Tefft Middle School Welcome 7th grade families

'RISE UP, TITANS: Your Journey Begins"







Families and Students, Welcome to a new school year at Tefft Middle School! We are excited to introduce you to **Team Titans**, a dynamic and supportive learning community where your child will thrive both academically and socially. We believe that middle school is a critical time for growth, and our goal is to create an environment that nurtures curiosity, builds character, and fosters a love for learning. Team Titans is a collaborative team of dedicated teachers and staff who are committed to helping each student reach their full potential. We believe in the importance of strong communication between home and school. Our team's mission is to empower students to become confident, responsible, and independent learners. We focus on creating a positive and inclusive classroom culture where every student feels valued and supported. It is our goal to prepare them for 8th grade and high school. We look forward to supporting them and having a cohesive connection with families throughout the year.

Titan 7th grade math teacher: Mrs. Natalie Georgitsis

I have been teaching middle school math for over 20 years. Middle school has always been my favorite age group to teach. This is my first year in district U-46. My best attribute is that I create an amazing relationship with students. I take so much pride in getting to know them and their unique lifestyles. Three words that describe me are loud, fun, and supportive. I am always available by email, so please do not hesitate to reach out. My email is nataliegeorgitsis@u-46.org. I am looking forward to a fantastic year with your kids. Thank you for entrusting them to be; their success is my priority.



Titan 7th grade ALE and Social Science teacher: Ms. Leticia Yera

I have been teaching at district u-46 for 17 years in the DUAL Program. I am teaching Artes de Lenguaje en Español(ALE) and Social Science 7th grade. You can expect regular updates from our team regarding your child's progress, upcoming events, and ways you can get involved. Our curriculum is designed to

challenge and engage students, encouraging them to think critically and creatively. We integrate a variety of learning experiences, from hands-on projects to group discussions, to help students connect with the material in meaningful ways. We understand that middle school can be a challenging time for students as they navigate new experiences and responsibilities. Our team is here to provide guidance and support, whether your child needs help with academics, social skills, or adjusting to the demands of middle school life. The best way to communicate with me is by email: Leticiayera@u-46.org



Titan 7th grade ELA/ESL teacher: Mr. Daniel Proctor

Team Titans, GO! GO! GO! This is my 30th year in education and my 28th at Tefft Middle School. Because of this, I may have taught you the parent and/or your other children. My wife and I have raised three children (33,29,26) together. Parents and Teachers, together, need to foster growth in academics, social, and emotional skills. I believe that every child can learn! I and team titans teachers will do everything within our power to help your child achieve a

better understanding of themselves and how they learn. danielproctor@u-46.org

Titan 7th grade ELA/ESL and Science teacher: Victoria Larson

Hello! This is my first year at Tefft Middle School and my 13th year of teaching. I will be teaching two sections of 7th grade Science, and 2 sections of 7th grade English Language Arts. I have two wonderful boys (3 and 7). I enjoy baking, gardening, and spending time with my family. I am excited to get to know the students and work with them throughout the year. Feel free to contact me with any questions! Go Titans!

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Titan 7th grade Science teacher: Neha Ojha



Hello, My name is Neha Ojha. I am a Science Teacher. I teach 7th and 8th grade Science. This is my 4th year of teaching and 2nd year at U46. I taught undergraduate students for a year, Worked as a para teacher and enjoyed every role and responsibility I got. Teaching Science is my passion and I enjoy it a lot. I Like to interact with students, listen and work as a team in every possible way. Things I would like to see in myself or in the classroom would be- Organization, Good management in terms of time and Schedule, Discipline and last but not the

least is Respect. As being a Titans-that means " great strength or intellect" we as a team always try to give our best and put our strength and intellect for the betterment of each and every student and value their future goals. We are here to support, guide and help students and move all students forward, whatever it takes together..!! Communication is the key, feel free to contact me when needed. Thanks

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