

# MS. VANESSA



Hello friends! My name is Ms. Vanessa. I was born in Fort Stewart, Georgia. As a child, I enjoyed spending my weekends in Savannah, Georgia where my grandparents lived. I moved to Lexington in 4th grade and attended Arlington Elementary School here in Lexington. I then went to Bryan Station Traditional Magnet School and graduated from Bryan Station High School. I started a degree in Arts and Humanities with a minor in Education from Bluegrass Community & Technical College.

I have been a member of Faith Lutheran Learning Center since September 2014. I worked with the after-school students, in the kitchen and then for a year as the teaching assistant for the Pre-K Pandas (4 & 5 year olds). I now work as a substitute teacher. I enjoy working with children, because of the influence I had when I was younger. I had an amazing literature teacher who was a huge role model for me all throughout high school. It brings me great pleasure to make our children smile every day.

There are also lots of things that I enjoy doing outside of work. I am a sports-a-holic. Of course, I love my UK Wildcats! I enjoy seeing the women and the men play at least three times a year down at Rupp Arena and Memorial Coliseum. My family has also raised me as a Cincinnati Bengals football fan, along with the Cincinnati Red baseball fan. Fun fact: I have worked at a local sports bar and restaurant for 7+ years. I also played sports in high school. I enjoy spending time with my friends, exploring fun activities around town. I also like getting outdoors, especially Red River Gorge and Raven's Run. Last, but not least, I love to travel. I've been to 21 out of the 50 states and 3 different countries. I am hoping in my lifetime, I will be able to see all 50 states. Thank for taking the time to get to know me!