



Welcome 2nd Grade Northwood Owls!

It's going to be a GREAT year! 2nd grade is an amazing year for students, and I just know it will be for you, too. Our class is a team. We work together to grow our hearts and minds. We make mistakes and we learn from them. We make good decisions and problem-solve. That's why I call us Team 214. I am so happy you are part of our team this year!

We want our classroom to be the greatest learning place it can be~ a place where everyone can learn and grow. How can we make that happen? What would help you learn best? What would help you feel safe and treated with dignity? Be ready to share your ideas with us.

I hope you had a great summer. Here's a little about me. I grew up on a small farm in Montana. I come from a big family. I moved to Washington to teach on Mercer Island about 17 years ago. I love to go for walks along Alki Beach, take hikes on the great trails around us, and most importantly teach (this is my 26th year of teaching)! I love to laugh and sing. I am looking forward to learning more about you. What do you like? What do you do for fun? What's something about yourself that I would find surprising?

Your new classroom is Room 214. It is on the main level of the school. If you like to drink water throughout the day, bring a water bottle with a spout lid. You can also bring a small, healthy snack to enjoy mid-morning. Please do not bring peanuts or nuts in your snack.

If you would like to have a sneak peek of your classroom before school, stop by on September 3rd from 3:00-4:00 during Northwood's Open House.

I hope you have had a wonderful summer.

See you soon!
Ms. Sherman