Hello, Sixth Graders!!

I hope you are just as excited as I am to start the new school year! Please know many of us have some butterflies as well. Although this will be my 21st year teaching at Doyle Elementary, I still get a little nervous as school begins. My hope is to make everyone feel comfortable and valued starting day one! We are in this together, and as a family in N13 we will laugh, learn, make mistakes, support one another, and achieve many goals. Your last year at Doyle is guaranteed to be very special!

Here are a few tidbits about me: Summer is a gift because of the extra time spent with my husband Dennis, our two children Sebastian and Nolan, my dad, brother, niece, and nephew! Visits to the beach, time with friends, and family adventures are the best! Maybe I will see you on the fields as Sebastian is playing 10th grade soccer or perhaps when Nolan is playing 7th grade lacrosse. Most of the time though you will find us in our favorite place, our backyard! Going for bike rides and walks are a daily occurrence in the Doyle household. Our pups Murphy, an I rish Setter and

Charlie, a golden retriever LOVE the great outdoors and to go for swims! Count me in for trying new recipes and lounging in my hammock with a good book all summer long!

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