

# MEET THE STAFF!



Monarch Global  
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## The Basics!

My Name is Mr. Michael Donnelly. I teach sixth grade at Monarch Global Academy. This will be my second year here at Monarch and in Maryland. This will also be my second year teaching sixth grade. Previously I have taught fourth grade in Texas for one year, third grade in North Carolina for five years, and fifth grade in Las Vegas for two years. That makes this year my tenth year teaching. I am married to Rachael Donnelly and have two children Evan and Quinn. Evan is my three year old son and Quinn will be turning a year old in September. We recently purchased a home in Russett right here in Laurel and we are really enjoying our time in this area.



## My Childhood!

I grew up in upstate New York in a small town near Binghamton. My family included one older brother and one younger brother along with my mom and dad. I spent most of my life in New York until I moved out to Las Vegas for a teaching job. Binghamton is also home to the Mets AA baseball team, so I am a huge Mets fan!



## My Favorites!

**Food:** Sushi/Indian  
**Movie:** Harry Potter  
**Book:** The Hunger Games  
**Color:** Orange and Blue  
**Drink:** Coffee  
**Season:** Spring  
**Sports:** Baseball  
**Fast Food:** Panera  
**Singer:** Semisonic  
**Hobby:** Reading/Making  
**Subject:** Technology  
**Store:** Amazon.com  
**Dessert:** Chocolate  
**Candy:** Chocolate  
**Restaurant:** Buffalo Wild Wings  
**Flower:** I don't know yet

## My Education!

I have always been a fan of school. I even managed to graduate elementary school two years in a row! I changed schools from one that ended at 4<sup>th</sup> grade to one that ended at 5<sup>th</sup> grade and was able to pull that off. Later I attended St. Bonaventure University where I earned a degree in Elementary Education. I have also earned my Master's Degree from American College of Education.



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