

BECKY BRANDON



Hi! My name is Becky Brandon. I love being the Computer Science teacher here at West Middle School. I am excited to be a Wolverine as I start my 23rd year in education!

I spent 14 years teaching high school Business, Accounting, and Computer Information Systems (and even a year of French) in Texas. I spent my final two years in Texas as the district's Career and Technical Education (CTE) Coordinator. I moved to Grand Junction in 2019, and I spent a year at GJHS teaching Business and CS. I then switched to the elementary level, and spent the four years at Fruitvale Elementary as the Computer Science teacher as well as librarian.

MY BACKGROUND

A little bit about me...

I grew up in the Texas panhandle in Borger, Texas. I was born at the same hospital as my dad, delivered by the same doctor. I spent my elementary years in Puerto Rico before moving back to Texas. I went to Borger High School just like my parents did. I am the oldest of three girls...my baby sister and her family also live in GJ. My middle sister lives in Flower Mound, TX just north of Dallas. My dad still lives in Borger. My mother recently passed away. I have 3 nephews and 2 nieces. My oldest niece, Claire is married to Joe. I graduated from Texas A & M University with a degree in business. (Both of my sisters and BILs are also Aggies.) I later got my teaching credentials from West Texas A & M and my master's degree in technology and leadership from Lamar University.

5 FACTS ABOUT ME

- I love to travel and really need to renew my passport. My favorite place I have ever been is Cruden Bay, Scotland. I also LOVE London and Paris. (I wrote this last year and still haven't renewed my passport.)
- I went to Traverse City, MI on vacation this summer. Lake Michigan beaches are amazing! I will go back.
- I think subway systems are amazing, and collect subway maps from different cities around the world.
- I have been best friends with my best friend Angela since the 5th grade. She is also a teacher.
- I like being crafty sometimes. I want to learn how to crochet.

A FEW OF MY FAVORITE THINGS!

Coffee - specifically Starbucks, WildWonder drinks, my cat - Georgie Diane Twix, reading, hanging out with friends and family, the smell of rain in the mountains (this is a very specific smell)

BEST WAY TO CONTACT ME

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