

Welcome to Spartan Country!

What is your educational and professional background?

I didn't always have a clear picture of where I wanted to be. I started out getting my biology degree from SUNY Oneonta. I knew I liked science but wasn't sure what I wanted to do with it. After graduation, I started coaching volleyball and loved working with the kids. So, I went back to get my MAT for teaching science from Binghamton University. After teaching for a few years, I knew I wanted to make a bigger impact and decided to go back for Educational Leadership at Binghamton University.

What is your greatest accomplishment, so far, as an educator?

The connections and relationships I have formed with students. I have absolutely loved being able to get to know my students and be a part of their learning journey.

What motivates you?

I am a super competitive person; I always want to be at my best and help others be at their best too. I truly believe Maine-Endwell is the best district in the area and I am motivated to live up to the culture of excellence that has been established here.

Is there anything that people would be surprised to know about you? Hidden talents? Favorite sports teams?

No hidden talents.. My go to fun fact is usually that I have a twin!

OK, now for the fun questions: let's play "This or That"

- 1) **Dogs** or Cats?
- 2) **Books** or Movies?
- 3) Ice Cream Cone or **Dish**?
- 4) Laundry or **Dishes**?
- 5) **Apple** or Android?
- 6) Pancakes or **Waffles**?
- 7) **French Fries** or Onion Rings?

Finally...What are your hopes for the Maine-Endwell school community as we move forward into the latter part of the school year?

I hope that Maine-Endwell continues to be a premier district and that students, staff and families continue to love being here. It is evident when talking to people here that there is an immense sense of pride in being a Spartan, I hope that continues for years to come and I am excited to be a part of that.