



Jennifer Kidd

My name is Jennifer Kidd and I am part of the third grade team at Bethany Elementary. I graduated from Baylor University in 2002 with a B.S. degree in elementary education. I earned my Master's degree in Special Education as an educational diagnostician from the University of North Texas in August of 2007. I have earned my certification in special education, gifted and talented education, reading instruction, and educational diagnostics. Teaching students with exceptionalities is a strong passion of mine. This year will be my sixth year teaching, and I have spent all five past years teaching at Bethany because I absolutely love the community, students, and teachers here. As a teacher, I implement the Tribes and Love & Logic philosophies as key components of my classroom. These philosophies emphasize student responsibility, cooperative learning in a supportive low-risk environment, and the establishment of a community of learners. I enjoy challenging students as they learn and grow as individuals.

In my free time, my husband, Kurt, and I enjoy traveling, watching movies, and working on our house projects together. We also enjoy spending time training and playing with our two puppies, Libby and Maggie. I am excited to be part of the Bethany community!

A favorite quote of mine:

"We must not only give what we have; we must also give what we are." - Desire-Joseph Mercier