Meet the 4th Grade Teachers

ELA Mrs. Riley

Hello family, I am very excited to be your child's ELA teacher this school year. This will be my 29th year teaching. I am a native Floridian, growing up in *Clearwater and attending Pinellas County Schools*. I am a graduate of USF and St. Leo University. I love teaching, learning and collaborating with children, while guiding them to self-discovery. In the classroom, I strive to create a family environment where all members feel valued and accepted for their individual gifts and talents.

I am married to my high school sweetheart, Chris, and together we are the proud parents of three young men (Christopher, Cameron and, Cayden). Christopher and Cameron started their educational journey here at Bay Vista and are proud graduates of Pinellas County Schools. Spending time with my family, traveling and reading a good book are just a few of my favorite things. I am looking forward to this school year and getting to know each of my students and families.

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MATH/SCIENCE Mrs. Hossenlopp

I'm so excited to begin a new school year as your child's math and science teacher! This is my 4th year teaching at Bay Vista, and I'm grateful to be part of such a wonderful community.

Some of you may remember me as Ms. Stophel, but over the summer something exciting happened—I got married! So now, I'm officially Mrs. Hossenlopp (don't worry, I'm still getting used to it, too). While my name has changed, my love for teaching remains the same. I graduated from the University of South Florida with a degree in Elementary and Exceptional Student Education. I'm passionate about supporting students as they work toward their goals, and I believe in cultivating a strong growth mindset—where productive struggle is embraced as a key ingredient for greatness.

Outside of school, my husband Craig and I enjoy traveling, attending sporting events, being on the water, and spending time with family and friends. I'm looking forward to getting to know you and your child. Each family is important to me, and I'm excited to partner with you for a fantastic 4th grade year!

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welcome to 4th Grade

Dear Families,

Welcome to 4th gradel We're looking forward to a terrific school year. As we end the summer, we're preparing our classrooms for you. To prepare yourselves, we suggest you keep reading and practicing your multiplication facts. The new Sunshine State Young Readers are terrific -- search the internet for this year's list. In math, we'll be learning multi-digit multiplication and division this year. Knowing your multiplication facts by heart will really help you be successful this year in math. You can use flash cards or there are tons of apps to help you practice.

- We look forward to seeing you at Meet the Teacher on August 8th from 11:00-11:30 am.
- The first day of school is <u>August 11th</u>.
- Open House will be <u>August 14th from 6:45-7:45 pm.</u>

We're so looking forward to seeing you! Mrs. Riley & Mrs. Hossenlopp

Learning Supplies for Mrs. Riley and Mrs. Hossenlopp

Supply List:

- (1) 3 Ring Binder Pencil Pouch with a zipper
- \Box (1) 1-inch binder for agenda
- □ (1) ½ inch binder with pockets for Math/Science
- □ (1) 5-Subject spiral Notebook with pockets
- □ (4) Composition books (wide ruled)
- □ (6) Glue sticks
- (2) 12-count Ticonderoga #2 pencils (pre-sharpened if possible)
- Colored pencils -no more than
 12 (Twistable work best)
- □ 6 pack of fine point Expo Markers (any color)
- □ 6 pack of pens (any color)
- 2 packs of white copy paper
- Scissors
- (1) USB Headphones in a Ziploc bag with your child's name on it.
- □ (1) sturdy backpack (no wheels)
- Reusable water Bottle
- □ 1 box of Kleenex

Pencil Pouch:

Students must have a 3-ring pencil pouch with a zipper to use in their agenda binder. No pencil boxes, please.

Pencil pouches should always have the following inside and have supplies to replenish them at home:

- □ (5) Pencils (sharpened)
- \Box (1) Glue stick
- Colored pencils (no more than 12) (Twistable work best)
- □ (2) Pens (any color)
- □ (1) pair of scissors
- □ (2) Expo markers

Wish List Items:

Be sure to check back —we'll be updating this letter with a QR code linking to our classroom Wish List for those who'd like to contribute.

Thank you for your continued support!

Mrs. Hossenlopp & Mrs. Riley