monica Anderson**

Name: Monica Anderson
Building: Southeast
Subject/ grade level/ position: 6th grade
Previously taught/ worked at: Education background: Bachelors & Masters from Grand Canyon University
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: Teach each student to critically think about and analyze the world they live in.
Family info: Married to Dusty Anderson. 4 children: Hailey, Sawyer, Hayden and Sydney.

**Priscilla Bartels**

Name: Priscilla Bartels
Building: Lincoln Elementary
Subject/ grade level: Kindergarten Teacher
Years at GCSD#1: 21
Previously taught at: GCSD
Education background: A.A.- Eastern Wyoming College/ B.S. in Elementary Education - Chadron State College
Goals/expectations for working with students in Goshen County: To build kind, caring life-long learners that enjoy helping others!

**Jeshua Arnusch**

Name: Jeshua Arnusch
Building: Lingle-Fort Laramie Elementary
Subject/ grade level: 4th Grade
Years at GCSD#1: 12
Education background: Associate of Arts in Elementary Education, Eastern Wyoming College; Bachelor of Science in Elementary Education, Chadron State College; Master in Educational Leadership, Concordia University Portland
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: My goal is to challenge my students to grow both academically and emotionally during their 4th grade year. I want my students to learn that work ethic and a great attitude leads to success.
Family info: I am married to my beautiful wife Jessica Arnusch and we have three amazing children; Anthony, Keyan, and Lily. Also, a shoutout to my awesome parents Karl and Heather Arnusch who are also Goshen County locals!
Hobbies/ interests: My hobbies and interests include football, basketball, soccer, coaching, church, camping, fishing, hunting, selling real estate, and enjoying life by spending time with my family and friends!



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Neil Baker

Name: Neil Baker
Building: Lingle-Fort Laramie
Subject/ grade level: 8-12 Social Studies
Years at GCSD#1-10
Previously taught at: Torrington High School, Bayard, Nebraska and Chugwater
Education background: BA from Doane University, 1993
Family info (optional): Wife Stacy, kids Megan (24), Lindsey (22), Ryan (20) and Sam (17)
Hobbies/ interests: Sports, golf, family time

**Stacy Baker**

Name: Stacy Baker
Building: Torrington Middle and High Schools
Subject/ grade level: 6-11 Literacy Interventionist
Years in at GCSD#1: 9
Education background: BA: English, English Mass Media, 7-12 English Language Arts
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: My goal is to provide support of, and build, literacy skills for students so that they can be successful in school and beyond.
Family info: Husband Neil and children Megan, Lindsey, Ryan and Sammy.
Hobbies/ interests: Reading, watching movies, spending time with family.



*Thank you for the dedication, time, effort,
and heart that you put into teaching the
students of Goshen County.*



Shannon Baldwin

Name: Shannon Baldwin
Building: Lingle-Fort Laramie
Subject/ grade level/ position: K-12 Art
Previously taught/ worked at: Lincoln/ Trail Elementary and K-8 at Glenrock
Education back-ground: BS Art Education



Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: I am looking forward to helping the students find what medium in art they love to work with and hone in those skills to become a better artist.
Family info: I have been married to my wonderful husband Jason Baldwin for 11 years this fall. We have two children Zoe and Axel. They will be attending LFL this fall as well. We live on our family ranch by Prairie Center where we raise cattle, and have two spunky German Shepherds who keep us on our toes.
Hobbies/ interests: I love to create my own artwork, cook and bake for my family. I also enjoy my summers when I get to spend time with my family on the ranch and help out.

Logan Barker

Name: Logan Barker
Building: Torrington Middle School
Subject/ grade level: 6th Grade Language Arts
Years in at GCSD#1: 5
Previously taught at: (2 Years) Lincoln Elementary School (GCSD#1),(2 years) Highland Park Elementary (SCSD#2)



Education background: Bachelor's Degree in Elementary Education (K-6) from the University of Wyoming. Master's Degree in Curriculum and Instruction with an emphasis in literacy from the University of Wyoming.

Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: The expectation in my classroom is to develop meaningful and authentic relationships with every student who walks through my door. This will ensure my ability to reach every student and their individual educational needs.
Family info: Allison Barker (Wife) Briar Barker (Daughter)
Hobbies/ interests: Mowing grass, grilling meat, and watching the Wyoming Cowboys, Green Bay Packers and Torrington Trailblazers compete.

Gabe Bartlett

Name: Gabe Bartlett
Building: Torrington High School
Subject/ grade level/ position: Dean of Students/AD
Years at GCSD No. 1: 4
Previously taught/ worked at: State of Wyoming
Education background:



Administration of Justice
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: To ensure all students get the highest education in the safest environment possible.
Family info: Married with two high school age children
Hobbies/ interests: Boating and hiking.

Trisha Bates

Name: Trisha Bates
Building: Southeast
Subject/ grade level: Social Studies, grades 7,8,9,11
Years at GCSD#1: 26 years
Previously taught at: St. Joseph's Children's Home (1 year)



Education back-ground: Bachelor's in Secondary Social Studies from Black Hills State University, Master's in Learning Experience Design and Educational Technology from Western Governor's University.
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: I want my students to become productive citizens, develop a love for learning, and contribute to a positive school community.
Family info: Husband: Shad, Daughters: Madison and Morgan
Hobbies/ interests: Reading, gardening, officiating volleyball, coaching track, spending time with my family and friends

**Sheila Bever**

Name: Sheila Bever
Building: Lingle-Fort Laramie
Subject/grade level: K-5 Interventionist
Years at GCSD #1: 16
Education back-ground: Masters, ESL endorsement and national board certification teacher
Goals/expectations for working with students in Goshen County: I want all our students to feel safe and grow to be great community members.
Family: My husband, Ray, and I have four children: Stacey, and son-in-law Jace, Taylor, Kyle and Torey. We also have four beautiful grandchildren; Owen, Daxton, Kynlee and Haisley.

**David Bloemker**

Name: David Bloemker
Building: Trail Elementary
Subject/ grade level: 5th Grade Science and Social Studies
Years at GCSD#1: 14
Education back-ground: BA History and Spanish, MA Elementary Education
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: To provide real-world experiences that engage all learners
Family info: Wife: Mandy, and children: Claire, Andrew, Daniel, Thomas, and Jacob
Hobbies/ interests: Traveling, hiking, gardening, and reading

**Abby Bruch**

Name: Abby Bruch
Building: Lincoln Elementary
Subject/ grade level: Special Education, K-2
Years at GCSD#1: 17
Previously taught at: Grand Junction and Fort Collins, CO
Education back-ground: Bachelor's in Elementary Education, Special Education and a Master's in Reading and Literacy
Hobbies/ interests: My entire life revolves around my family and sports!

**Darcia Boche**

I have lived in Goshen County for 21 years, and I am beginning my 14th year of teaching secondary math-ematics at Southeast Junior High and High School. I completed my bachelor's degree at Concordia University in Seward, Nebraska, and my master's degree is from Chadron State University. My husband, Geoff, works as an engineer for Union Pacific Railroad. Our children attend Southeast Schools. Harper is a senior, Drew is a junior, and Liz is a freshman. They all stay very involved in extracurricular activities. I enjoy spending time with our family and friends, running, baking, reading, quilting, and cleaning. I am looking forward to an exceptional school year for our students in Goshen County!

**Kaitlyn Bristow**

Name: Kaitlyn Bristow
Building: Lincoln
Subject/ grade level: 2nd Grade
Years at GCSD#1: 3
Years
Previously taught at: Guernsey Sunrise Elementary for 4 years



Education back-ground: I received my undergraduate degree from The University of Wisconsin Eau-Claire which allowed me to study abroad in Spain for a semester. I then did my student teaching in Houston, Texas in an elementary school for 3rd grade and 9th grade Spanish. After my first year of teaching, I went back to school for my masters in Curriculum and Instruction with an emphasis in Literacy.
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: My goal each year is for my students to succeed in an area they felt they could never achieve. School can be stressful to young minds, so helping them understand that it's okay to fail as long as we keep trying to succeed.
Family info: My husband and I live in Guernsey with our 4-year-old son and a 16-year-old stepson.
Hobbies/ interests: I absolutely love to golf, a hobby I started 5 years ago. I also enjoy traveling to different states and countries. As a relaxing hobby, I can never say no to a good book and some relaxation time.

Jamie Brimer

Name: Jamie Brimer
Building: Lincoln
Elementary School
Subject/ grade level:
1st Grade
Years at GCSD#1: 1
Previously taught at:
Leyton Public Schools
in Gurley, NE
Education back-
ground: I attended
EWC in Torrington



and got my associates degree in Elementary Education. I then transferred to CSC in Chadron, where I got my bachelor's of science degree in Elementary Education, and then went on to obtain my master's degree from CSC in PreK-12 Reading Specialty. After graduating college with my bachelor's degree, I taught Kindergarten in Kimball for 1 year and then transferred to Leyton Public Schools and taught Kindergarten for 4 years there. My husband and I then got married, moved to Texas for a short time where I long term subbed in Kindergarten, and then moved to Torrington right before the end of the school year. I subbed in Goshen County for the remainder of the school year until I was offered this job. I am so excited to be apart of this community, and to be a teacher at Lincoln.

Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: My goals and expectations for working with students in Goshen County is that I would be able to help make an impact on all the students that walk through my doors. I want to be able to create a successful classroom full of student learning, engagement, understanding, growth, and lots of fun along the way with positive and uplifting memories. Family info (optional): I am married to my amazing husband, Cooper, and he works at Dinklage Feedyard on the cowboy crew. Hobbies/ interests (optional): I love hanging out with my husband, our 2 dogs, and riding horses. I love being outside as much as possible, cooking, baking, and just being with family and friends. I love my daily devotionals, and listening to podcasts and audiobooks.

Shane Buchholz

Teacher at Southeast schools.

**Cheyenne Broadway**

Name: Cheyenne Broadway
Building: Trail
Subject/ grade level:
4th Grade Special
Education
Years at GCSD#1:
Working on my 5th
year.
Previously taught at:
Torrington Middle
School



Education background: I originally went to school to be a PE teacher, but I didn't feel like it was taking me where I wanted to go. So, a couple of years ago I switched gears and went into Special Education. Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: I am excited about a new challenge and learning everything I can about 4th grade. Family info (optional): I am married to my best friend. We have 2 boys; Tripp and Atlas. Hobbies/ interests (optional): I like to camp, hike, and fish with my family but most recently I learned how to ride a motorcycle and bought my first bike.

Kelsea Brothwell

Name: Kelsea Brothwell
Building: Lincoln
Elementary School
Subject/ grade level:
2nd
Years at GCSD#1 5
Previously taught at:
Education back-
ground: Associates
at Eastern Wyoming
College, bachelor's
degree at Valley City State University,
Currently working on Masters through
Western Governors University
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: "Every Student can learn, just not on the same day or in the same way." -George Evans
Family info: My husband Cole and I have 3 kiddos; Kane, Karsyn and Kinsley
Hobbies/ interests: Spending time with family, being outdoors, baking, and hunting.

**Jennifer Brummell**

Name: Jennifer Brummell
Building: Trail
Elementary
Subject/grade level/
position: 4th Grade
Years at GCSD No.
1: Starting my 30th
year - All at Trail
Elementary
Education back-
ground: Two
Bachelor's Degrees: Special Education,
Elementary Education; Master's Degree in
Curriculum and Instruction; National Board
Certified
Goals/expectations for working with students in Goshen County: Meet each student where they're at and help them grow to meet their full potential
Family info: Husband: Eddie, Son: Mason, Daughter, Allison
Hobbies/interests: Hiking and spending time with my family.

**Erin Buchanan**

Name: Erin Buchanan
Building: Southeast
and Lingle-Fort
Laramie
Subject/ grade level:
Speech-Language
Pathology
Years at GCSD#1: 2
Previously taught at:
STRIDE in Cheyenne,
Education back-
ground: B.S. in
Speech, Language, and Hearing Sciences
(University of Wyoming); M.S. in Speech-
Language Pathology (University of Wyoming)
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: My goal is to help students grow in their communication skills and give everyone a voice.

**Tory Bugher**

Name: Tory Bugher
Building: Torrington
Middle School
Subject/grade level:
Physical Education
Education: Graduate
of University of
Wyoming with a
K-12 degree in physical education and health.
Family: Married to Mindy; Daughters Whittni Marie, Madison Lee and Makenzee Alice.
Hobbies: Most of my hobbies involve outdoor activities – hunting, fishing, hiking, training hunting dogs, wood working.

