



# New Teacher Spotlight

MS. MEGHAN EWANYK ~ 6TH GRADE ELA & SOCIAL STUDIES



## FUN FACTS

- Outside of school I love to thrift shop and go anywhere where there is live music playing. I also love to read, hike & travel.
- If I could have one superpower, I would choose to clone myself so that I could get my 3 kids to all of their sports and activities!
- The most unusual thing you've ever eaten is Cuscus Paulista when I was in Brazil (look it up!)
- If I could travel anywhere in the world, I would visit Patagonia in Argentina & Chile and walk on a glacier.
- If I had to choose a theme song for my classroom it be "Flowers are Red" by Harry Chapin.
- My secret talent is I can balance a spoon on my nose for a really long time! When I have time I like to cross-stitch.
- If I could have dinner with any famous person, it would be Anthony Bourdain.

## AN INTERVIEW WITH MS. EWANYK

What inspired you to become a teacher?

I always thought I wanted to work for a human rights organization such as Amnesty International. I discovered, though, while working as a TA for BOCES my senior year of college, that teaching was the best way for me to advance human rights.

What subjects or topics are you most passionate about?

Literacy and social justice.

What are you most excited about this school year?

I am extremely excited about returning to middle school to teach ELA & social studies and continuing to pursue a second MS in Literacy.

What's one thing on your bucket list that you want to achieve?

Getting up the courage to spend 22+ hours on a flight to Australia & New Zealand.

