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Meet the Stars

Mrs. Rivera



About Me:

This will be my 15th year in education, with experience teaching Pre-k, Kindergarten, and 1st grade. My husband, Manny, and I have one daughter, Brylea, who is in 7th grade at Heartland Middle School. I have three cats, Daffodil, Freya, Esteban, and one dog, Pete. I enjoy gardening, butterflies, thrifting, traveling, golfing, and watching soccer (especially watching my daughter play).

My Favorites:

Snacks: grapes, beef jerky,
Drink: Bloom energy, coffee, tea, diet coke
Food: Barbeque and Mexican
Dessert: cookies, brownies, hot tamales
Season: fall & spring
Team: OSU, Thunder, OKC United
Color: Earth tones and Neutral
Authors: Historical Fiction, True crime
Movies: I am well versed and have too many to pick
Animal: Cats and Dogs
Flower: Indoor Plants and Pollinator Plants

My why for being in education:

My why is rooted in the belief that every child deserves to be seen, heard, valued, and loved. I am passionate about building meaningful relationships with my students and thier families. Through age appropriate, play-based learning, I strive to foster curiosity, confidence, and a lifelong love of learning. My goal is to create a nurturning classroom where they feel safe to learn and grow.

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Fun Facts:

- I grew up in New Mexico
- My husband and I met in middle school.
- I did my student teaching abroad in England.
- I played college golf for UCO.

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