



McKenzie County Public School District No. 1

Samantha Kaloustian
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August 14, 2025

Dear Watford City Middle School Parents/Guardians,

I have the privilege of being your child's principal and I take that responsibility very seriously. Our school goals this year are to provide your student with an engaging and rigorous education to prepare them for success in high school, while also providing a fun and memorable experience in school.

In order to attain this for your child and all of our students, I will be in classrooms two full, uninterrupted days each week focused solely on improving teaching and learning. I call these days my Coaching Days. On my Coaching Days, I am in classrooms for 6 – 8 hours at a time, where I can make the greatest difference for your child. Coaching Days are dedicated to observing, listening to, and supporting all our students, and I look forward to watching your child grow academically and socially.

I know there may be occasions when you want to reach me with a question or a concern about your child, or you have an idea you'd like to share. Please know I appreciate your input and I do want to hear from you.

In order to generously service you needs, while insuring the highest quality learning opportunities for your child, I ask for your partnership in the following:

When you wish to speak with me directly, please call my secretary, Kendra Krone. Tell Kendra you would like to connect with me by phone or face-to-face. Kendra will offer you possible meeting times with me on days when I am scheduled to be in my office. Choose the time that works best for you and Kendra will get our meeting on my calendar. Then, at the scheduled time, I will call you or meet with you in my office and we will have uninterrupted quality time to talk, free from distractions.

If you need an answer to a quick question, you may access the school website or call Kendra. Most likely, Kendra knows the answer and can direct and guide you. Thank you for your ongoing support and partnership.

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October 6, 2020

Dear Watford City Middle School Parents/Guardians,

I have the privilege of being your child's assistant principal and I take that responsibility very seriously. Our school goals this year are to provide your student with an engaging and rigorous education to prepare them for success in high school, while also providing a fun and memorable experience in school.

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When you wish to speak with me directly, please call my secretary, Steph Grimm. Tell Steph you would like to connect with me by phone or face-to-face. Steph will offer you possible meeting times with me on days when I am scheduled to be in my office. Choose the time that works best for you and Steph will get our meeting on my calendar. Then, at the scheduled time, I will call you or meet with you in my office and we will have uninterrupted quality time to talk, free from distractions.

If you need an answer to a quick question, you may access the school website or call Steph. Most likely, Steph knows the answer and can direct and guide you. Thank you for your ongoing support and partnership.

Nate Purcell