Meet your remote teacher



Hi! I am Mrs. Hertzke, the 1st Grade, Kindergarten, and Pre-K Remote Teacher for this year. This is my 4th year teaching at Grass Lake School and I was the PreK teacher for the past 3 years. It is great to be in class again with many of my past students and they have grown so much! I am very excited to have all of the new students

joining us too! I have taught in all Elementary grade levels for the past 25 years and really enjoy teaching the Primary grade level students. I am very excited to work with two amazing teachers, Mrs. Denman and Mrs. Kattner, as well as all of the dedicated parents to help everyone have the best new virtual learning experiences possible.



My husband and I live in Round Lake Beach, with my three children and two cats. I love spending time with my family, watching my kids play sports, going on hikes, hammocking, bike riding, as well as exploring waterfalls, nature and the beach!





Remote Learner Tips

Parent Partners: Thank you for all of your extra time and for helping your child with tech help, navigation, finding page numbers, and all the on task and behavior support.	It is ok to not correct all of your child's work. It is good for us to see what they can do on their own. You can always help guide them in the right direction if there is frustration or if they are not understanding. Be sure to take breaks often.
Technology Issues	DONT STRESS. Thank you for being patient. We will work through them together. Please contact me first if your child is having any issues.
Class Materials, Main Platforms SeeSaw Google Meets	Students should have our schedule, class expectations, and all class materials close by, ready and charged, as well as a quiet home learning spot set up. New material pick up will happen once a month.
Remote Learner Birthday Celebrations	We will eat our own favorite treats together during a Google Meet Party and celebrate virtually.



Cheryl Hertzke

CONTACT Me



Send me a message—this is the best way to reach me or by email, as I will be teaching from my home. *You will have the ability to private message me through your family app and we will be able to message back and forth through Seesaw.



Email: chertzke@gls36.org
Please email me and call the office if your child will be absent. School office 847-395-1550



Phone: The Rainbow Phone App is being set up. Please call the office if you can't reach me through SeeSaw, Email, or Rainbow.

I will return your call as soon as I am able to.

Soar High, Dream Big, And Always Believe You Can Achieve