**Andrea Brunsvold**

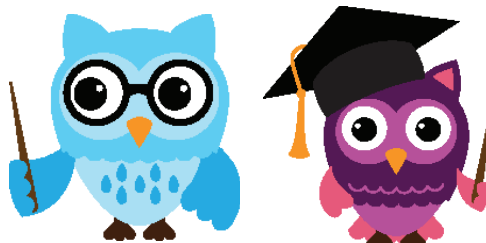
Name: Andrea Brunsvold
Building: Torrington
High School
Subject/ grade level:
English
Years at GCSD#1: First
year
Previously taught at:
St. Joseph's Children's
Home
Education back-
ground: B.A. from Wittenberg University
in Springfield, Ohio; M.A. in religion from
Concordia Seminary in St. Louis, Missouri;
Secondary education certification through
the University of Missouri-St. Louis
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: Getting to know them a individuals, and helping them become self-motivated learners.
Hobbies/ interests: gardening, listening to podcasts, spending time with family



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thank a **TEACHER.**

Emily Buchanan

Name: Emily Buchanan
Building: Lincoln
Elementary School
Subject/ grade level:
1st Grade
Years at GCSD#1: 3
Previously taught at:
Morrill Elementary
School
Education back-
ground: University of
Wyoming, Bachelors Degree in Elementary
Education and a Minor in Early Childhood
Education, Masters in Curriculum and
Instruction
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: To provide each student with the guidance and support they need to reach their full potential as a student and an individual.
Hobbies/ interests: Spending time with family and friends, coaching.



Christina Bullington

Name: Christina Bullington
 Building: THS
 Subject/ grade level: Math 7th grade
 Years at GCSD#1: 2
 Previously taught at: St. Joseph's Children's Home
 Education background: Bachelor of Art's in Mathematics and Secondary Education
 Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: My goal is to show student growth in Math.

**Elias Chavez**

Name: Elias Chavez
 Building: Torrington High School
 Subject/ grade level: Social Studies (9th and 12th Grade)
 Years in at GCSD#1: 4
 Previously taught at: N/A
 Education background: Chadron State College 2020- Bachelor of Science in Education; Eastern Wyoming College 2017- Associate of Arts in Education; Eastern Wyoming College 2016- Associate of Science in Biology
 Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: Form positive relationships with students, showing how much they are cared for and how much they matter. Also, helping students understand that they are supported, believed in, and that they can succeed and achieve their goals.

**Jay Clapper**

Name: Jay Clapper
 Building: Southeast
 Subject/ grade level: 7-12
 Years at GCSD#1 15
 Previously taught at: 17 years in Colorado
 Education background: Agriculture
 Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: My goal has always been to create the most well rounded student I can in the time I have them.
 Family info: I have 6 children and 3 grandchildren.
 Hobbies/ interests: Enjoy my hobby farm, reading, family, and rattlesnake hunting,

**Kim Cooper**

Name: Kim Cooper
 Building: Lingle-Fort Laramie MS/HS
 Subject/ grade level: 8th grade math, algebra 1, geometry, algebra 1.6, Business and Tech Math
 Years at GCSD#1 13 years
 Previously taught at: Goshen County is my first teaching position
 Education background: BA in Mathematics and Business from Chadron State College (1991), BS in 6-12 Mathematics Education Chadron State College (2012)
 Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: Working with the students in Goshen County is a great experience! My goal is raising WY-Topp scores in math for my students and getting everyone the help that they need to understand the content.
 Family info: Married for 33 years to Jason Cooper, 4 children Jesse, Taylor, Garrett and Jade Cooper.

**Marcy Cates**

Name: Marcy Cates
 Building: Central Admin
 Subject/ grade level: Business Manager
 Years at GCSD#1 15+ years; Started in 10/2008
 Education background: BS in Accounting and Finance from University of Wyoming
 Family info (optional): Spouse - Lance (Wee Pals Preschool) and Adult Children - Robert (Graduate of BHSU; Employed by Farm Bureau) and Trisha (University of Wyoming majoring in Jazz Performance)
 Hobbies/ interests (optional): Spending time with family and University of Wyoming activities

**Mary Chilson**

Name: Mary Chilson
 Building: Torrington High School
 Subject/ grade level: Special Education
 Years at GCSD#1: 2023/24 is my ninth year with GCSD#1
 Previously worked at: Lincoln Elementary
 Education background: BS in biology from State University of New York, Albany; MS in Adolescent Education from the College of Saint Rose, Albany, NY.
 Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: It is an earnest goal to help students reach their potential and find joy in education.
 Family info: Blessed with wonderful parents, many sisters (birth and soul), many more nephews and a couple nieces, six children, usually about five cats, and two dogs too many.
 Hobbies/ interests: There is something interesting about everything! Some of the most interesting topics and time grabbers fit in the following categories: time with family, gardening, music, camping, motorcycles, repurposing stuff, and checking out cool rocks or plant parts with a magnifying glass or microscope.

**Nicole Clayton**

Name: Nicole Clayton
 Building: Torrington High School
 Subject/ grade level: Chemistry (grades 11-12) & Biology (grade 10)
 Years in at GCSD#1: 10
 Previously taught at: Scottsbluff HS, Snake River HS
 Education background: BS Biological Sciences & Chemistry, Masters of Natural Science, National Board Certified 2021
 Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: "Never stop learning; for when we stop learning, we stop growing." - Loyal "Jack" Lewman

**Beth Correa**

Name: Beth Correa
 Building: Southeast Elementary School
 Subject/ grade level: Intervention Teacher
 Years at GCSD#1: I've been teaching here since 2007.
 Previously taught at: I taught a K-2 multi-grade classroom at a rural school in Nebraska before starting in Goshen County.
 Education background: I received my associate's degree from Eastern Wyoming College, my bachelor's degree from Chadron State College, and my master's degree from the University of Wyoming. I've maintained National Board Certification since 2010.
 Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: My goal is to help our students build a strong foundation so they can be successful in school.
 Family info (optional): My husband Abe and I have two kids, Mateo and Bella.

**James Catlin**

Principal, Torrington Middle School



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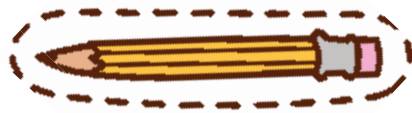
Emily Cottrell

Name: Emily Cottrell
Building Lingle-Fort
Laramie Schools (We
are all a big family!)
Subject/ grade level:
English, 11-12th grade,
Concurrent English
courses Lingle and
Southeast
Years in at GCSD#1
Seven, this go-around
Previously taught at: St. Joseph's Children's
Home



Education background Bachelor of Art in
English-Arizona State University, Master of Art
in Education-Grand Canyon University, Master
of Art in English-Grand Canyon University
Goals/ expectations for working with students
in Goshen County Build positive relationships
that excel learning and lifelong preparedness;
and to have fun doing it!
Family info Husband, Ian Cottrell-works at
EWC; Children: Audrey, Beck, Claire, and Diana
Hobbies/ interests: Being with my family,
cooking/baking, college basketball-specific-
ally the Kansas Jayhawks, watching/playing/
coaching athletics, reading a good book,
being outdoors!

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**Niki Craig**

Name: Niki Craig
Building: Central
Office
Subject/ grade level:
Early Literacy with
the Preschoolers of
Goshen County
Years at GCSD#1 This
will be my 9th year
with GCSD.
Previously taught
at: Prior to GCSD, I
taught for 5 years at Flagstaff Academy in
Longmont, CO. I spent 4 years with kinder-
garten and 1 year in First Grade before mov-
ing to Wyoming.
Education background: I have a bachelor's
degree in Elementary Education that I
received from the University of Northern
Colorado. Go Bears!
Goals/ expectations for working with stu-
dents in Goshen County: My greatest goal
in working with preschoolers is to prepare
them for a future of success in reading and a
love of books.
Family info: I am married. I have a wonder-
ful husband, Ryen Craig, and we have a
great life together with our furbabies. We
have 3 dogs, a cat, and a Hedgehog named
Gus.
Hobbies/ interests: In my free time, I love
photography and I enjoy baking for those I
care about.

**Judy Cummings**

Name: Judy
Cummings
Building: District
Librarian/ Library
Media Specialist
Subject/ grade level:
K-12
Years at GCSD#1: 20
years
Previously taught
at: Trail Elementary
School, Torrington,
Wyoming, as well as Montana, Texas, and
Colorado
Education background: Bachelor of Arts
from University of Northern Colorado,
Greeley, Colorado. Master's Degree in
Differentiated Instruction from Concordia
University
Goals/ expectations for working with stu-
dents in Goshen County: My goal for GCSD
students would be to enable them to reach
new heights in their goals and dreams
through resources in the library and books
that change their world.
Family info (optional): Married to Dave
for 35 years. My children are all over the
U.S. now, Caitlyn, her husband Francis and
daughter Ella in Florida. Jon, his wife Ellie,
and soon to be grandson in Scottsbluff, and
finally Elyssa in Minneapolis, Minnesota.
Hobbies/ interests (optional): Outside activi-
ties with Dave like hiking, skiing, and kayak-
ing. Spending time with my children and
their families. Running.

**Ashley Curry**

Name: Ashley Curry
Building: Central
Administrative Office
Subject/ grade
level: Early Literacy
Interventionist/ Pre-K
Years at GCSD#1: This
is my 5th year teach-
ing in Goshen County.
Previously taught at: I
previously taught 4th
grade for five years at
Denver Public Schools.
Education background: I received a BS
in Family and Consumer Science and my
Elementary Education degree from the
University of Wyoming.
Goals/ expectations for working with
students in Goshen County: My goal is to
develop relationships with preschools and
daycare providers located in Goshen County.
In my position, we are the first interaction
that families and students have with the
public schools. We hope to provide support
and guidance to families and help their child
in their future educational endeavors. The
goal of our Early Literacy Program is to give
students the foundational skills that they
will need to become future readers.
Family info: My husband, Grant, and I have
two boys, Owen and Reed.
Hobbies/ interests (optional): I like to run,
hike, paddleboard, watch my kids play
sports, and garden.



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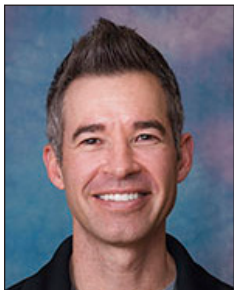
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Matt Daily

Name: Matt Daily
Building: LaGrange Elementary School
Subject/ grade level: Kindergarten, First Grade, Art, Music and Principal.
Years at GCSD#1: 20
Previously taught at: Lincoln Elementary School in Torrington
Education background: Associate's Degree from Laramie County Community College, Bachelor's Degree from University of Wyoming and Master's Degree in Elementary Administration from Chadron State College.
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: My goal is to help all students reach their full potential in a fun, kind and respectful environment.
Family info (optional): Son of Bob and Judy Daily.
Hobbies/ interests (optional): I love to read as much as possible and run.

**Chelsea Dewitt**

Name: Chelsea DeWitt
Building: LaGrange Elementary School
Subject/ grade level: 2nd/3rd and SPED
Years at GCSD#1: This will be my 3rd year.
Previously taught at: Trail Elementary School
Education background: Southeast High School; University of Wyoming
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: I want the students to have fun while they are learning and growing as young adults. It is important that they are willing to try new things and aren't afraid to make mistakes along the way.
Family info (optional): Morgan DeWitt (husband) Hatley DeWitt (daughter) Cooper DeWitt (son)
Hobbies/ interests (optional): I love competition of all forms but especially enjoy volleyball and basketball. I also enjoy home improvement projects and am frequently working on "updating" at least one thing in my house/yard throughout the year.

**Jody Distler**

Name: Jody Distler
Building: Torrington High School
Subject/ grade level: Math (Algebra I, Algebra 1.5, Geometry)
Years in at GCSD#1: 3
Previously taught at: El Paso, Texas (9 years) and Casper (18 years)
Education background: BA from University of Northern Colorado – Education; MA from Chadron State College – Secondary Mathematics; Certification from Salus University – Teacher of the Visually Impaired
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: It is my goal to assist students of Goshen County build their understanding of mathematics, so they have skills they can use wherever life takes them.
Family info: Husband, Jim; Daughter, Megan, sons, Anthony (UW) and Erik (THS)
Hobbies/ interests: In my spare time, I enjoy reading, playing puzzle games, and adapting games for use by children who are visually impaired.

