



St. Celestine School

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This is my 4th year of teaching and second full year at St. Celestine. I am honored and grateful to be a part of this excellent staff. I graduated from Roosevelt University in Chicago with a Bachelor of Fine Arts and I am currently completing my Master's Degree in Secondary / Middle School English at Northeastern Illinois University.

I have one daughter who is also a proud St. Celestine Celtic!

My professional background is in theatre and I have worked as the National Director and one of the founding members of American Immersion Theatre for over 12 years. In that time AIT has grown to the largest theatre company in the world. While I am still a part of the theatre company, I am excited to realize another dream of mine and work with students. Every day, I will bring my passion, energy, and knowledge of English language arts to the classroom. Students in my class will grow as writers, speechmakers, and lovers of the written and spoken word.

I am originally from Michigan and maintain loyalty to all my Detroit sports teams... Go Wings!

In my free time I enjoy traveling, walking my dog Duke, and performing. I look forward to being a part of the team of dedicated educators entrusted with guiding your scholar on their learning journey!