

August, 2022

Dear New Families of Room 2025,

Welcome to the 6-9 community at Dater Montessori! My name is Sarah Doepke (pronounced dep-key) and I am your student's Homeroom, Language Arts, and Social Studies teacher. I have worked at Dater Montessori as a 6-9 teacher for 20 years! My husband and I have 3 children, in middle school and high school. We enjoy attending our kids' sporting events and working on our older home.

Ms. Janie Conroy is our classroom's wonderful paraprofessional and we have worked together for 19 years. Ms. Janie enjoys volunteering for a local cat rescue center and tending to her beautiful flower garden.

I am also a team teacher with Ms. Tracey Peters. The students will have Math or Science lessons with her for an hour each day. This structure maximizes a focused approach to the standards with the support of Montessori materials.

This will be Ms. Tracey's 22nd year at Dater Montessori. She lives outside of Brookville, Indiana with her husband, five children, and many pets including 30+ chickens! Ms. Tracey also enjoys camping and gardening.

Please save the date for our Back-to-School Parent Meeting on Tuesday, August 20th from 6:00-6:45.

Please send your child's school supplies to school the first day. If it is too much to carry, they can be brought in over the first few days. Feel free to contact me with any questions or concerns. I can best be reached by email over the summer. Here's to a great school year together!

Most Sincerely,
Ms. Sarah ☺
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