

## The MUSTANG

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We're very excited to introduce you to our new teaching faculty! We've added additional 1st and 3rd grade classrooms. So the teachers in those grade levels will be in working with the teachers that are currently teaching those grade levels.

You will hear from the school more often, since the beginning of school is only a few weeks away. We are looking forward to a fantastic year where we focus on "Living In Truth!"

### Introducing our new WCS Teaching Faculty:



#### Kristina Arguello - Spanish

Mrs. Arguello taught 11 years at two international schools in Costa Rica and 11 years at Bartlesville High School. For nine years while at BHS, she also served as an adjunct professor at of Spanish at OKWU.

Mrs. Arguello has obtained a Bachelor of Science degree in Elementary Education, a Master of Education in TESOL (Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages), and a Spanish Certification PK-12.

Her family includes her husband Daniel, and three children, all of which attend WCS: Gianna, Samuel, and Luca.

Mrs. Arguello's favorite Scripture verse is 1 Thessalonians 5:16-18 which says, "Rejoice always, pray continually, give thanks in all circumstances; for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus."

Welcome Mrs. Kristina Arguello!



#### Colton Frederick - High School History

Mr. Colton Frederick has taught two years in the public school system.

Mr. Frederick has obtained a Bachelor of Arts degree in Pastoral and Youth Ministry from Oklahoma Wesleyan University and a Master of Arts in Biblical Literature from Wesley Biblical Seminary.

He is the husband of a beautiful wife, Katie. He's the father of two wonderful boys, Benjamin (3) and Isaac (1).

Mr. Frederick is a proud graduate of Wesleyan Christian School.

His favorite Scripture verse is John 14:15 which says, "If you love me, you will obey my commandments."

Welcome Mr. Colton Frederick!



#### Stephanie Frederick - 2nd Grade

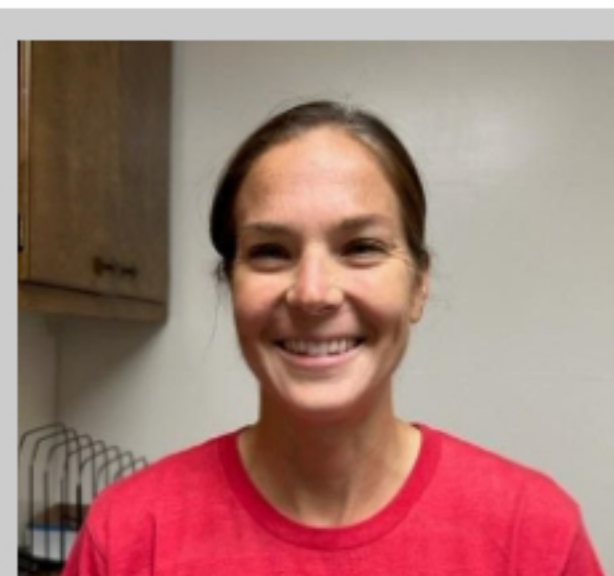
Mrs. Stephanie Frederick is returning to Wesleyan Christian School, having spent the past few years teaching in Bartlesville Public Schools. She will begin her 21st year at WCS, 24th year in Christian education, and 28th year in overall educational experience.

Mrs. Frederick has obtained a Bachelor of Science degree in Education from Oklahoma Baptist University and has pursued a Master's level coursework at Oral Roberts University. She is certified in grades PK-8 by the state of Oklahoma and Early childhood/Elementary Education through ACSL.

A note from Mrs. Frederick: "It is a privilege and a blessing to be a part of the Wesleyan Christian School family, and I am excited for the opportunity to teach 2nd Grade for the upcoming school year! I have a long history with WCS, both personally and professionally. My husband, Brian, is the WCS band director, and our four children are all proud graduates of Wesleyan Christian School."

Her favorite Scripture verse is Ephesians 3:20 which says, "Now to Him who is able to do far more abundantly beyond all that we ask or think, according to the power that works within us, to Him be the glory in the church and in Christ Jesus to all generations forever and ever."

Welcome Mrs. Stephanie Frederick!



#### Joni Goscha - 1st Grade

Mrs. Joni Goscha has previously taught Special Education at Hoover and Ranch Heights Elementary schools. She works with children ages 2 years old and up at Sooner Park Wesleyan Church. Additionally, she served as the high school girls' basketball coach here at WCS several years prior.

Mrs. Goscha has obtained a Bachelor of Science degree in Education from Oklahoma Wesleyan University. In addition to receiving her degree from OKWU, she also played basketball and ran track and cross country.

Mrs. Goscha has been married to Chandler for 12 years. They have three boys, Cole (8), Judah (6), and Camden (almost 4). They live in the country and have 9 chickens, 5 goldfish, and a lizard. Their family loves sports and spending time outdoors.

Her favorite Scripture verse is Matthew 6:33 which says, "Seek the Kingdom of God above all else, and live righteously, and he will give you everything you need."

Welcome Mrs. Joni Goscha!



#### Kenzie Landers - Kindergarten

Ms. Kenzie Landers has been part of the Wesleyan Christian School community the past two years. This year she will be transitioning into her first year of classroom teaching. She has worked with children since her senior year in high school as a substitute teacher, in after school programs, as a teacher's aid, as an individual instructional coach, and various other roles.

Ms. Landers has obtained a Bachelor of Arts degree in English from Grand Canyon University. She has taken many classes in child development and early childhood education.

She states, "I have always had a passion for working with children, and getting to teaching them not only academically, but about God as well."

Ms. Landers' favorite Scripture verse is Hebrews 13:8 which says, "Jesus Christ is the same yesterday, today, and forever."

Welcome Ms. Kenzie Landers



#### Brionna Reese - 3rd Grade

Mrs. Brionna Reese has spent the past four years homeschooling her children. Throughout the years of homeschooling, she and the children were involved with Classical Conversations (a homeschool coop), where she led a class for a full school year. She is looking forward to her first year of classroom teaching here at WCS.

She has obtained a Bachelor of Science degree in Elementary Education from Oklahoma Wesleyan University.

Mrs. Reese is wife to Regan and mother to three biological children and one foster child.

Mrs. Reese is a proud graduate of Wesleyan Christian School.

Her favorite Scripture verse is Psalm 100:5 which says, "For the Lord is good. His unfailing love continues forever, and his faithfulness continues to each generation."

Welcome Mrs. Brionna Reese

### Important Dates on the Horizon:

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| Friday, August 4    |   |
| Tuesday, August 8   | Elementary Parent Orientation - Gym 6pm<br>Secondary Parent Orientation - Gym 7pm |
| Wednesday, August 9 | Secondary Locker Decorating - 12pm-2pm  |
| Thursday, August 10 | First Day of School   |

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