



# Welcome to Sixth Grade!

Hello Sixth Graders and Families!

I hope you had a wonderful summer break and are looking forward to the start of a great school year. I wanted to take this opportunity to introduce myself and tell you a bit more about sixth grade at HMS.

Like fifth grade, sixth grade is organized into houses and we are in House 4. Each house is made up of 5 teachers. In our house, I teach Science, Mrs. Everhart and Mrs. Flanigan teach ELA, Mrs. Bartsch teaches Math, and Ms. Burchert is our Learning Behavior Specialist (LBS). Each homeroom teacher also teaches Social Studies. Just in case you were wondering, our house has lunch during fourth period.

Although this is my third year teaching at Highcrest, my time as a Hawk actually started many years ago when I attended Highcrest as a student. After growing up in Wilmette, I went to college at the University of Michigan, then returned to Chicago for grad school at DePaul University. My teaching career began in Chicago Public Schools before I made the switch to Highcrest. I'm happy to be back in my hometown!

I can't wait to meet all of you soon and get this school year started! I know we are going to have an awesome year together. If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to get in touch.

See you soon!

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