

I am honored and excited to join the Arches Academy team as Head of School! I look forward to working with students, family, and staff this coming school year. I have been an Elementary school educator for 8 years and during that time I focused on project-based learning in my own classroom. In my experience, students learn best when given a challenge to overcome while applying skills they practiced in class.

I attended Utah Valley University for my master's in educational leadership while completing an educational leadership internship at Lakeview Academy. One thing I learned to be true during that time is that every child is capable of growth, when given the right conditions. It is my goal to ensure we provide the best conditions for learning and growth at Arches Academy.

I am passionate about building positive school culture, creating safe learning environments, and giving students opportunities to lead. My goal is for every student to feel seen, valued, and excited to come to school every day.

A couple of things about me is that I really enjoy painting! I have been painting watercolor and oil paint for the past 10 years and I really enjoy the process. I'm not Bob Ross, but I like painting mountain landscapes!

Anytime I can spend with my children is also one of my favorite ways to spend time. I particularly enjoy coaching my daughter's volleyball team and hiking with my three children. Creativity and time with family really balances and centers me.

I look forward to getting to know every family and working together to help each student grow in their own way. It's a privilege to serve the wonderful community and I am very excited to meet everyone!