**Danielle Eichenberger**

Name: Danielle Eichenberger
Building: Trail Elementary
Subject/ grade level: Special Education Teacher
Years at GCSD#1: Starting my 8th year
Previously taught at: St. Joseph's Children's Home and Lusk Elementary School
Education background: Bachelor's in K-5 General Education and K-12 Special Education
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: To help my students see the strengths they have and to teach them to use those strengths to achieve anything they want.
Family info: Married to Steve Eichenberger for 19 years; two sons, Barrett (18) and Brandt (15)
Hobbies/ interests: Cooking, photography, fitness, outdoors

**Kevin Derby**

Name: Kevin Derby
Building: Central
Subject/ grade level: Director of Curriculum and Instruction
Years at GCSD#1: 17
Previously taught at: Lingle-Fort Laramie HS and Torrington HS
Education background: BA University of Northern Colorado; MA Adams State University
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: I am excited to work with the teachers of Goshen County. It is awesome to see all of the wonderful teaching and learning happening in Goshen County on a day to day basis. I want to continue to raise the level of achievement and rigor for all students in all classrooms.

**Michelle Dobson**

Name: Michelle Dobson
Building: Lingle-Fort Laramie
Subject/grade level: Language Arts
Education background: Graduated with a degree in elementary education from Missouri State University, all subjects grades 1-8, middle school certification.
Goals: I expect my students to perform at a high level on each learning activity so they can be better prepared for any opportunity that may come their way.
Family: My husband and I live in Lingle.
Hobbies: I enjoy camping, hiking, reading, video games and renovating my house.

**Bobbi Doering**

Name: Bobbi Doering
Building: Torrington High School
Subject/ grade level: Family Consumer Science Grades 9-12
Years at GCSD#1 Started January 2023
Education background: Bachelor of Science Home Economics, University of Wyoming May 1994; Master's of Business Administration Concentration in Human Resources, Baker University December 2012
Master of Organization Development, Avila University, June 2014
Graduate Teaching Certification Career and Technical Education – May 2013 - present
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: To empower students to focus on achieving success in school, learning real world skills and building positive relationships while exploring career opportunities aligned with Family Consumer Science. I spent many years working in management and Human Resources and want to share my experience and education with students to learn relatable skills to create a life of their dreams.

**Jim English**

Name: Jim English
Building: Torrington Middle School
Subject/grade level: Assistant Principal
Education: BS in natural science and physical education From Chadron State - 1985, MS in secondary administration from Chadron State - 1998.
Family: Wife, Connie, sons, Tony and Trace.
Hobbies: Family, sports and outdoor activities.

**Tammy Durnford**

Special Education Case Manager at the Office of Special Services.

**Peter Drowniany**

Teacher at Southeast schools



Wendi Elsen

Name: Wendi Elsen
Building: Lincoln Elementary School
Subject/ grade level: 1st Grade
Years at GCSD#1: 12th



Previously taught at: Natrona County School District at Evansville Elementary
Education background: Associate's Degree at McCook Community College, Bachelor's degree at the University of Wyoming and Master's Degree from Walden University
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: My goals for my students is for them to reach their fullest potential in 1st grade.
Family info: My husband and I have two sons that are 14 and 12 years old and daughter that will be 7 years old in September.
Hobbies/ interests: My family and I enjoy spending time together, especially in the mountains!

Erin Estes

Name: Erin Estes
Building: LFL
Subject/ grade level: 6-12 Mathematics
Years at GCSD#1: 15
Previously taught at: St. Joseph's Children's Home



Education background: Bachelors in Mathematics from University of Wyoming, Masters in K-6 Mathematics from Western Governor's University
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: Help students realize their potential as life-long learners, develop students as future productive members of their communities
Family info: Husband, Mark Estes; Sons, Guy and Abel Estes
Hobbies/ interests: Student Council Advisor, camping, hiking, fishing, watching my kids play sports!

Tina Fahrenbrook

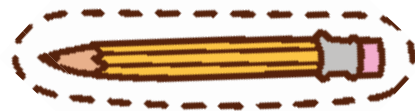
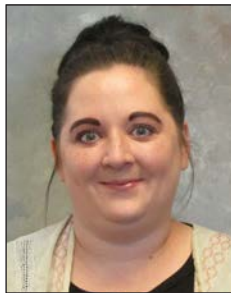
Name: Tina Fahrenbrook
Buliding: Speech pathologist for the office of special services.
Education: Masters of arts in speech-language pathology, University of Northern Colorado.



Goals: I hope to provide quality speech-language therapy to help my students become effective communi-cators in the regular education classroom.
Family: I have been an SLP for 34 years and I live in Nebraska. My husband, Kurt, is a clinical audiologist at Regional West Medical Center. I have twin boys, Nate and Austin.
Hobbies: I enjoy fishing and playing golf with my family. I am an avid reader.

Brooke Flaherty

Name: Brooke Flaherty
Building: Torrington High School
Subject/ grade level: Special Education
Years at GCSD#1: This is my 2nd year
Previously taught at: Scottsbluff Middle School
Education back-ground: I graduated from Chadron State College. I have been teaching for 10 years. Most of my experience has taken place in Wyoming.

**Tyler Floerchinger**

Name: Tyler Floerchinger
Building: Trail Elementary
Subject/grade level: Principal
Education: Bachelor's in elementary education, master's in education administration.
Family: wife, Kayla, and daughters, Raelee and Racie.
Hobbies: Hunting, fishing, hiking, roping and spending time with family.

**Shannon Fleming**

Name: Shannon Fleming
Building: Lingle-Fort Laramie School
Subject/ grade level: K-12 School Counseling
Years at GCSD#1: 25 years
Education back-ground: Bachelor of Social Work;



Colorado State University, Master of Science in Counseling; Utah State University
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: To promote the academic, personal, and social development of all students. Assist all students with enriching their college and career readiness.
Family info: Married with 3 adult children.

Kayla Floerchinger

Name: Kayla Floerchinger
Building: Lingle-Fort Laramie Elementary School
Subject/ grade level/ position: Kindergarten Teacher
Years at GCSD No. 1: 9 years
Previously taught/ worked at: I have always taught Kindergarten in GCSD #1. I taught 5 years at Lincoln Elementary in Torrington and going into my 5th year at LFL!



Education background: I knew that I wanted to be a teacher since I was in the 6th grade. I got my BA at the University of Montana-Western in Dillon, Montana. I student taught and got my first teaching job in the town I grew up in. I taught 1st and 2nd Grade in Montana and have taught Kindergarten here in Goshen County.

Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: My goal is that all of my students show growth throughout their Kindergarten year. My expectations are for my Kindergarten students to improve in social, emotional learning as well as in academics. As Mr. Kramer states often, "Every student, every day, whatever it takes!"
Family info: My husband and I have been married for 17 years and we have two beautiful girls, Raelee and Racie.
Hobbies/ interests: Being outdoors, camping, riding horses and team roping. I love being with my family!

Katelyn Fody

Name: Katy Fody
Building: TMS/THS
Subject/ grade level: 6-12 Vocal Music
Years at GCSD#1- 8
Previously taught at: Morrill Public Schools
Education back-ground: Bachelor of Science in Education- K-12 Field Endorsement from



Chadron State College
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: Continue to grow students' love of music and the arts!
Family info (optional): husband- Kyle Children- Kai, Lauren & Lane
Hobbies/ interests: cooking, reading, camping and spending time with my family

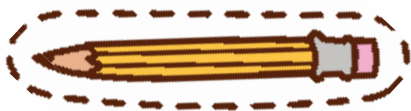
Diana Fittje

Name: Diana Fittje
Building: Lincoln Elementary School
Subject/ grade level: Music K-2
Years at GCSD#1: 0
Previously taught at: Just graduated in May 2024
Education back-ground: Bachelor's in Music Education from the University of Wyoming



Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: My goal is to teach students through experiencing music and help them build confidence in their abilities.
Family info: I have a fiancé, and a rescue dog named Ash.
Hobbies/ interests: I enjoy hiking and being in the outdoors. I also enjoy practicing calligraphy and hand lettering in my free time.

Thanks, Teachers!

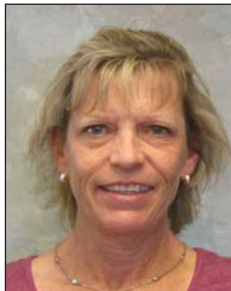


Amanda Fogle

Name: Amanda Fogle
 Building: Southeast and LaGrange Schools
 Subject/ grade level: K-12 School Counselor
 Years at GCSD#1 19
 Previously taught at: Anthon-Oto Elementary and Middle School
 Education background: Bachelor's in Psychology and Master in School Counseling
 Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: To provide a safe learning environment where kids learn the skills needed to be successful in the workplace and with their families and friends.
 Family info: Husband Eric, Kids Ty and Silvia Fogle

**Tami Francis**

Name: Tami Francis
 Building: TMS
 Subject/ grade level: 6th grade science
 Years at GCSD#1: 2
 Previously taught at: Laramie County School District #1
 Education background: B.S. in Biological Science/ Education from UW; M.S. in Middle School Natural Science from UW
 Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: Support students to develop their science and engineering skills while building on their natural curiosity about the world.
 Family info: Husband Kelly Francis
 Hobbies/ interests: ranchwork and gardening

**Stacie Fullmer**

Name: Stacie Fullmer
 Building: Trail Elementary School
 Subject/ grade level: 4th Grade
 Years at GCSD#1: 11 years
 Previously taught at: Pine Bluffs Elementary (14 years) and Mitchell Elementary (4 years)
 Education background: Bachelor's of Science from Chadron State College, Master's Degree in Literacy from Walden University, Nationally Board Certified
 Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: My goal for Trail students is to help them reach their fullest potential, while developing a love for learning.
 Family info: My husband, Jeff, works at Southeast High School, my oldest son works at TMS, and my youngest son is finishing his degree in education at Chadron State College.
 Hobbies/ interests: Reading, baking, camping, being with family and friends.

**John Gibson**

Name: John Gibson
 Building: Lingle-Fort Laramie
 Subject/ grade level/ position: CTE/6-12/ Career and Technical Education
 Years at GCSD No. 1: 18
 Previously taught/ worked at: EWC, Converse County School District Education background: Bachelors-Industrial Technology Education, Masters-Technology in Education
 Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: My goal for my students is to prepare them for life in the workplace after high school.
 Family info: I am the son of Dan and Virginia Gibson of Lyman, Neb.; the 3rd generation Goshen County Schools graduate; the father of son - Gage Gibson; daughter Grace Gibson.
 Hobbies/ interests: Hunting, fishing, camping and home improvements.

**Theresa Fox**

Name: Theresa Fox
 Building: Torrington Middle School
 Subject/ grade level: 6th Grade Math
 Years at GCSD#1: 25
 Previously taught at: Education background: Graduated with a bachelor's degree from Chadron State College and a master's degree from Walden University.
 Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: My goal is to help all students be successful in math. I want them to realize that math is not scary, and they are able to do it if they put their minds to it.

**Jeff Fullmer**

Name: Jeff Fullmer
 Building: Southeast
 Subject/grade level: Physical Education
 Education: BS in education from Chadron State College, nationally certified Strength and Conditioning Specialist through NCSA.
 Goals: Working with kids in the weight room and seeing them succeed outside of my classroom.
 Family: Stacie Fullmer, Brady Fullmer, Brant Fullmer.
 Hobbies: Outdoors, hunting, fishing, spending time with my family.



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Brandon Gifford

Name: Brandon Gifford
 Building: Lingle-Fort Laramie
 Subject/ grade level/ position: 6-12th Science
 Years at GCSD#1: 15th year
 Previously taught/ worked at: N/A
 Education background: Graduated from University of Wyoming
 Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: To have students enjoy learning and to be productive members of society when they leave our school.



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Jennifer Garcia

Name: Jennifer Garcia
Building: Central Administration Building
Subject/ grade level: Early Literacy Interventionist
Years at GCSD#1 : 14
Previously taught at: Sweetwater County School District #1, Rock Springs



Education background: Bachelor of Arts in Elementary Education, Master of Science in Literacy
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: I am excited to work with our earliest learners in Goshen County at our wonderful preschool and daycare sites to help foster a solid foundation for reading.

Gary Glass

Name: Gary Glass
Building: THS and TMS
Subject/ grade level: Band/6-12



Years at GCSD#1: Starting the 19th
Previously taught at: Bear Lake MS and HS, Powell HS, Northwest College, Evanston Elementary Schools, Nishiwaga HS
Education background: Bachelor of Music Education and Masters of Music from the University of Wyoming
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: Guiding students to learn to perform on instruments and develop an appreciation for music.
Family info: Married to Akemi Glass with two daughters

Kelsey Grant

Name: Kelsey Grant
Building: TMS
Subject/ grade level: Counselor



Years at GCSD#1: 6
Previously taught at: I was a therapist at St. Joseph's Children's Home
Education background: I received my bachelor's in psychology at the University of Wyoming and my Masters in counseling at Chadron State.
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: To support students' academic, social, and emotional growth by providing guidance, promoting positive decision-making, and ensuring a safe, inclusive environment for all.
Family info: I have been married to my husband Cody for 10 years. We have two amazing little boys, Kashtyn and Kaysen.
Hobbies/ interests: Running, coaching, going to the lake, going to the mountains, being with my family.

