

W E L C O M E T O 2 N D G R A D E

Dear Families and Second Grader,

My name is Marisa Strow and I am so excited to be your second grade teacher! I look forward to meeting and getting to know all of you. We are going to do so many fun things and will learn a lot too!



Are you wondering about me? Well, I grew up in a small town south of Grand Rapids and graduated from Wayland Union High School. I attended Grand Valley State University, where I earned my teaching certificate with a Language Arts endorsement. This year I also earned my Master's in Instruction and Curriculum. This will be my fourth year as a 2nd grade teacher at West Oakview.

I live with my husband, Zeb and our two sons, Cleve and Charlie, in Grand Rapids. We also have a labradoodle named Lucy.

Some of my favorite things:

Color: Yellow

Season: Summer

Children's Movie: I can't sit still for a whole movie!

Children's Book: The Jupiter Stone, Cinderella and A Long Walk to Water

Hobbies: Spending time with family, reading, gardening, traveling and eating sweets

I look forward to learning about all of your favorite things and what you did this summer when we return to school. I have included information that will help prepare you and our classroom for the new school year. Parents, please email me with any questions or concerns at any time this year!

Sincerely,

Mrs. Marisa Strow (mstrow@nvps.net)



School Supplies

Here are items that students will use often, as well as a classroom wish list. If you are able to help the classroom further, please consider choosing one or two items from the wish list. Thank you!

Student Supplies	Classroom Wish List
<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Water bottle● Headphones● Pencil box● Crayola Colored Pencils● Crayola Crayons● Glue stick● Scissors● Expo Marker <p>*I will have folders and notebooks for students, so please do not send in those items.!</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Clorox Wipes● Tissue● Band-Aids● Healthy snacks (granola bars, goldfish, animal crackers, etc-can be individually wrapped or not)