



# MEET THE STAFF!



## The Basics!

My name is Erika Weiss and I teach Kindergarten, Sixth, and Seventh Grade Art at Monarch Global Academy. This is my third year teaching art and I am so excited to keep teaching many more! I enjoy playing video games, creating art and hanging out with my two awesome pets Fibonacci the hedgehog and Buttercup the cat. I love to hike and be outdoors and this summer went on an intensive camping trip in Algonquin Provincial Park in Canada! Paddled 51 miles in 7 days! I also got engaged on that trip and am looking forward to marrying my new fiancé! When I'm not at school you can usually find me relaxing on the couch exploring what's new on Netflix!



## My Childhood!

I have lived in Maryland my entire life. I grew up in Olney, MD with a majority of my family close by. I have three amazing sisters and a wonderful extended family. I grew up going to Washington D.C. a lot where my parents always took me to the National Gallery, The Air and Space Museum and so many more.



## My Education!

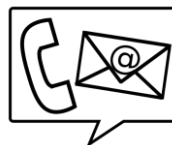
I have always had a love of learning. I grew up in Montgomery County and graduated from Sherwood High School in 2009. I then received my Undergraduate Degree Magna Cum Laude from Towson University in Art Education. I am currently in a cohort through AACPS to receive a post-bacc certificate in Art Integration from Towson University and then will pursue my masters in the same field.



## My Favorites!

- Food:** Sushi
- Movie:** Fantastic Mr. Fox
- Book:** The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Nighttime
- Color:** Purple
- Drink:** Orange Juice
- Season:** Fall
- Sports:** None
- Fast Food:** Panera
- Singer:** Jason Mraz
- Hobby:** Art/Playing Video Games
- Subject:** Art/Art History
- Store:** Michaels
- Dessert:** Crème Brulee
- Candy:** Jujubees
- Restaurant:** Cheesecake Factory
- Flower:** Pansies

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