Jason Groene

Name: Jason Groene
Building: THS/LFL
Subject/ grade level: Agriculture Education 7-12
Years at GCSD#1: 19
Previously taught at: Chugwater – 3 yrs.



Education background: M.Ed in Curriculum and Instruction, Teacher Certification in Agriculture Broadfield, B.S. Animal Science w/emphasis in Livestock Production, A.A.S in Farm and Ranch Management.
Montana State, Oklahoma Panhandle State, Hutchinson Community College
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: Excellence in achievement
Family info: Wife: Kelly, Children: Klacie, Carter, and Colby
Hobbies/ interests: Family and all the finer things in life!!!!!!!

Katrina Gifford

Name: Katrina Gifford
Building: LaGrange Elementary School
Subject/ grade level: 4th, 5th, 6th, and PE
Years at GCSD#1: This is the start of my 9th year.



Education background: Bachelors from University of Wyoming
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: Continue to work on our goals and see growth with the students in all subject.
Family info: Married to Brandon Gifford
Hobbies/ interests: I enjoy hunting and helping on the family farm.

Cody Grant

Name: Cody Grant
Building: Torrington Middle School
Subject/ grade level: 8th Grade Special Education
Years at GCSD1: 4th year
Previously taught at: Torrington High School



Education background: Master of Education and Master's of Special Education from Grand Canyon University
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: As a teacher, I want to help students reach their full academic potential as well as grow as individuals.
Family info: Wife Kelsey and I have two sons, Kashtyn and Kaysen Grant.
Hobbies/ interests: I enjoy spending time with my family at the lake and mountains. I also enjoy golfing, coaching wrestling, hunting, and fishing.

Baxter Greenwald

Name: Baxter Greenwald
Building: Torrington High School
Subject/ grade level/ position: Special Education
Years at GCSD No. 1: 3



Previously taught/ worked at: I previously taught at Douglas Primary School for 3 years.
Education background: I earned my Associate Degree in General Agriculture at Casper College. I continued my education at the University of Wyoming where I received my Bachelor's Degree in Elementary Education in 2018. I completed my Master's Degree in Special Education through Western Governors University.
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: My goal for working with the students at Torrington High School is to provide them with the skills and lessons they will need to be successful in their future opportunities.

Tennille Grosz

Name: Tennille Grosz
Building: Southeast
Subject/ grade level: 4th
Years at GCSD#1 15
Previously taught at: Natrona County



Education background: University of Wyoming
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: To build a solid foundation of trust and respect with each student to allow quality learning to happen.
Family info: Husband Travis, Daughter Hannah, son in law Morgan, grandson Hudson and son Logan,
Hobbies/ interests: spending time with my family, training and working with Search and Rescue dogs, and traveling.

Cory Gilchrist

Name: Cory Gilchrist
Building: Lingle-Fort Laramie
Subject/grade level: Principal
Education: BA in biological education; MA in education administration; MA in educational tech.
Goals: Every kid will grow. Plain and simple.



Do everything in our power to make sure every single child is growing in our school, not online in academics but as people.
Family: Married to my beautiful wife, Dawn. We have two sons, Scotty and Colton.
Hobbies: Archery hunting (especially elk), flyfishing and backpacking. Love being outdoors!



Rachel Gurney

Name: Rachel Gurney
Building: Lincoln Elementary School
Subject/ grade level: K-2 Significant Needs Special Education "The Hive"
Years at GCSD#1: 6th Year in Goshen County



Previously taught at: Laramie County School District & St. Mary's Catholic School-Cheyenne.
Education background: B.A. Elementary Education & Early Childhood-University of Wyoming; M.S. Special Education-Western Governors University
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County:
Family info: 2 boys: Cayson (9) & Brydger (6)
Hobbies/ interests: I enjoy following my boys around with all their sports and activities. They keep me very busy! I also volunteer around the community on the Little League Board, Flag Football Board and everything else my boys are involved in.

Jeff Halley

Name: Jeff Halley
Building: Torrington High School
Subject/ grade level/ position: Business
Years at GCSD No. 1: 18



Previously taught/ worked at: Newcastle & Big Timber Montana
Education background: BA BusEd / MA Sport Management
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: Help students grow into successful young adults.
Family info: wife Rachel; Daughters Laura and Reece
Hobbies/ interests : Fly fishing & golf

**Taren Hendricks**

Name: Taren Hendricks
Building: District
Subject/ grade level: K-5 Literacy Coach
Years at GCSD#1: 6 years



Previously taught at: Perkins County Schools, Grant, NE; Chase County Schools, Imperial, Neb.; Ogallala Public Schools, Ogallala, Neb.; Scottsbluff Public Schools, Scottsbluff, Neb.
Education background: Bachelor of Science – Elementary Education from University of Nebraska – Lincoln; Master of Arts – Reading from University of Nebraska - Kearney
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: My goal is to play a supporting role in the area of literacy, in hopes of setting students up to reach future reading achievement.
Family info: Husband, Ryan; Son Carter (16); Daughter Avery (14); Daughter Reese (12)
Hobbies/ interests: Reading books and cheering on the Nebraska Cornhuskers

Beth Ann Heilbrun

Name: Beth Anne Heilbrun
Building: Southeast & Lingle-Ft. Laramie
Subject/ grade level: 6-12 Spanish, Modern American Studies
Years at GCSD#1 : 16, 25 total



Previously taught at: Augusta Schools, Augusta, Montana
Education background: Bachelors in Social Sciences and History from The University of Montana, Western, Master's in English Language Learning from WGU, Spanish Carroll Catholic College
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: To help to develop globally competent students, that are culturally experienced with the diversity of 21st century skills.
Family info: Husband Matt, Son: Chase is 12, Daughter: Keelyn 8
Hobbies/ interests: Gardening, Canning, Traveling, Crafting

Shaina Hageman

Name: Shaina Hageman
Building: OSS.
District OT
Subject/ grade level: Occupational Therapy
Years at GCSD#1: Year 2



Previously taught at: Previously worked as an out-patient pediatric Occupational Therapist at Children's Rehabilitation Center in Kearney Neb.
Education background: Obtained my Master's Degree in Occupational Therapy at the University of North Dakota-Casper, WY Campus in 2020. Certified in Size Matters Handwriting Program and MNRI reflex integration.

Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: My goal for working with students in Goshen County is to help them grow to their full potential and assisting with the development of skills necessary to be successful within the classroom environment.

Family info: My husband and I live near Fort Laramie on his family ranch.

Hobbies/ interests: I enjoy spending time with my family and friends, riding horses, helping on the ranch and golfing.

Cody Haun

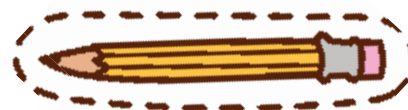
Name: Cody Haun
Building: Trail Elementary
Subject/grade level/ position: Third grade
Years teaching: 27
Previously taught at Mitchell Elementary School, Wheatland Rural, St. Agnes (Scottsbluff)



Education: CSC
Bachelors in Education.
Goals and expectations: I am looking forward to teaching first grade again and meeting my new students.
Family: My husband, Matt manages Pine Bluffs Feed & Grain. I have 4 children. Kaylie, Murphy, Madison and Pake.

Erica Hoffmann

Name: Erica Hoffmann
Building: Lincoln Elementary
Subject/grade level: First grade
Goals: Enjoy learning and have a positive experience.
Family: Husband and three daughters.
Hobbies: Being outdoors; spending time with my family.

**Chelsea Hibben**

Name: Chelsea Hibben
Building: Trail Elementary
Subject/ grade level: Special Education, 3rd grade
Years at GCSD#1 : 7



Education background: Degree in French from Iowa State, Master's in Education from University of Wyoming
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: Building relationships with students and helping them meet their academic and personal goals.
Hobbies/ interests (optional): Supporting Torrington sports teams, running, hiking, and reading.

Cathy Herstead

English teacher at Torrington High School

**Eric Hansen**

Math teacher at Torrington High School

**Kristen Henderson**

Teacher at Torrington High School



Kara Hill

Name: Kara Hill
Building: Lingle-Fort Laramie Middle School/High School
Subject/ grade level: 6th-12th grade Business and Computers
Years at GCSD#1: 9
Previously taught at: Guernsey-Sunrise for four years



Education background: English as a Second Language certification from Doane University; Master's degree in Business Administration from Western Governors University; Nationally Board Certified Teacher; Master's degree in Curriculum and Instruction from Doane University; Bachelor's degree in Business Education and Cooperative Education from the University of Nebraska-Lincoln; Associate degree in Business Administration and Journalism from Western Nebraska Community College
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: My goal is to build lasting relationships with the amazing kids of Goshen County that will last beyond their graduation and to help out future generations become more financially minded and career-ready.
Family info (optional): I am a proud wife to my husband Michael Hill (a graduate of Lingle-Fort Laramie) and a proud mom to our two children Avery and Kinsley Ruth.
Hobbies/ interests (optional): I love spending time with my family, learning new things, traveling, camping, fishing, researching our family genealogy, hunting, dancing, and cheering on the Huskers and the Doggers!

Darby Hoffman

Nurse at Lincoln and Trail Elementary.

**Kristin Hunter**

Name: Kristin Hunter
Building: Trail Elementary
Subject/ grade level/ position: 4th Grade
Years at GCSD#1: This is my 9th year
Previously taught/ worked at: Previously worked for the Practice Program and stayed home with my kids.



Education background: BA in education from UNK
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: I hope to build good relationships with all of my students and help them to grow and reach their full potential.
Family info: I am married to Wade Hunter and we have 4 children: Avery, Nolan, Ebin and Rylea.

Kari Hurley

Nurse at Torrington Middle and High School.

**Chelsi Jackson**

Special Education teacher at Lingle-Fort Laramie.

**Sabrina Juma**

Agriculture teacher at Torrington and Lingle-Fort Laramie.

**Chelsea Jackson**

Name: Chelsea Jackson
Building: Trail Elementary
Subject/ grade level: Third Grade General Education
Years at GCSD#1: 3
Previously taught at: Morrill Elementary School, Morrill, Nebraska



Education background: I have my bachelor's degree in criminal justice and a master's degree in Elementary Education.
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: To make a difference in their lives and to create a learning environment that they feel safe to grow and thrive in.

Joshua Jackson

Name: Joshua Jackson
Building: Torrington Middle School
Subject/grade level: Social studies
Graduated from: Chadron State College.
Family: Wife, Teah, sons, Gabriel and Camden.



Hobbies: Love sports and of course reading, church, technology, board games and spending time with my family.

Scott James

Name: Scott James
Building: Torrington High School
Subject/ grade level: Physical Science and Environmental Science
Years at GCSD#: First Year
Previously taught at: Dean of Students at Whiting High School, Laramie



Education background: Graduate of Torrington HS, Casper College, University of Wyoming (B.S. Science Education) and University of North Dakota (Masters-Educational Leadership)
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: The goal is to provide all students with a high-quality interactive science education.
Family info: My wife, who is also a former THS graduate, and I have four adult children. Her parent reside in Cheyenne and my parents reside in Torrington.

Alyssa Jernigan

Name: Alyssa Jernigan
Building: Lincoln Elementary
Subject/ grade level: Kindergarten
Years at GCSD#1: This is my 3rd year teaching!
Previously taught at: Goshen County is my first district.



Education background: I come from a long line of teachers, and I knew I wanted to be a teacher since I was a kid. Previously, I have worked at a Montessori preschool and the UW Early Care and Education Center with 0-6-year-olds. I was fortunate enough to do my student teaching right here in Goshen County with Taren Hendricks in the Fall of 2021. I graduated from the University of Wyoming with a major in Elementary Education and a minor/endorsement in early childhood. I am loving kindergarten and can't wait for many more years to come.
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: My goal is to foster a love of learning for all children I work with, while helping them lay a strong foundation to be productive members of society. I strive to create a welcoming, inclusive, respectful, and fun classroom where all students learn from each other.
Family info: I am the youngest of 4 sisters and I am enjoying being a first time aunt!
Hobbies/ interests : I love trying new foods, tubing, campfires, and hanging out with my friends.

