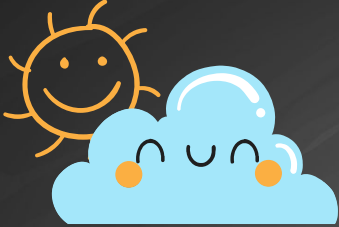




CENTER GROVE COMMUNITY SCHOOL CORPORATION
DEVELOPMENTAL COMMUNITY
PRESCHOOL

Located at:

The Academy at Sugar Grove
4135 West Smith Valley Rd.
Greenwood, Indiana 46142
317-885-5242



Want to celebrate
a staff member?!



Fill out THIS google form recognizing a
teacher, instructional assistant, or any
Academy staff member. We will celebrate
them monthly with a special treat along
with your message!





Welcome to the CG
Preschool family! We
thank you for trusting
us to be a part of your
child's educational
journey!

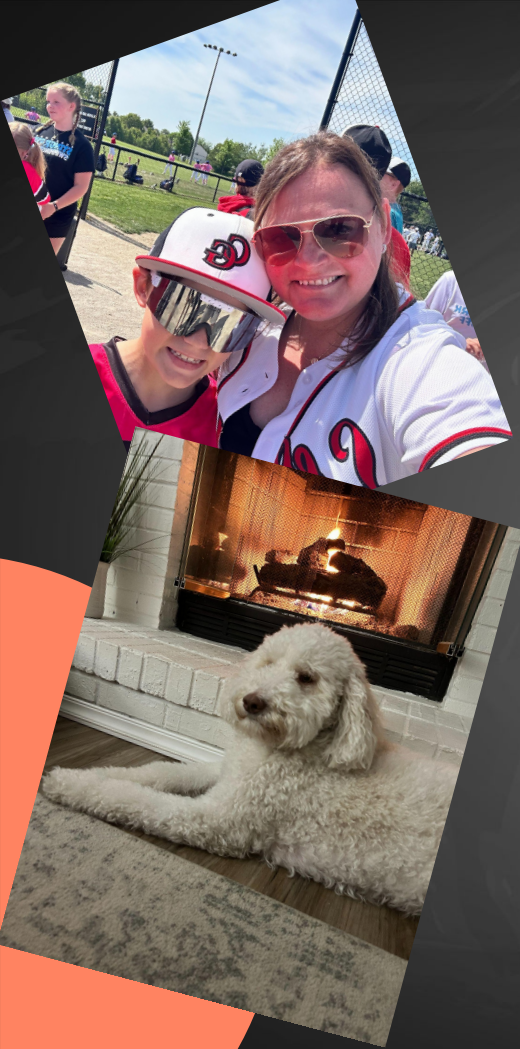
Ms. Jeni Prenatt, Academy Coordinator

Hello, and welcome to our preschool! I am the proud administrator of The Academy, which houses and supports our district preschool programs. I have been an educator for nearly 20 years in many capacities, including teaching special education across all grade levels, serving as a district behavioral consultant, and as Assistant Director of Special Education. I love working alongside our amazing staff to support our youngest scholars, and you'll often find me on the floor with students and their toys, wiping runny noses, singing songs during circle time, and running around the playground with our classes! I believe ALL children can learn and grow, and I am dedicated to ensuring our students have the environment to thrive and achieve their goals.

Outside of school, I am a mom to a son, Owen, who attends Walnut Grove Elementary. We have a pet named Pearl, who is a former school therapy dog and will occasionally make a visit to our school.

I believe in open communication and am always here if you have questions, concerns, or would like an opportunity to support our team! Here's to a great school year!

Jeni Prenatt
prenattj@centergrove.k12.in.us
317-885-5242 ext. 3300



Ms Maddy Calfee, Secretary

Hello! XD

I am your new secretary! I am so excited to start this year! This is my first year at the Academy but my second year here in Center Grove!

I love baking, being home,



Ms. Jennifer Howe, Social Worker

I am thrilled to join The Academy this year! I have been a School Social Worker for over 20 years, with 11 of those years at Center Grove Elementary and North Grove Elementary. I earned my Masters Degree in Social Work from IU, and my Masters in Applied Behavior Analysis from Ball State University. I am dedicated to helping others in social, emotional, academic, and overall well-being. I am honored to be part of this wonderful team!

