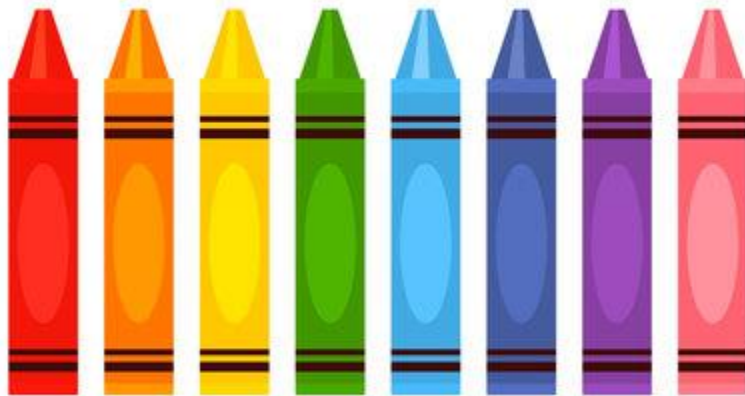


Western Oklahoma Christian School

Pre-K
2025-2026

Mrs. Laura Thomas



Hi! My name is Laura Thomas. I consider myself so blessed to be at WOCS! I'm looking forward to a great year! Here's a little about my family and me. I'm looking forward to getting to know yours as well!

My husband Colton and I have been married for 8 years this fall. We live in Rocky and are currently building a home southwest of Cordell! We have two children- Graham,6, who is in kindergarten, and Grace,4, who is in class with me this year! We love to be together! We love to travel together and explore any zoo we come across. We enjoy being outdoors and active. I have my RN-BSN, working at bedside for 5 years before staying home to be with my babies. I enjoy cooking, working out, and coffee in silence in the morning! I've also started golfing with Colton again this year after a 18-year-ish hiatus(that makes me sound so old, I know). My favorite bible book- Proverbs. I also love the story of Noah, it is such a good personal reminder that God's timing and plan is best, not mine. I'm looking forward to teaching and getting to know your kiddos this year. Please reach out on GroupMe if you have any questions!

DISCIPLINE PLAN

We will utilize a clip up/down behavior chart in class. Each day the child is in a 'ready to learn' clip, depending on actions, they will be clipped up for good behavior, or down for bad behavior/choices. They have the possibility of moving up or down throughout the day as they make choices. At the end of the day, depending on where they end on the chart, they'll be rewarded with a sticker for their chart and a small piece of candy at dismissal. If a student is absent, they will simply get an A on their chart, it won't count against their behavior stickers to get into the treasure box on Friday. If they end the day clipped down for bad behaviors, they will get an X. Each Friday, students who have received stickers or A's for all 5 days will get into the treasure box! If we have weeks with NO X's the entire class will be rewarded as a whole at teacher's discretion. One x indicates student pick of treasure, two indicates teachers pick of treasure. I will not send charts home or contact you over typical pre-k behavior.

WATER BOTTLES/BLANKETS

Every Monday your child will need to bring a water bottle with their name on it and a blanket for nap time. I will send blankets and water bottles home on Fridays to be washed. Please remember to wash them over the weekend and send them back on Monday!

SNACKS

Each student needs to bring his/her own morning and afternoon snack. You may send a week's worth at a time for them to store in their cubbies. Please send a balanced snack! Let's encourage them to try new foods and varieties! If you can send a protein packed snack this will help their bellies stay fuller longer, helping them to be prepared to learn and play! I do have a mini fridge that I can store smaller quantities of items (cheese sticks, small servings of fruits or vegetables). Healthy suggestions include pretzels, apple sauce pouches, protein bars, cheese sticks, fruits, vegetables, goldfish, graham crackers.

FIELD TRIPS

We will have 4 field trips this year. Parents are always encouraged to attend if possible. You will receive details before each event at least 2 weeks in advance. If you are unable to attend, you will be required to send your child's booster seat with them to school that day. One field trip will be farm based; another will be at Clinton Public Library.

CLASS PARTIES

WOCS has 3 class parties each year:

CHRISTMAS PARTY

GOD'S LOVE PARTY

RESSURECTION PARTY

I will have a sign-up sheet regarding class parties at Meet the Teacher night, and you can choose which party you would like to help with.

***Birthday parties are always exciting for children at school! You are welcome to send a class treat to celebrate their birthday. All birthday parties will be after chapel. Please notify me at least one day in advance. Your child will be recognized during chapel service where we will sing to them, and I will pray over them.

If your child has a summer birthday, we will certainly celebrate it at the end of the school year!

Communication

You can contact me anytime via Group-me or through my school email!

lthomas@wocs.org

Do not hesitate to contact me with any questions! I will respond as soon as possible. I do not always see GroupMe messages until after school.

In case of an emergency or early departure, make sure to call the school office.

You will receive a BLUE folder from the school on Tuesdays, return them on Wednesdays!

I will send papers home each week in your Blue Tuesday folder!

PARENT/TEACHER CONFERENCEIENCES

Parent/Techer conferences will be in October and March. You will be contacted prior to this date with your conference time. At this time, we will discuss your student's progress and expectations and expected skills throughout our school year.

MISSION

Our class mission project will be Operation Christmas Child, we will collaborate with Mrs. Walters class and pack gifts for children in need. We will take toy and monetary donations for these and will pray over our gifts before sending them out!

Classroom Rules

- Be Kind
- Kind hands
- Walking feet
- Inside voice
- Be ready to learn
- Love thy neighbor

"Let the little children come to me and do not hinder them, for to such belongs the kingdom of heaven." - Matthew 19:14

It is my hope that, yes, these children will learn their letters, numbers, sounds and so much more. More importantly it is my prayer that they learn more about Jesus and come to love Him through my actions and teaching!