

Hello Families!

My name is Mr. Burd and I am a student teacher for the Physical Education Department and went to Central Washington University, where I am so close to receiving my Washington State Teaching Certificate and Bachelor's of Science in Physical Education and School of Health.

My goals for the period of time while I am here are to establish myself in the learning environment and receive a wonderful, professional teaching experience here at Drum Intermediate. My first week here was one that I will never forget and has been a great time. I have had the opportunity to lead the students in various activities and I look forward to the ones to come.



A little bit about myself: I coach several different sports including football, baseball, swimming, and pretty much anything else you can think of. In my free time I enjoy playing disc golf, fishing, snowboarding, and pretty much enjoying the weather as much as I can! I played baseball for about 14 years of my life and miss it to this day. I am a huge Seattle sports fan. I go to as many Mariner and Seahawk games as I can and even got to go see the Mariners play in spring training down in Peoria, AZ. I was lucky enough to get my jersey signed by THE Julio Rodriguez.

If any of you have any further questions regarding my placement or time here at Drum, please contact Charlie Skinner (cskinner@upsd83.org) or Greg Fisher (gfisher@upsd83.org). I could not have been more lucky to receive my student teaching placement at this school. The students are great, the staff is great, and all of you are great as well! Thank you for taking the time to read this letter and I look forward to the memories this experience will offer!

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