Blue River Valley Schools



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Welcome and About Me!

Hello, my name is Jessica Vannatta and I am a fifth grade teacher here at Blue River. I LOVE American History and have a small obsession with octopuses. I love working in the same community where I live and send my kids.

My Education and Professional Background

I attended Ball State where I received a degree in Elementary Education and Psychology. I taught in Muncie for 10 years before coming to Blue River. I have taught 1st, 3rd, and 5th grade!

My Educational Philosophy and Thoughts on Our School

I believe that the classroom should be a safe, welcoming place where students are valued and have fun learning. I love doing projects and hands-on activities whenever possible. I love that at Blue River I get the support and respect to run my classroom in a fun and engaging way. Blue River is an excellent place to work and learn!

My Family

I live in Mount Summit with my wife. We raise our two nephews, who attend Blue River, and we are currently expecting our first child. We also have two dogs: Gus and Opie.