



BLUE RIVER VALLEY SCHOOL CORPORATION

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Welcome

Hello! My name is Lisa Sharrett, and I am a first-grade teacher at Blue River Valley Elementary. I've been in the classroom for thirty years. I began my teaching career in second grade and taught there for five years. When I moved to first grade, I fell in love with everything about it. First graders show so much growth and it is such a pleasure to play a small part in their educational journey.

My Educational and Professional Background

I received my bachelor's degree in Elementary Education from Ball State University. I then furthered my education by obtaining my master's degree from Olivet. I have attended many professional development training courses. Not only have I attended educational conferences, but I have also had the opportunity to be a presenter. My favorite experience was sharing at a conference in Las Vegas, N.V.

My Educational Philosophy

When it comes to having a classroom, my concept of it being successful is creating a positive learning environment that develops into a first-grade community. I strongly believe that students learn best in a safe supportive classroom. My role as a teacher is to create lessons and present them in a variety of ways. Students benefit from movement and activities that help them engage in learning. I want first grade to be the starting block to enable their imaginations, desire for learning, and the positive foundation for years to come. I love being a part of the Viking family and hope my students do also.

My Family

My family means the world to me! The values and beliefs that my family instilled in me have carried over to my children. It is my desire to extend that love to the students in my classroom. My husband Todd and I have been married 36 years. We are so blessed to have grandchildren. We enjoy camping, boating, and spending time with family.