Erin Jespersen

Name: Erin Jespersen
Building: LFL
Subject/ grade level: K-12 Music
Years at GCSD#1: Starting #24
Previously taught at: All LFL



Education background: Bachelor of Music and Master of Music in Music Education, University of Wyoming
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: Continue to assist our students in finding their strengths so they may leave school with excitement and purpose.
Family info: Husband Mark, daughters Avey and Nora
Hobbies/ interests: Travel, Family time, Reading, Swimming



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Staci John

Name: Staci John
Building: Trail
Elementary School
Subject/ grade
level: Reading and
Math Intervention
Teacher-Grades 3-5.
Years at GCSD#1: 26
& before that experi-
ence teaching 1st
grade in NV.



Education background: 1990 Bachelor of Arts University of Wyoming-Elementary Certification K-6, 2009 Master of Arts in Education University of Wyoming-Curriculum and Instruction, 2013 & 2023 National Boards Certification for Professional Teachers -Literacy: Reading-Language Arts/Early and Middle Childhood, 2021 IMSE Orton-Gillingham Intermediate Certification.
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: My goal is to support student's social, emotional, and academic needs so that students make progress to meet and exceed grade-level expectations and become successful people.
Family info: Husband-Matt, Daughters-Courtney & Korinne.
Hobbies/ interests: Watching and supporting area sports teams, reading, traveling, and anything water.

Roxanne Jolovich

Name: Roxanne Jolovich
Building: Southeast
Subject/ grade level:
5th grade
Years at GCSD#1:
Starting 17th year
Previously taught
at: All 17 years have
been in Goshen
County



Education back-
ground: Bachelor's Degree in Education
from the University of Wyoming
Goals/ expectations for working with stu-
dents in Goshen County: All students are
capable of learning at high levels, they just
need high expectations and someone to
believe in them.
Family info (optional): husband - Michael,
children - Trevor and Kamryn

Nathan Jones

Name: Nathan Jones
Building: Lingle-Fort
Laramie
Subject/ grade level:
K- 12 P.E.
Years at GCSD#1 17
Previously taught at:
Sutton, Nebraska.
Education back-
ground: university of
Nebraska Kearney
Goals/ expectations
for working with students in Goshen County:
Get kids in shape.
Family info: Wife Debbie.
Hobbies/ interests: Weightlifting, golf

**Katie Keller**

Name: Katie Keller
Building: Lincoln
Elementary School
Subject/ grade level:
Title I
Years at GCSD#1: 3
Previously taught at:
Education
background:
BS Elementary
Education, M. Ed.
Curriculum and
Instruction
Goals/ expectations for working with stu-
dents in Goshen County: I hope to foster a
love of learning in all students by meeting
each student where they are and showing
them that learning can be fun enjoyable.
Family info: Reagan, Aria
Hobbies/ interests: Reading, walking, spend-
ing time with my kids

**Susan Keller**

Name: Susan Keller
Building: Trail
Elementary
Subject/ grade level:
Reading and Math
Specialist/3rd-5th
grade
Years at GCSD#1:
starting #15
Previously taught at:
Kimball, Nebraska
Education back-
ground: EWC, Chadron State, master's
degree in Elementary Education, National
Board Certified
Goals/expectations for working with stu-
dents in Goshen County: provide strategic,
high-quality instruction to support students
in reaching grade-level criteria
Family info: Husband Duane, adult children
Dalton & Carly
Hobbies/ interests: reading

**Jamie Kistler**

Name: Jamie Kistler
Building: Lincoln
Elementary
Subject/grade level:
Interventionist
Education back-
ground: Elementary
education with early
childhood endorse-
ment. Graduated
from Chadron State
College.
Goals: I'm excited to help provide students
and teachers with support with reading and
math instruction.
Family: Husband, Paul, and daughter,
Berklee.
Hobbies: I enjoy spending time with friends
and family.

**Shelley Kochera**

Name: Shelley
Kochera
Building: Trail
Elementary School
Subject/ grade level/
position: 5th Grade
Years at GCSD No. 1:
This is my 8th year at
GCSD No. 1
Previously taught/
worked at:
Center Elementary
School; Hudson Elementary School
Baker Central School
Union Colony Elementary School
Education background:
Bachelor of Science Degree in Elementary
from Adams State College
Master's Degree in Curriculum and
Instruction in English Language Learners
Goals/ expectations for working with stu-
dents in Goshen County:
Family info: My husband and I have been
married for 28 years. We have 5 children (4
boys and 1 girl).
Hobbies/ interests: I enjoy quilting, testing
clothing patterns for an online pattern com-
pany, reading, and gardening.

**Glen Koski**

Interim Dean of
Students/AD/Teacher
at Southeast schools

**Lacy Krakow**

Name: Lacy Krakow
Building: Central
Administration
Subject/ grade level:
Gifted & Talented
Coordinator
Years at GCSD#1: 1st
year
Previously taught
at: The high school
& collegiate level as
well as the Wyoming
Department of Education as the Hathaway
Program & Junior ACT Program Consultant.
Education background: Bachelor & Master's
in Math Education from Chadron State
College
Goals/ expectations for working with stu-
dents in Goshen County: To create and
maintain high standards in all aspects of
education while being readily available to
ensure success at all levels.
Family info: Married with two children
Hobbies/ interests: Reading books and rid-
ing horses

**Ryan Kramer**

Superintendent
of Goshen County
School District No. 1.
Education: BA in
elementary educa-
tion, MA in school
administration, MA
in education school
superintendence.
Goals: My goals
for students and
families in Goshen
County are to have a positive experience
in school and to help students prepare for
career and further education following high
school.
Family: Wife and three children.
Hobbies: Boating, skiing, hiking, watching
children participate in school and commu-
nity activities, college football.

**Shawn Keith**

Social worker at the
Office of Special
Services.



MEET THE TEACHERS



Stacey Kramer

Name: Stacy Kramer
Building: Platte River School
Subject/ grade level: High School – Science, At-Risk, Special Education, and electives



Years at GCSD#1 – This will be year 4
Previously taught at: Akron-Westfield and West Sioux in Iowa, and EdOptions Academy
Education background: Bachelor of Science in Biology (Briar Cliff University), Master's in Public Health Administration (Concordia University), Master's in Education (University of Sioux Falls), Special Education (Northwestern College)

Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: Provide a supportive, educational atmosphere that helps reignite students' enthusiasm for learning and equips them with the skills they need to overcome obstacles, reach their goals, and continue becoming awesome humans.

Family info (optional): Married to Ryan and have 3 children – Jake, Anneke, and Drew
Hobbies/ interests (optional): Time with family, traveling, attending/cheering kids' events, camping, golfing, reading, learning new things.

Brownwyn Larsen

Name: Brownwyn Larsen
Building: Lincoln Elementary
Subject/ grade level: First Grade
Years in at GCSD#1: Second year with the district



Previously taught at: Coyote Trail Elementary in Tucson, Arizona for 14 years
Education background: Bachelor's Degree in Elementary Education from University of Arizona

Master's Degree in Early Childhood Education with Reading Specialist Endorsement from Northern Arizona University
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: To make learning come alive and enjoyable so that my students develop a life-long love of learning. Learning can be challenging, but also fun and worthwhile.

Family info: Tim Larsen (Husband) – Head Women's Basketball Coach/Fitness Center Director at Eastern Wyoming College; Brooke (daughter) – 7 years old & will be a Second Grader
Hobbies/ interests: Cooking/baking, watching movies with my family, reading with Brooke and having dance parties with my daughter.

Michael Lashley

Name: Mike Lashley
Building: Lingle-Ft. Laramie
Subject/ grade level: Dean of Students, Athletic Director, Mathematics
Years at GCSD#1: 35
Previously taught at: I have spent my entire career at LFL.



Education background: Nebraska Western College - Associates of Applied Science, University of Wyoming – Bachelor of Science, Grand Canyon University – Master of Arts, Chadron State College – Administrative Endorsement
Hobbies/ interests: College Football; spending time with my grandchildren

Jocelyn Leithead

Name: Jocelyn Leithead
Building: Trail
Subject/grade level: Special Education
Years at GCSD#1: 14 years total, 10 as a teacher
Previously taught at: Torrington High School, Southeast Elementary



Education background: Bachelor's in Rangeland Ecology and Watershed Management from UW 2005, Master's in K-12 Special Education from Grand Canyon University 2015

Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: To make sure all students are treated fairly and given the best opportunity to learn to their highest potential.

Family info: Husband Craig, daughters Brooklyn, Hadley, & Briley. Puppy Jameson, leopard geckos Shawn & Gus
Hobbies/ interests: Reading, crafting, true crime, learning about new things, spending time with family

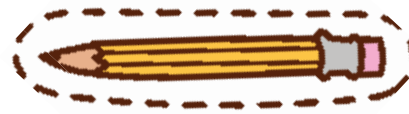


Jessica Lessard

Name: Jessica Lessard
Building: Trail Elementary School
Subject/ grade level: 5th grade English Language Arts
Years at GCSD#1: 2nd
Previously taught at: N/A



Education background: Southeast Highschool graduate; Associate's Degree in Sociology from Northwest College; Bachelor's Degree in Social Work from University of Wyoming; Master's Degree in Elementary Education from Grand Canyon University
Goals/expectations for working with students in Goshen County: My hope, as a teacher, is to create an accepting, safe, and happy classroom environment. I want to help children grow academically, of course, but also, to grow into respectful, well-rounded, and kind young individuals. My goal is to help students feel confident as they transition into middle school by focusing on their time management, accountability, and learning to work with various individuals



Shalon Limmer

Name: Shalon Limmer
Building: Lincoln Elementary
Subject/ grade level: 2nd Grade
Years at GCSD#1: Third year
Previously taught at: Paraprofessional at Lincoln Elementary/ Substitute for GCSD #1



Education background: Associates Degree from Eastern Wyoming College, Bachelor's Degree from Chadron State College.
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: My goal is to establish a safe and fun environment for my students, as well as build positive relationships with each one of my students. I want my students to be successful and have fun while learning.

Family info: Husband Clay Limmer
Hobbies/ interests: Camping, hunting, fishing, golfing, spending time with family and friends, and being in the mountains.

Theresa Logsdon

Name: Theresa Logsdon
Building: Southeast Elementary
Subject/ grade level: First Grade
Years in at GCSD#1: I have taught at GCSD#1 since 2004
Previously taught at: Hastings Catholic Schools



Education background: I received my degree in Elementary Education with an Endorsement in Special Education from Chadron State College and Masters in Curriculum and Instruction with a Reading Endorsement from the University of Wyoming.

Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: I want to create an environment that is safe and encouraging, a place to celebrate their accomplishments and see mistakes as part of their learning journey. I want to help each one of my students reach their potential.

Family info: My husband Jeff and 3 children: Greg, Grant and Angie.

Teacher Feature



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Brenda Lovercheck

Name: Brenda Lovercheck
Building: Lincoln Elementary
Subject/ grade level: School Social Worker
Years at GCSD#1: 24
Previously taught at: OSS, Torrington High School



Education background: MSW, LCSW
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: Social Emotional learning

Family info: Two children, Chase (University of Iowa) and Kelci (University of Wyoming)
Hobbies/ interests: Golf, camping, shopping

Brenna Marsh

Name: Brenna Marsh
 Building: Lincoln Elementary
 Subject/ grade level: First Grade
 Years at GCSD#1: 10
 Previously taught at: Education background: Bachelors in Elementary Education from University of Wyoming. Masters in Literacy from University of Nebraska
 Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: I want my kids to find a love for school and learning.
 Family info: Husband-Britt, kids- Finley, Mac and Gianna
 Hobbies/ interests: I enjoy traveling with my family and being at the lake.

**Lindsay Maxey**

Name: Lindsay Maxey
 Building: Platte River School
 Subject/ grade level/ position: Teacher/ Principal
 Years at GCSD No. 1: 6 years
 Previously taught/ worked at: Previously taught AP Physics and IB Biology in Texas with Hurst-Euleus-Bedford Independent School District and graduate assistant at LeTourneau University
 Education background: Masters Work in Counseling with Specialization in Crisis Counseling, LeTourneau University; Bachelor Degree in Education with endorsements in mathematics and science, The University of Mississippi (better known as Ole Miss)
 Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: My goal is for students to achieve their individual goals by preparing each student to become a lifelong learner and positively impacting a global society.
 Hobbies/ interests: going to church, reading, painting, watching college football, spending time in the mountains and enjoying God's creation, and hanging out with family and friends.

**Brian McGuire**

Name: Brian McGuire
 Building: Southeast
 Subject/ grade level: k-12 Art
 Years in at GCSD#1: 22
 Previously taught at: Platte County School District #2
 Education background: EWC, Chadron State College, Fort Hays State University
 Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: To give the students in my class the knowledge they need to create and appreciate art.
 Family info Married for 32 years to a wonderful woman. 3 daughters and 3 grand kids
 Hobbies/ interests: I enjoy art, photography, fishing, hunting and spending time with family and friends.

