

Ms. Anderson- Music Teacher

Building 4, Room 401



Teacher Bio:

Hello! My name is Ms. Anderson, and I am excited to be your Music Teacher this year. Originally from the picturesque city of Colorado Springs, I've spent the past five years enjoying the warmth of Arizona, where I've come to prefer the desert heat over snowy winters. Music has been a lifelong passion of mine, and my journey has taken me across the globe, enriching my experience both as a teacher and performer.

I've been fortunate to spend a combined 16 years living and working in South Korea and Germany. During my time abroad, I immersed myself in the local cultures, studied music extensively, taught at universities, and performed professional opera. These experiences have deeply shaped my understanding and love of music.

I earned my Bachelor's degree in Music from the University of Northern Colorado, and for the past 20 years, I have dedicated myself to teaching and performing music. This year, I will be guiding students through Beginning Guitar, Choir, and Orchestra. I'm thrilled to have the opportunity to inspire and support our future musicians and scholars.

In addition to my love for music, I enjoy baking, gardening, and spending time with my 10-year-old Maltese dog, Kia. Family is very important to me, and I cherish the time spent with my mother, stepfather, two sisters, younger brother, and my many nieces and nephews.

I look forward to a wonderful year ahead, filled with musical growth and discovery. Let's make beautiful music together!

General Supplies to Keep with You:

- Pencil Pouch
- Colored Pens

- Pencils
- Scissors
- Erasers
- Glue Sticks
- Highlighters (multiple colors)
- ½ - 3 inch Binder (black preferred) or pocket folders
- Dry Erase Markers (2-3 Expo preferred)
- Markers (thin line/fine point preferred)
- College Ruled or Manuscript Filler Paper
- Colored Pencils
- Headphones for computers
- Guitar Picks (guitar students only)
- Tuner (instrumentalists only)
- Rosin (Orchestra only)
- Extra set of Strings (Guitar and Orchestra)
- A soft cloth to clean your instrument
- Water bottle

Classroom Donation and Wish List:

- Dry Erase Markers (EXPOS)
- Sharpies of any color
- Construction Paper
- Paper Towels
- Rolls of Tape (duct, masking, clear, blue)
- Hand Sanitizer
- Markers/Highlighters/Colored Pens/ #2 Pencils
- Paper (white and colored)
- Glue Sticks
- Index Cards
- Tissues
- Hand Soap
- College Ruled Filler Paper
- Copy Paper (White and Colored)
- Filing Cabinet Folders
- Colored Folders - Pocket and Manilla
- Clorox Wipes
- Antimicrobial Wipes
- Lysol Disinfectant Spray
- Fragranced Wax Melts
- Headphone Sets for Computers
- Sticky Notes (Multi Colors/Designs)
- Paper Clips
- Poster Board
- Storage Bins/Containers

- Paper Towels
- Manuscript Paper
- Crayons
- Hot Glue Guns (small)
- Hot Glue Sticks
- Pink Erasers
- Rubber Cement
- Boomwhackers
- Lummi Sticks
- Maracas
- Electric Pencil Sharpener
- Band-aids
- Curling Ribbons, 48 Colors 5mm 11 Yards Gift Wrapping Ribbons for Art Crafts (Orchestra Karate Ribbons)