My family is incredibly important to me, and I love being a mother to two sons. Our family enjoys spending time outdoors, going to soccer and hockey games, attending concerts, playing with the dog, and travelling together.

I am excited to partner with you as your child learns and grows this year!





Click on your teacher to learn more about them and access
their wish lists!

Lenna
Baumgart

Molly
Creek

Megan
Curry

Kara
Mance

Ashley
Thomas

Tracy Imel

Hallie
Robinson

Lanee
Robinson

Mrs. Molly Creek



Hello! My name is Molly Creek. This will be my 8th year teaching and have taught preschool for 5 of those years! I graduated from Ball State with a Bachelors in Elementary and Special education and also received my Masters Degree from Ball State in Elementary with a focus on emotional and behavioral disorders.

Preschool has been my favorite grade to teach, because I love instilling a love for learning early on in their school careers! I want every child to feel safe and loved in my classroom and have opportunities to grow in academics and social skills!

At home, I live with two sweet daughters and my amazing husband and in my free time enjoy spending my time with my family!

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Mrs. Ashley Thomas



Hi! My name is Ashley Thomas and I have been teaching developmental preschool for 7 years. I attended IUPUI and received my degree in elementary education and attended Indiana Wesleyan for my special education endorsement. I love working with our littlest friends and watching them blossom. I am looking forward to getting to know you and your child!

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Mrs. Lenna Baumgart



Hi, my name is Lenna Baumgart.
I love teaching preschool and all the fun
that goes along with it! This will be my
9th year teaching preschool. I
graduated from Indiana University with
a degree in special education and
elementary education. I am excited to
start off the new school year and meet
your child!

Amazon Wish List

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LIST:



Mrs. Kara Lopez



My name is Kara Mance and I am so excited to be joining the Developmental Pre-K team this year! I live here in Center Grove with my family and I have worked at North Grove the past 4 years as a Special Education Teacher. I graduated from Indiana University, Columbus with a dual licensure in Elementary Education and Special Education.

I strive to do my part in making sure that students are provided with an appropriate education that leads to individual excellence. Leveling the learning field with services, accommodations, and support are all ways to help ALL students reach excellence.

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Mrs. Megan Curry



Hi! My name is Megan Curry. I love teaching preschool and all the fun that goes along with it! This will be my 7th year teaching preschool in Center Grove. I started my teaching career right here after graduating from IUPUI with a dual licensure in Elementary Education & Special Education. Creating a classroom full of love, structure, and fun for all is my passion. I can't wait for your family to join us!

At home, my husband Scott and I have 2 boys. I have an almost 4 year old gearing up for preschool himself. We also have our wild 1 year old always ready to run and play. My life is all preschool all the time these days, and I wouldn't have it any other way!

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Mrs. Hallie Robinson



About Me

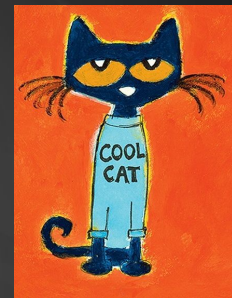
Hello! My name is Hallie Robinson-Davis and I am very excited to be an instructor this year! This will be my second year at The Academy!

I have worked with supporting people in our community for over 20 years. I have supported people in many capacities with physical, developmental and psychiatric needs. I have supported them in their own homes, out in the community, finding employment and in more residential like facilities. I have worked for an alternative school that helped students learn coping skills and supported them in education. During covid times I had my own 3-5-year-old classroom where we got messy and had fun learning! I came to work at the Academy last year because I missed working with preschoolers and helping to set the foundation for learning.

My goals for this year are supporting children in finding their voice and teaching them that learning is fun! I love to get messy, create laughs and experience learning in action. Please reach out to me if your child ever needs extra support or if you have any questions! I am here to help and be a resource to you and your family.

Fun facts about me:

- I was born and raised in North Pole, Alaska. My mother was a teacher for over 25 years there and later worked for the University of Alaska working in Alaskan Villages.
- I got married last fall in a completely Harry Potter themed wedding.
- I foster/hospice elderly dogs.
- I volunteer for rescues and shelters frequently and assist in photography of dogs.
- My husband and I are big nerds and play Dungeons and Dragons, Pathfinder, Lorcana and Magic the Gathering.



