

Dear Parents and Families,

My name is Lisa Mueller and I will be your child's kindergarten teacher this year. I am very excited to meet you and your child, and I am looking forward to a great year full of learning, growing and wonderful experiences!

This will be my fifth year teaching kindergarten at Lakeside. I graduated from UW-Oshkosh with a degree in Elementary Education PreK-6th grade. I am passionate about the importance of education and being a lifelong learner. My philosophy for learning is that it is imperative to teach the whole child which includes their individual academic, social, and emotional needs. I do not have a "one size fits all" approach with my students! I make a strong effort to learn my students' different needs, interests and learning styles. I also believe it is important to foster a positive and inclusive classroom community where we offer support and encouragement to each other, and create a safe environment where we all learn from each other and grow together.

I have four children of my own, two step daughters and two sons, ages 17 to 25. We are a busy group! My oldest step daughter got married at the end of summer, and my youngest son is off to UW-Eau Claire for his freshman year of college, two special events for us! My husband and I love to spend time with our big family fishing up north. In my free time I enjoy playing piano, reading, hiking and traveling with my family.

I hope you had a wonderful and relaxing summer! Please do not hesitate to contact me with any questions or concerns you may have. I look forward to working with you to ensure your child has a successful first year!

Sincerely,

Lisa Mueller

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