

*Welcome Parents and Students!*

I am happy and proud to be teaching Art at Edna Karr Secondary. When I received my BFA from the University of Louisiana, Lafayette, little did I know that I'd be working with such warm and delightful students and outstanding faculty, staff, and administrators! My studies at Loyola and Xavier completed my teaching requirements and helped to shape my classroom philosophy.

My goal is to treat all students with care and help them to grow socially and personally, as well as academically. I incorporate a variety of projects and skill levels in my lessons to accommodate various interests and learning styles. Most importantly, I strive to create a family-like atmosphere of unity, open-mindedness, and mutual love and respect.

I believe that the art class is an essential part of the school environment. Through art, students learn to express themselves and appreciate other cultures. They often begin to realize the therapeutic nature of art-making, become energized through creative problem-solving, and gain greater understanding of themselves and their world.

I believe that everyone has the ability to create, and along with that magical world of art comes greater confidence, enthusiasm, and understanding.