**Nicole McIntosh**

Name: Nicole McIntosh
 Building: Trail Elementary
 Subject/ grade level/ position: School Counselor
 Years at GCSD#1: This is my 27th year at GCSD
 Education background: Undergrad from UW - Special ed/Elementary Ed, Masters in School Counseling from Chadron State College
 Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: To support my students, their families, and our teachers!
 Family info: Three beautiful girls - Kenzy, Maddie, Macauley

**Jonette McNamee**

Name: Joenette McNamee
 Building: Office of Special Services.
 Subject/grade level: Speech pathologist
 Taught in Goshen County since 1995, first teaching job in 1994.
 Education: BS and MS from the University of Wyoming.
 Family: Mikayla, Jace and Michael.

**Clay McSpadden**

Dean of Students/
 AD at Southeast schools

**Doyle Meyer**

Name: Doyle Meyer
 Building: Torrington High School
 Subject/ grade level: Science
 Years at GCSD#1 23
 Previously taught at: Tiffin City Schools
 Education background: Undergraduate at the University of Wyoming, Master's at Chadron State College
 Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: Lead, Empower and Inspire
 Family info: Wife Ronda, Daughter Olivia, Son Quentin
 Hobbies/ interests: Volleyball, Wrestling, Softball, Ranching and Farming.

**Lainey Mekelburg**

Teacher at Lincoln Elementary

**Brittany Milstead**

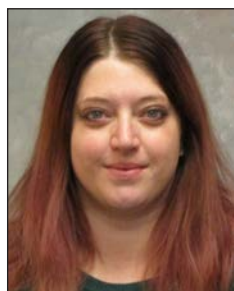
Name: Brittany Weglin
 Building: Southeast
 Subject/ grade level: K-12 Music
 Years at GCSD#1- 14
 Previously taught at: none
 Education background: Bachelors from Chadron State and Masters from UW
 Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: I want to help kids be lifelong musicians
 Family info (optional): My boys are Ansel (son), Bruno and Rocky (dogs), and Tux (cat)
 Hobbies/ interests (optional): Singing karaoke, camping, fishing, swimming, gardening, reffing volleyball, watching football

**Jacob Martin**

Name: Jacob Martin
 Building: TMS
 Subject/ grade level: Civics/8th
 Years at GCSD#1: Beginning of 6th year.
 Previously taught at: Bayard Public Schools
 Education background: Bachelor's degree in history, master's degree in Secondary Administration.
 Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: Be better at grading in a timely manner and taking care of my physical/ mental health. I want students to push themselves to complete difficult tasks and to never give up on themselves.
 Family info: I have been married to my lovely wife, Jessica, for the past 18 years. We have been blessed with 5 beautiful children. We have three bonus children in our home because of foster care and we feel blessed to open our home up to other students in the community.
 Hobbies/ interests: Hunting/Athletics

**JoDee Mendez**

Social Worker at the Office of Special Services.



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Bo Moorehouse

Name: Bo Moorehouse
 Building: TMS
 Subject/ grade level: 7th Grade American History
 Years at GCSD#1: 2 years
 Previously taught at: Hebron, North Dakota
 Education background: Torrington High School Graduate, University of Wyoming Graduate
 Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: To ensure that all students reach their full potential academically, socially, and as a member of the community.

**Sage Munoz**

Name: Sage Munoz
 Building: Lincoln Elementary
 Subject/ grade level: Kindergarten
 Years at GCSD#1: 6
 Previously taught at: N/A
 Education background: Bachelor's in Elementary Education
 Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: I want all kids to develop a love for learning. I want them to know that when they come to Lincoln, we believe in every student, every day, no matter what it takes.
 Family info: My husband is Christian Munoz. We have two daughters, Kennedy and Emery.
 Hobbies/ interests: Spending time with my family, cooking, and going on adventures.

**Robb Nicolay**

Name: Robb Nicolay
 Building: Trail Elementary
 Subject/grade level: Academic and Behavior Specialist
 Education background: Graduated from Torrington High School in 1999 and Black Hills State University in 2004.
 Family: Wife, Tara, son, Tyler, daughter, Regan.
 Hobbies: Sports, hunting, fishing, spending time with family.

**Jenna Nelson**

Name: Jenna Nelson
 Building: Lincoln Elementary School
 Subject/ grade level: 2nd Grade
 Years in at GCSD#1: 3rd Year
 Previously taught at: Douglas Intermediate School in Douglas WY
 Education background: Graduated from CC with my Associates Degree in 2015. Graduated from UW with a Bachelors of Science in Elementary Education with a Minor in Literacy in 2017. Graduated from WGU with my Master in Curriculum and Instruction in 2022.
 Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: To build relationships with students, and help them grow through hands on learning.
 Family info: My husband Eric and myself just adopted the best puppy Maverick this summer.
 Hobbies/ interests: Love reading, being outside, playing with my puppy, spending time with family and friends.

**Shaylee Mortimore**

Name: Shaylee Mortimore
 Building: Torrington High School
 Subject/ grade level/ position: Weightlifting/ Physical Education
 Years at GCSD No. 1: 12 years teaching, 15 years coaching
 Education background: Bachelor's Degree at University of Wyoming
 Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: Help students understand the importance to physical education and weightlifting.
 Family info: Rob (husband), Ellis (daughter), Patrick (son)
 Hobbies/ interests: Love spending time with family, going to the lake, working out or running, watching baseball, playing/coaching volleyball, running/coaching track.

**Hallie Murphy**

Name: Hallie Murphy
 Building: Southeast Elementary School
 Subject/ grade level: 2nd Grade
 Years at GCSD#1: 2nd year
 Previously taught at: Rawlins Elementary for 6 years
 Education background: Graduated from Southeast High School 2013, Laramie County Community College 2013-2015 and Finished Elementary Education degree from the University of Wyoming 2015-2017.
 Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: Help give back to the community that helped raised me. I want to foster continued growth in the pursuit of each student's educational empowerment!
ALL MEANS ALL!
 Family info: Married to Austin Murphy since 2019 (THS Grad). We have one beautiful daughter, Harper Marie.

**Trina Nichol**

Special education director at Goshen County School District No. 1.
 Education: K-12 special education, elementary education, special education director.
 Goals: All students access and make progress in the general education curriculum and are included members of their classes and building.
 Family: My father is originally from Harrison, Nebraska, where i was raised until the age of seven. I attended a one-room schoolhouse for kindergarten. My husband is from Lingle and graduated from Lingle High School. We have two daughters.

**Angela Ochsner**

Name: Angela Ochsner
 Building: Torrington Middle School
 Subject/grade level: Science
 Education: BS microbiology, post baccalaureate secondary science education, MS.
 Goals: At TMS we work to ensure that all students are learning at high levels and developing habits to become productive citizens.
 Family: My husband, Jeremy, and I have one son named Traiden and three silly cats: Napoleon, Dynamite and Pedro!

**Ellice Neff**

Name: Ellice Neff
 Building: Torrington High School
 Subject/ grade level: Art
 Years at GCSD#1: 1
 Previously taught at: Rocky Mountain Classical Academy
 Education background: Bachelor's in Art
 Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: reorganize the materials and establish a working rapport with the students.

**Lana Swingholm**

Principal at Lincoln Elementary.



Jessica Patrick

Name: Jessica Patrick
 Building: Trail Elementary School
 Subject/ grade level: 3rd Grade
 Years at GCSD#1 14
 Previously taught at: I have always taught in Goshen County
 Education background: In 2010, I graduated with a Bachelor's in Elementary Education from the University of Wyoming. In 2016, I graduated from Walden University with a Master's Degree in Reading and Literacy.
 Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: I want to help instill a love for learning and inspire students to be life-long learners.

**Lance Petsch**

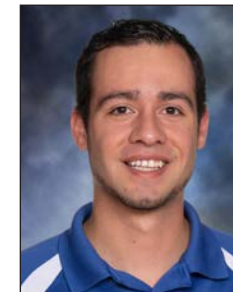
Name: Lance Petsch
 Building: Trail Elementary
 Subject/ grade level: 3-5 Physical Education
 Years at GCSD#1: 4th as Physical Education Teacher, 8th overall
 Previously taught at: Education background: Bachelors from University of Wyoming, Masters from United States Sports Academy.
 Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: Continue to build positive relationships with students while providing quality education.
 Family info: Wife Aleighica
 Hobbies/ interests: Sports, Hunting, Volunteer Firefighter.

**Kyla Pierce**

Name: Kyla Pierce
 Building: TMS
 Subject/ grade level: Reading Interventionist 6-8
 Years at GCSD#1: First year
 Previously taught at: Guernsey-Sunrise Elementary School
 Education background: I graduated from Douglas High School, then received my bachelor's degree from Valley City State University in North Dakota. I then continued my education and received my Masters degree in K-12 Reading from Black Hills State University. From there I took as many opportunities as I could and became a Certified Structured Literacy Dyslexia Interventionist.
 Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: I am excited to work with students in reading and help them gain confidence in their skills. I hope to help them be successful in all of their classes by making things more manageable for them with strategies and skills.
 Family info: My family is small, but strong. It consists of myself, my husband, who is in the Army, and my son, who thinks he is the literal spider-man.
 Hobbies/ interests: During the summer and after school, I enjoy walking my dogs, paddle boarding at the lake, and hanging out in the backyard playing yard games, board games, and card games.

**Cody Powell**

Name: Cody Powell
 Building: Southeast Elementary School
 Subject/ grade level: 3rd Grade
 Years at GCSD#1: 8th year coaching, 4th year teaching
 Previously taught at: Started in Goshen County
 Education background: Eastern Wyoming College; Chadron State College
 Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: My goal when working with any student/athlete is preparing each individual with the knowledge and skills to become successful in their careers and life.
 Family info: My family support: Chris and Michelle Powell (father/mother); Bailey Powell, Donavon Valentine (brothers); Arlene Valentine, Carol Manchester (grandmothers); Sherman (doggie)
 Hobbies/ interests: Firefighter (Fort Laramie Volunteer Fire Department), Goshen County Search and Rescue, Rotary International Club, hunting, fishing, camping, hiking, coaching (basketball, soccer)

**Whitney Peachey**

Teacher at Trail Elementary

**Joshua Pilkington**

Name: Joshua Pilkington
 Building: Lincoln Elementary
 Subject/grade level: Kindergarten
 Years at GCSD#1: I am going into my 5th year at Goshen County.
 Previously taught at: I previously taught 5th grade at Scottsbluff Public Schools.
 Education background: I graduated from Chadron State College with my Bachelor of Science in Education, K-8, in 2017.
 Goals/expectations for working with students in Goshen County: My ultimate goal in working with students in Goshen County is to provide for them an environment in which they feel safe, respected, heard, and cared for, all while challenging them to become the best version of themselves they can be!
 Family info: I come from a family of teachers! My mother teaches private vocal and piano lessons at her in-home studio in Scottsbluff, my older sister teaches K-2 Special Education in Cheyenne, and my brother is the head pastor at Chadron Christian Church in Chadron, Nebraska. While I currently don't have children of my own, I'm very much enjoying my time as the fun uncle to my baby nephew!
 Hobbies/ interests: When I'm not in the classroom, you can find me getting lost on the golf course, hiking, traveling, or doing the more important things in life like spending time with family and friends.

**Shirley Peterson**

Teacher Intervention at Lincoln Elementary.

**Stacy Polkowske**

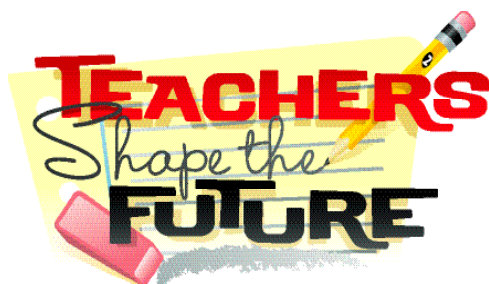
Thanks, Teachers!

