

**Mrs. Moyers**  
**Room 2E/ Fourth Grade**

My name is Laura Moyers, and I am entering my seventeenth year of teaching. Within those 17 years, I have taught special education in a resource room setting, third grade, fourth grade, and fifth grade. Last year, I was a fifth grade teacher here at Gill. When I am not at Gill, my family keeps me quite busy. I have been married for fourteen years to my husband Jerry. Also, we have three children: Gage (11), Camryn (8), and Ella (5). Ella will be attending kindergarten at Gill this year. We stay extremely busy with lots of sports and activities between our three children.

This fall, you will also be seeing a friendly face in our classroom every day, and that is Mr. Loyd Weishap. He is a student teacher from Marygrove College, who is finishing his teaching degree within our classroom community. He is a great person who is passionate about teaching, and has a realm of experiences to share with our community of learners.

Another friendly face you will be seeing in our classroom community is Mrs. Mary Ann Roberts. She is a special education paraprofessional, who has a gift for working with all of our children. We are so lucky to have her with us.

Our learning community is centered around inquiry based learning, where students are encouraged to ask rich questions to extend their thinking. We discover science concepts, explore the themes of geography, and work with a variety of math manipulatives to enrich our mathematical thinking and reasoning. Also, our many mini-lessons and independent conferencing guide our reading and writing process.

Please feel free to call or email me with any concerns or questions. This is going to be an excellent fourth grade year at Gill. I will send weekly classroom updates about our learning, and I will send these via email. Please make sure I have your email address, or let me know if you'd like me to send a hard copy home with your child.

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