



MVTHS Teacher of the Week

Brittany Boldt

Subject Taught: Family and Consumer Sciences — Primarily Child Care Services

Education and Experience: Graduated in 2003 from Eastern Illinois University with a bachelor's degree in career and technical education with an emphasis on family and consumer sciences. I am currently working on my master's degree in educational administration from EIU and will be finished this spring. I have taught at MTHS for four years and one year at Newton Community High School.



Years as a Teacher: 5

Reason for Becoming a Teacher: "This is the only thing I have ever wanted to do. I love interacting with young people. To me, being a teacher is the perfect job!"

Greatest Moment as a Teacher: "Receiving the 2007 Outstanding New Teacher Award for Family and Consumer Science teachers in Illinois."

Most Embarrassing Moment as a Teacher: "During my student teaching, I was teaching eight different classes on different days. I was teaching my foods' classes about pesticides and had been talking about contraceptive methods in my parenting class. Needless to say, I used the word spermicides when I should have used the word pesticides! My students and I laughed quite hard for a few moments!"

Favorite Aspect of Being a Teacher: "This is pretty simple for me. I love, absolutely love, talking with my students. I love getting to know who they are, I love hearing about what they want to do after high school, and I love watching my students interact with our preschool children."

Favorite Movie: The Notebook

Last Book You Read: Playing for Pizza by John Grisham

Hobbies: "Taking my children to my husband's baseball/basketball games, Cardinal games, and spending time with family and friends. I also love to shop, cook, read and go with my husband and kids to find restaurants we've never eaten at before!"

Family: "I have been married to Lance Boldt for almost five years. We have two beautiful girls, Sidnee, 3 and Kenidee, 2. We also have a new puppy named Rudy!"



If You Were Not a Teacher, What Would You Be? "One of two things: A stay-at-home mommy or a personal shopper for Vera Wang!"

Person(s) You Most Admire: "Jesus, my husband, my mother, my grandmother, and the men and women who serve our country to keep us all safe!"