Kristina Reichert

Name: Kristina Reichert
 Building: Lingle/Ft. Laramie Elementary
 Subject/ grade level: 1st Grade
 Years at GCSD#1: This is my 15th year
 Previously taught at: GCSD #1
 Education background: Bachelor's degree in Education from the University of Wyoming and a Master's degree in Education with an emphasis as a reading specialist
 Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: I hope to help my students grow to their full potential.
 Family info: I've been married to Dustin Reichert for almost 14 years. We have a 7th grader and a 4th grader.
 Hobbies/ interests: Reading, traveling and crochet



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Jade Reinhardt

Name: Jade Reinhardt
Building: Southeast Jr/ Highschool
Subject/ grade level: Social Studies/ Intervention for 7th-12th grade
Years at GCSD#1: First year
Previously taught at: This is my first year as a teacher



Education background: Degree from the University of Wyoming in Secondary Education/ Social Studies
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: I am excited to be working in Goshen County and can't wait to build relationships with those in the community!
Family info: My mom, Amy, works at Torrington Community Hospital. My sister, Kennedy, is a Junior at Torrington High School and my dad, Travis, works for the Wyoming National Guard.
Hobbies/ interests: I am an assistant coach for Torrington High School Softball and am the head coach of the Torrington Thunder 16U softball team.

Sanda Rogers

Science teacher at Torrington Middle School.

**Sandra Rogers**

Name: Sandra Rogers
Building: Lingle-Fort Laramie
Subject/grade level: K-2 Literacy Intervention
Education: Graduated from Natrona High School in Casper, Casper College and the University of Wyoming in Laramie.
Family: Son, JD.
Hobbies: Reading and riding my horse.

**Josie Ryan**

Name: Josie Ryan
Building: Torrington Middle School
Subject/ grade level: 8th grade English/ Language Arts
Years in at GCSD#1: 2
Previously taught at: Most recently, I taught at Platte County #2 in Guernsey and Morrill Public Schools



Education background: I graduated from University of Wyoming and have been teaching grades 7-9 for over ten years.
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: It is my goal to provide a positive and engaging classroom where all students have the opportunity to learn, succeed, and share their thoughts and opinions as a part of the learning team while sprinkling in a little fun as well!
Hobbies/ interests: I enjoy adventure and raising three young boys has given me just that! My hobbies and interests involve agriculture and sports. My family and I love to ride horses and go roping. When we are not horseback, we are participating in or watching sports. I particularly have a passion for volleyball. After coaching volleyball for several years, I enjoy playing co-ed volleyball and attending volleyball games.

Craig Schadwinkel

Name: Craig Schadwinkel
Building: Trail (District wide position)
Subject/ grade level: Adapted Physical Education specialist for K-12
Years at GCSD#1: Starting my 8th year
Previously taught at: Gering Public Schools 36 years



Education background: B.S. of Education - Chadron State College, Master's Degree K-12 Physical Education - Chadron State College, another 45 professional hours beyond my Master's Degree
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: I want learning to be fun and meaningful for each of my students while they work to become independent learners. I also want to expose my students to new curriculum ideas and for them to not be afraid to take a risk in learning these new things!
Family info: Wife (Robin), 2 daughters (Shaylah & Kayleigh), 2 grand daughters (Harper and Hadlee) and 2 Son-in Laws (Taylor & Zach)
Hobbies/ interests: My family is very important to me and we love doing things together. I love working with youth and I serve on various boards and committees in my community. I have an undying passion for horses that I raise, train and show with my family.

Samantha Robblee

Name: Samantha Robblee
Building: Southeast Elementary School
Subject/ grade level: K-6 Special Education
Years at GCSD#1: This will be my 6th year in district
Previously taught at: Southeast High School



Education background: Bachelors in Elementary Education from the University of Wyoming, Masters in Special Education from Fort Hays State University
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County:
Family info: My husband and I have two dogs.
Hobbies/ interests: running 5Ks, riding motorcycles, watching movies, and reading.

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Heather Rutz

Name: Heather Rutz
Building: LFL ELementary
Subject/ grade level: 3rd grade
Previously taught at: Glenrock, Casper, Torrington
Education background: Bachelor of Elementary Education and Masters in Learning and Technology
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: Every child can learn and I want them to have a love for learning.
Family info: Husband Aaron, Daughter Annora, Italian son Leonardo, Italian daughter Andrea
Hobbies/ interests: outdoor activities, sports, riding motorcycles and family

**Kim Russell**

Name: Kim Russell
Building: District Administration
Subject/ grade level: 9-12
Years at GCSD#1- 0
Previously taught at: First Time Teacher
Education background: Associates Degree from



Western Nebraska Community College and Bachelor Degree from the University of Wyoming
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: Survive my first year of teaching!
Family info: Cooper my dog
Hobbies/ interests: Bus Driving

Shelle Rostad

Special Education at Southeast High School.

**Robin Schainost**

Physical education at Southeast High School.



Martin Schaneman

Math teacher at Torrington High School.



Name: Angie Schultz
Building: Platte River School
Subject/ grade level: English/History 9-12
Years at GCSD#1: 5
Previously taught at: Torrington High School
Education background: Bachelors in Literature and Culture with a minor in Cultural Anthropology; Master's in Secondary Education (EdM)
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: The ultimate goal is to inspire and encourage alternative learners to achieve academic and personal goals.
Family info: I'm married with 2 children and 2 grandbabies.
Hobbies/ interests: Reading, lettering, writing, cooking, binge watching NCIS

**Brenda Scott**

Name: Brenda Scott
Building: Torrington Middle School
Subject/grade level: Special education at Education: BS from Chadron State College, MA in reading from Concordia University.
Family: Husband, Matt, children, Cassi, Adam and Christopher, granddaughters, Lullian and Laianna.
Hobbies: Family, reading and spiritual growth.

**LeeAnn Sedman**

Name: LeeAnn Sedman
Building: Southeast
Subject/ grade level: 7th Grade ELA, 9th Grade ELA, 10th Grade ELA
Years at GCSD#1 – 19
Years
Previously taught at: NA
Education



Background: I taught at Lingle-Ft. Laramie Middle School for three years and have been at Southeast going on 17 years.

Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: My goals and expectations for working with GCSD # 1 students is for students to achieve, grow, and learn at higher levels. I want my students to feel a sense of self-worth and personal accomplishment, and I want them to realize that they can achieve anything they set their minds to if they work hard and never give up.

Family info: My husband James Sedman runs our farm and ranching operation near Huntley, Wyoming, and our two children, Jack and Blair Sedman, attend Southeast Schools and are proud to be Southeast Cyclones.

Hobbies/Interests: My interests and hobbies are being my children's personal chauffeur and spending time with my family and friends.

Lonna Schmick

Name: Lonna Schmick
Building: Torrington High School
Subject/grade level: Science
Education: AS in prephysical therapy, Casper College, BS in biology, UW; and BS in secondary science education, UW.



Family: husband, Steve, daughters, Anna, Kaci.

Hobbies: Helping out on family farm, fishing, sports and reading.

**Cydney Sharp**

Special Education teacher at Lingle-Fort Laramie

**Sherri Schultz**

Name: Sherri Schultz
Building: Lincoln Elementary
Subject/ grade level: TK-2ND
Grade Academic Interventionist and ELL Teacher K-12
Years in at GCSD#1: 3 years
Previously taught at: Torrington Learning Center; Morrill Public School
Education background: Bachelor's Degree from the University of Wyoming. Three Endorsements from the University of Wyoming.
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: To help children develop to their optimum potential by giving them support/learning strategies both academically and socially to achieve that goal.
Family info: I have been married for many years to my wonderful husband. I have two beautiful daughters and eight amazing grandchildren. I have four fur babies. Two dogs and two outdoor cats who adopted us.
Hobbies/ interests: I love spending time with my family. I enjoy learning how to improve my teaching skills. I collect unicorns and keychains.

**Lauren Shields**

Name: Lauren Shields
Building: Office of Special Services
Subject/grade level: Psychologist
Goals: The goals and experiences I have for the students I work with are that they are successful in their academics as well as interpersonal relationships with peers and teachers so that they can be productive citizens after their high school career.
Family: In 2016 I married my best friend, Curtis, and now have three "bonus" sons.
Hobbies: I enjoy camping, fishing, hunting, coaching, soccer, volleyball, waterskiing, etc. Being able to do these and many other things with my husband and family make it all more enjoyable.

**Alaria Schnase**

Name: Alaria Schnase
Building: Torrington High School
Subject/ grade level/ position: High School Social Worker
Years at GCSD No. 1: 3
Previously taught/ worked at: Saint Joseph's Children's Home as a therapist
Education background: Masters of Social Work from the University of Wyoming.
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: Goals: To build a better tomorrow! Expectations: Be Kind.
Family info: I am married to my high school sweet heart of 14 years and we have a beautiful daughter.
Hobbies/ interests: Spending time with my friends and family, traveling, and doing anything that gives big belly laughs!

**Megan Shimic**

Name: Megan Shimic
Building: Lincoln Elementary
Subject/ grade level: Special Education (Kindergarten)
Years at GCSD#1- 8
years
Previously taught at: Paraprofessional at Southeast Elementary



Education background: Bachelors in Elementary Education and Special Education
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: My goal is to build positive relationships with students and families and help students make progress in all areas so they can have a successful school year and future.

Family info: I am married to Shad Shimic we have 2 sons. Jaxon 13 and Camden 9
Hobbies/ interests: I enjoy camping, fishing, spending time with family and watching my boys play sports.

Rick Sides

Name: Rick Sides
Building: Woods Shop
Subject/ grade level: Beginning and Advanced Wood Working grades 9-12, 7th and 8th grade Industrial Technology, Construction.



Years in at GCSD#1: This will be my third year with GCSD#1 Previously taught at: I have been teaching for 32 glorious years. I started my teaching career as a full-time Industrial Technology Substitute Teacher in Chadron NE for 2 years. I then taught Industrial Technology and Drivers Education and coached football and track for 10 years with the Dawson/Verdon Consolidated Schools in the south-east corner of Nebraska. For the past 20 years I have been Teaching Industrial Technology and Drivers Education along with coaching track for the Morrill Jr/Sr High School.

Education background: I Graduated from Gering High School in 1983. I then attended Chadron State College where I earned my Teaching Degree in 1989 in Industrial Technology Education (ITE). Since that time, I have taken numerous graduate courses in education. I am fortunate in my field because I build upon both my skills and knowledge everyday weather I am in the school or out on the job site working with new materials and processes that sometimes develop on a daily basis.

Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: My goals/expectations for the students are to help them acquire the necessary skills and knowledge they will need to help them become successful, contributing members of our society

Family info: I have been happily married to Sherrie for 38 years, we have to children. Our son Scott and his wife Mackinsey Sides and our daughter Sarah and her husband Sawyer Rutt. We also have 3 grandsons and one granddaughter. Hobbies/ interests: My hobbies and interests coincide with what I teach. I enjoy designing and building wood furniture and construction projects of all kinds. I also enjoy running, spending time with family and friends and reading.

Timothy Smock

Name: Timothy Smock
Building: Lingle-Fort Laramie
Subject/grade level: Social studies
Education: BA with major in physical education, minor in history, master's in education administration K-12.



Goals: Develop a quality physical education program. Be a positive influence to the students I teach/coach.
Family: Wife, Mary, daughter, Brittany Kleager, son, Nathan.
Hobbies: Hunting, fishing, camping, boating, construction, looking for ancient artifacts.

Kimberly Snyder

Name: Kimberly Snyder
Building: Torrington High School
Subject/grade level: English
Education: Graduated with a degree from University of Northern Colorado in English.



Goals: Working closely with my students to get them ready for the real world and to be good citizens. I'm also looking forward to helping my students reach their academic potential.
Family: Daughter, Brianna.
Hobbies: Reading, watching films, taking long walks.

Sarah Speckner

Name: Sarah Speckner
Building: Lincoln Elementary
Subject/ grade level: Kindergarten
Years at GCSD#1: 4 Years



Education background: Bachelor of Science in Education
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: To help students foster a love for learning.

Loni Sorensen

Name: Loni Sorensen
Building: Southeast
Subject/grade level: Math
Education: Graduated from Albin High School, BA of finance and economics, BA of secondary math education and MA of education secondary math.



Goals: To help students be confident and capable mathematicians and problem solvers. To get to know and support my students both inside and outside the classroom.
Family: Husband, Jacob, son, Mason, son, Maddox, daughter, Kinzlee.
Hobbies: Spending time as a family participating and watching sports, doing rodeo, hunting and fishing or just relaxing at home.

Roger Spears

Name: Roger Spears
Building: Lingle-Ft. Laramie High School & Central Admin Office
Subject/ grade level/ position: Physics Teacher & K-12 Instructional Facilitator



Years at GCSD No. 1: 13 years
Previously taught/ worked at: Moffat County High School & Colorado Northern Western Community College, Craig, CO; NASA Kennedy Space Center, FL; University of Northern Colorado, Greeley, CO; Yuma High School, Yuma, CO; Hodgkins Middle School, Denver, CO; YMCA of the Rockies, Estes Park, CO.
Education background: Lesley University M.Ed: Technology in Education; University of Colorado K-12 Science Teacher Certification; Western State College B.A. - Geology.
Family info: Sheryl and I just celebrated our 38th wedding anniversary. Children include: Nolan and Isabella "Izzy" Spears and Sierra.
Hobbies/ interests: Hiking, Snowshoeing, Traveling, Photography, Astronomy, and Coin Collecting.

