Dear Families.

I wish to welcome you to Saline Middle School. This is an exciting time for your child, even though they, and you, may be feeling a bit apprehensive. Let me assure you that it is my privilege to welcome you, your child, and your family into my classroom.

Be assured that I will do my best to make this year enjoyable for your child, and a time filled with real learning. I will guide and encourage your child, celebrating each step of the way! I love teaching and look forward to caring for, supporting, and encouraging your child daily as we embark on the wonderful adventure of learning.

I would also like to take this opportunity to share with you a bit about myself. I graduated from Eastern Michigan University with a degree in Elementary Education. I then received my Master's Degree in Leadership and Administration from Marygrove College. My husband Russ and I live right here in Saline. He is a firefighter in Pittsfield Township, and we have two amazing daughters...Ainsley (4th) and Sayla (2nd).

On a final note, I want you to know that I am very excited and honored to have this special opportunity of being your child's 6th grade teacher. I hope to make your child's learning experience a fun and exciting one, as well as instilling a love of learning that your child will carry with them throughout their life.

~ Kristin Girbach

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