

SNO SPRINGS SCHOOL

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Dear Families,

Welcome to Snoqualmie Springs School! I feel fortunate to be teaching at Snosprings School, where we place our emphasis on providing every student with the appropriate balance of support and challenge during their primary school years.

My professional teaching career began in 1999. After completing an undergraduate degree at Willamette University and a master's degree in teaching from Lewis & Clark College, I took my first teaching job as a 2nd & 3rd grade teacher in Beaverton, Oregon. My next three years were spent teaching consecutive years in 2nd and 3rd grades. I thoroughly enjoyed working with this age group and love the critical thinking of which they are capable.

After 4 years teaching in 2nd and 3rd grades, I earned an endorsement in reading instruction and became the Title 1 Reading and Math Specialist for the school. In this role, I worked with struggling students in all grades. Finding creative ways to meet the needs of these students was both challenging and fun for me.

Shortly thereafter, we began our family and moved to Washington. I spent 8 years at home raising our two boys (now ages 7 and 10). In addition to raising our family, I tutored students independently in a wide range of subject and grade levels and volunteered in my oldest son's classroom. I realized through these experiences that I missed teaching in a classroom setting and began to look for employment opportunities in the area.

I am now in my 4th year of full-time teaching at Snosprings. My experiences here have been overwhelmingly positive. As a professional, I am encouraged and supported in my quest to provide the highest standard of learning for all my students.

I truly enjoy watching children grow academically during these foundational years. It is my belief that all children can be successful when provided with an enriching and supportive environment. Please let me know if you have any questions or would like to arrange a meeting to discuss my qualifications and philosophy in more detail.

I hope to see your child in my class next year.



Sincerely,
Laura Scott