LaDona Sittner

Name: LaDona Sittner
Building: Torrington Middle School
Subject/ grade level: Math Interventionist
Years at GCSD#1 This is my 9th year at TMS
Previously taught at: Erie High School Erie, Colorado



Education background: Associate of Science Degree from Morgan Community College, Bachelor of Arts in Chemistry and Math from University of Northern Colorado (Greeley), and Master of Arts Degree in Educational Leadership with principal endorsement from Adams State University in Alamosa, Colorado.

Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: My goal is to build strong and trusting relationships with kids so that I can help them gain confidence in themselves and their education, especially in math.

Family info: My husband is Kurt Sittner (married 4 years). I have two sons. DJ Horton and his wife, Rosanna, live in Denver. Braeden and his wife, Sierra, also live in Denver. Kurt has one daughter, Teran, who lives in Longmont. Teran and Rosanna are both teachers.

Hobbies/ interests: My biggest love right now is my five new kittens and one 10-year old cat, all of whom we adopted from Waggin Tails this summer. I love gardening, coffee and breakfast with friends, spending time with my family, and going on motorcycle trips with my husband.

Russell Stienmetz

Name: Russell Stienmetz
Building: Torrington High school
Subject/ grade level/ position: Math
Years at GCSD No. 1: 17



Education background: Bachelor's degree from University of Wyoming, Master's degree from Chadron State College
Family info: Wife, Kendra, and three children James, Julia and Jerra
Hobbies/ interests: Anything with my family and in the outdoors



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Christopher Strampe

Name: Chris Strampe
Building: Lincoln Elementary School
Subject/ grade level: K-2 Physical Education and Health
Years in at GCSD#1: 12
Previously taught at: Education background: University of Wyoming - Bachelors in Kinesiology and Health Promotion, Physical Education Teaching, Masters in Educational Leadership
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: My goal is to provide every student at Lincoln with the skills, knowledge, and confidence to enjoy being physically active throughout their life
Family info: Wife Kelly, daughter Camille, and son Magnus
Hobbies/ interests: Coaching basketball, hiking, flyfishing, hunting, gardening, rockhunting, and camping



Candi Thomas

Name: Candi Thomas
Building: Lingle-Fort Laramie
Subject/ grade level: K-12 School Nurse
Years at GCSD#1: Starting my 19th year
Previously taught at: Education background: Eastern Wyoming College and University of Nebraska Medical Center College of Nursing
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County:
Family info: Husband, Beau, and 4 kids, Skyler, Kynzi, Makiya, Ashtyn
Hobbies/ interests: outdoor activities and supporting my kids in their activities



Hilary Unverzagt

Name: Hilary Unverzagt
Building: Trail Elementary
Subject/ grade level: Music
Years at GCSD#1: 13
Previously taught at: Education background: I earned a Bachelor's and Master's degree in Music Education from the University of Wyoming, and I am a National Board Certified Teacher in Early and Middle Childhood Music. I also earned my Doctorate in Educational Leadership.
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: My goal as a music teacher is to help our students become more well-rounded citizens within our community. My expectation of students is for them to give their best effort every day.
Family info: My husband Karter.
Hobbies/ interests: I love to read, travel, play my violin, and spend time with my dogs, family, and friends.



Terri Walford

Name: Terri Walford
Building: Office of Special Services
Subject/ grade level: School Psychologist
Years at GCSD#1: 6 in current role, 17 total
Previously taught at: Education background: EdS in School Psychology from UNC
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: My goals include helping student teams determine how kids learn best in order to meet our students' unique needs and being an advocate for kids.
Family info: I am married with 3 grown children and one in the district.
Hobbies/ interests: family, nature, travel, cars, animals and insects



Jill Telford

Name: Jill Telford
Building: Lincoln Elementary and Trail Elementary
Subject/ grade level: Art
Years at GCSD#1: This year is my second.
Previously taught in: Boise and Idaho Falls, Idaho
Education background: B.S. in Elementary Education from BYU-Idaho
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: To help our K-5 students hold onto their innate love of creating.
Family info: One husband (Kyle), 4 kids (PJ, Lorelei, Kellen, Kate), 1 dog (Rowdy)
Hobbies/ interests: Reading, singing, playing games with the family



Cheryl Trimble

Name: Cheryl Trimble
Building: Compass Academy
Subject/ grade level/ position: I work at The Compass Academy which is a transition program for 18-21 year old students within Goshen County School District.
Years at GCSD No. 1: This is my 19th year in GCSD No. 1
Previously taught/ worked at: I taught Kindergarten in Nevada and K-12 Special Education in Colorado for many years. I taught middle school/high school special education in Lingle-Fort Laramie for 14 years before transferring to my current position.
Education background: I have a Bachelor's of Science Degree in Elementary Education, a Master's Degree in Early Childhood Special Education and a Generalist Endorsement that allows me to teach Special Education K-21.
Family info: I have a 30 year old daughter who also works for GCSD No. 1.
Hobbies/ interests: I enjoy hiking, camping and traveling.



Morgan Von Lintel

Art teacher at Torrington Middle School.



Alan Van Tilburg

Principal at Torrington High School



Eva Unrein Hayes

Name: Evan Unrein Hayes
Building: Lingle-Fort Laramie
Subject/grade level: Fifth grade
Education: Master's in curriculum and instruction with an emphasis in math.
Family: Husband and two stepchildren.
Hobbies: Music, vocals, guitar, piano.



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Jason Vowers

Name: Jason Vowers
Building: Trail Elementary
Subject/grade level: Fifth grade
Education: BA in elementary education.
Family: Two brothers, Ryan and Jed, and a sister, Amanda.
Hobbies: Hunting and fishing tournaments.



Tessa Walker

Name: Tessa Walker
Building: Torrington Middle School
Subject/ grade level/ position: English
Years at GCSD No. 1: 3
Previously taught/ worked at: Most recently, the Lutheran school in Alliance, Nebraska.
Education background: Bachelor's degree from Colorado State University; Master's degree from Grand Canyon University.
Family info: I am married have three children and two wonderful step-children.
Hobbies/ interests: Baking, sewing, and my family.



Kelsey Walker

Name: Kelsey Walker
Building: Central
Subject/ grade level:
6-12 Grade Literacy
Coach

Years at GCSD#1: 9
Previously taught at:
Torrington Middle
School

Education back-
ground: Master
of Education in
Curriculum and Instruction with Secondary
English emphasis from University of
Nebraska at Kearney; current doctoral student
at University of Nebraska at Lincoln
Goals/ expectations for working with stu-
dents in Goshen County: Elevate teacher
instructional practices within the realm of
literacy

Family info: Ethan (husband), Bridger &
Oakley (Wirehaired Pointing Griffons)
Hobbies/ interests: Weightlifting, camping,
reading, Colorado Rockies baseball, hot tub-
bing, traveling, learning

**Holly Walter**

Name: Holly Walter
Building: Trail
Elementary
Subject/ grade level/
position: Reading/
Math Interventionist
Years at GCSD No.
1: 4

Previously taught/
worked at: Morrill
Public Schools as the
District Librarian,
Family and Consumer Science Teacher, and
Middle School Reading Coach
Education background: Bachelors in
Family and Consumer Science, Bachelors
in Elementary Education, Endorsement in
Library Median and Technology.
Goals/ expectations for working with stu-
dents in Goshen County: Empower my stu-
dent in reading and math.

Family info: I have four kids. My husband is
a pharmacist and Co-owner of Community
Drug.

Hobbies/ interests: If it is in the summer or in
the winter you will see me with my 4 kids. As
a family we love to water ski, wake-board or
riding our bikes around town, or swimming
at the pool. In the winter you will see us on
Terry Peak skiing, ice skating, and sledding.
I also coach several community sports like
wyo Soccer, tee-ball and swimming.

**Mary Werner**

Name: Mary Werner
Building: Torrington
Middle School
Subject/grade level:
Math

Education: BA in psy-
chology, CSC, EdS in
school psychology.
Family: I am married
with three grown
children, Morgan,
Wyatte and Regan, a
daughter-in-law, Karlotta, and a grand baby,
Aspen.

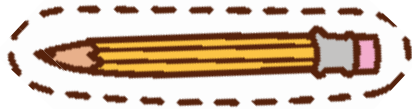
Hobbies: My hobbies include animals and
nature. I enjoy traveling, taking part in con-
servation efforts, beekeeping, rescuing ani-
mals and spending time with family.

**Todd Weber**

Teacher at Southeast
schools

**Noni Weber**

Teacher at Southeast
schools



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Mandy White

Name: Mandy White
Building: Lincoln Elementary School
Subject/ grade level: Transitional Kindergarten
Years at GCSD#1: 10
Previously taught at: Our Lady Of Lourdes, Hot Springs Elementary School, Laramie Co #2
Education background: BA in Elementary Education
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: Assist students in gaining a solid foundation before entering Kindergarten.

**Tim Williams**

Name: Tim Williams
Building: Southeast
Subject/grade level: Principal
Education: BA from the University of Wyoming in elementary education. Master's from Chadron State in K-12 administration.
Family: Wife, Renee, three daughters, Erin, Emily and Camryn.
Hobbies: Golfing, officiating football and basketball, being outdoors.

**Gerald Wilmoth**

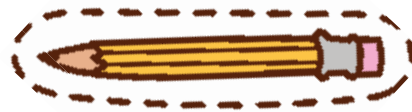
Name: Gerald Wilmoth
Building: Torrington Middle School
Subject/ grade level: 6th Grade Special Education
Years at GCSD#1: 7 years
Previously taught at: N/A
Education background: Bachelor in K-12 Special Education and a Master in Curriculum and Instruction
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: My goal is to help students facilitate learning, foster personal growth, and help them acquire knowledge, skills and values that will prepare them for a successful future.
Family info: Wife Alisa and two sons, Reece and Rylan
Hobbies/ interests: Golfing, fishing, kayaking

**Aaron Wolfe**

Name: Aaron Wolfe
Building: Torrington High School
Subject/ grade level/ position: 9th grade and 11th grade social studies
Previously taught/ worked at: Saint Joseph's children's home
Education background: BA in Anthropology and BA in Secondary education
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: making students lifelong learners
Family info: Married with 3 children
Hobbies/ interests: Outdoor activities

**Lisa Wille-Racine**

Spanish teacher at Torrington High School.

**Allison Werning**

Social Worker

**Ryan Workman**

Name: Ryan Workman
Building: Torrington Middle School
Subject/grade level: Technology Education
Education: Degree from Rocky Mountain College in accounting and business administration.
Hobbies: Sports, football, wrestling and basketball.

**Renee Williams**

Name: Renee Williams
Building: Southeast
Subject/ grade level: Kindergarten
Years at GCSD#1: 30th year
Previously taught at: Star Valley
Education background: BA from the University of Wyoming – Elementary and Special Education, MA from Grand Canyon University – Teaching and Learning
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: My goal is to help my students become proficient on all expected standards while being in a safe and caring environment.
Family info: Husband – Tim, Daughters – Erin, Emily, Camryn
Hobbies/ interests: Traveling, sporting events, reading

**Alisa Wilmoth**

Name: Alisa Wilmoth
Building: Lincoln Elementary
Subject/ grade level: 2nd Grade Special Education
Years at GCSD#1: 4 years
Previously taught at: Gering Public Schools
Education background: Bachelor in 6-12 Family and Consumer Sciences and K-12 Special Education. Master in Curriculum and Instruction.
Goals/ expectations for working with students in Goshen County: To build a relationship with each of my students and help them build a positive attitude so they feel safe and confident within the classroom.
Family info: Husband- Gerald, sons - Reece and Rylan
Hobbies/ interests: Traveling, golfing, kayaking, gardening, spending time with family.

**Lori Weyrich**

Name: Lori Weyrich
Building: Southeast/ LaGrange
Subject/ grade level: Nurse
Years at GCSD No. 1: 37
Previously taught/ worked at: I have been in Goshen county schools my entire career. Other schools I have worked at were Lincoln and Trail.
Family info: Married and have 2 daughters, Jenna Krul and Shelby Clason.
Hobbies/ interests: Traveling, gardening, hanging out with family and friends.

**Trentn Weiss**

Teacher at Torrington Middle School



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