

# TELL ME ABOUT YOUR CHILD IN A MILLION WORDS OR LESS....

Parents/Guardians,

The school year has officially started! I hope this note finds you well rested and geared up for another exciting year.

As a teacher I try to make it a priority to get to know **all** of my students. I also want parents/guardians to feel like they are “in the loop” when it comes to their child’s education. Based on these two goals I have put together a little “homework assignment” not for the students, but for parents/guardians! Because the students will not be completing these on their own, I am counting this as extra credit and not an assignment grade.

Please take some time to tell me about your child; feel free to respond on this sheet of paper or you may choose to type up your own description. Please send these back with your student by Tuesday, August 25th. You may also email your responses to me at [danielle.helzer@esu16.org](mailto:danielle.helzer@esu16.org). Also, feel free to check out my school website where I will post announcements, course documents (including the course syllabus which contains my policies), photos, podcasts, videos, etc. To access my website visit [www.opsd.org](http://www.opsd.org), then click on OPSD Staff on the left side. Scroll down to the high school list and click on my name.

Here are a few prompts to get you started:

- What is your child’s personality like?
- What does he/she excel at?
- What does your child struggle with?
- What are your child’s likes and dislikes?
- How does your child learn best?

Please feel free to contact me should you have any questions about this “assignment” or anything else this school year!

Sincerely,

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