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Pictured:

Left bottom: Mr. Beagle, Moosie, Frida, myself

Right bottom: Mr. Beagle, Joshua (my husband) and myself

Top Left: Myself

Top left: Frida and Myself



• Mrs. Tracy Imel



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Mrs. Lanee Robinson

About Me



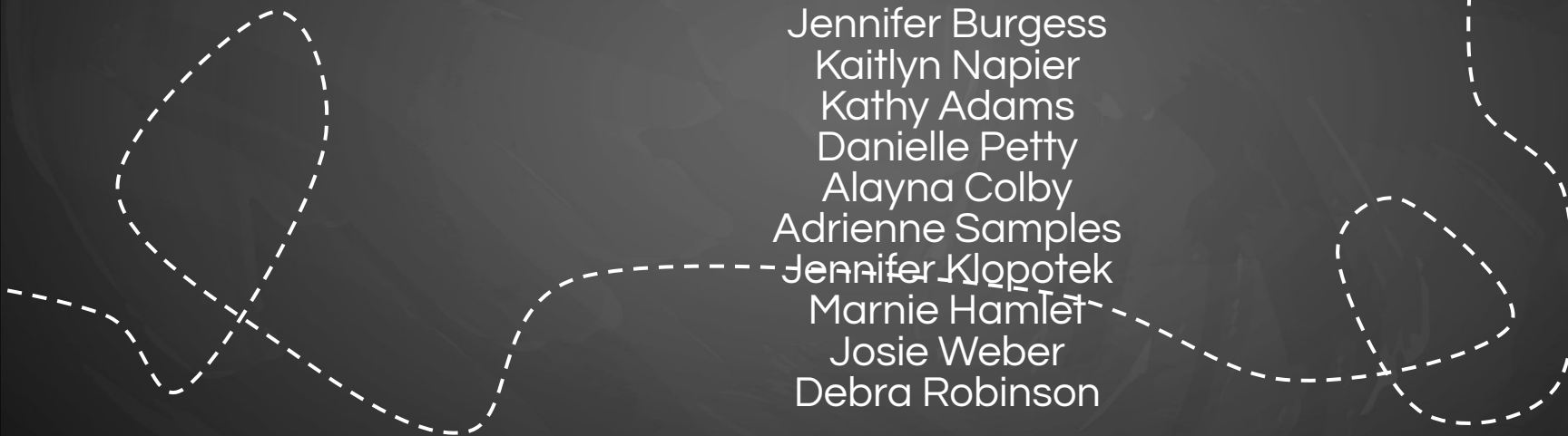
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Our Phenomenal Instructional Assistants



AnnMarie McQueary
Heidi Miller
Bridget Santamaria
Maria Kruzman
Joa Heldman
Hiralben Patel
Jennifer Burgess
Kaitlyn Napier
Kathy Adams
Danielle Petty
Alayna Colby
Adrienne Samples
Jennifer Klopotek
Marnie Hamlet
Josie Weber
Debra Robinson



More of Our Amazing Staff Members

School Psychologist

Christy Lorenzoni



Speech/Language Therapists

Karyn Todor



More of Our Amazing Staff Members

Speech/Language Therapist

Morgan Tatum

Deaf/Hard of Hearing
Teacher

TBD

More of Our Amazing Staff Members

Speech/Language Therapist

Kaitlyn Arvin



Speech/Language Therapists

Chavannah Chestnut

More of Our Amazing Staff Members

Occupational Therapist

Hello! My name is Sarah Haas. I have been a part-time OT with the Center Grove Developmental Preschool since it opened. I love working with preschoolers, teachers, all the support staff. I enjoy understanding our unique natures and needs and how to best encourage everyone.

When not at school, I enjoy spending time with my husband, our daughter, and our cats and spending time outdoors in creation, moving my body, meditating, volunteering, serving at my other job, and spending time with friends.

Occupational Therapist

Amy Spencer



More of Our Amazing Staff Members

Physical Therapist



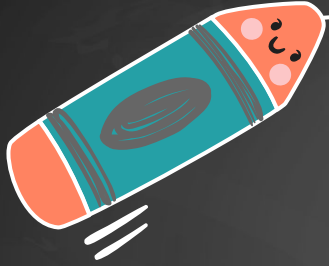
Barb Kindred

Blind Low Vision Teacher

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More of our AMAZING staff members

Custodial Staff



Shirley Brooks



Remi Hoots

