Dear Parents and Families,

Welcome to 6th grade! My name is Eva Klukiewicz, and I will be your child's teacher for the 2025-2026 school year. This is my fifth year teaching in Central Bucks, but my third year at Mill Creek and I am so excited to share it with all of you! Sixth grade is a magical year full of adventures and new experiences. This year students will explore science and investigate the world around them! Within Social Studies, students will learn about Early Man, Mesopotamian Kingdoms, and Ancient Egypt. Reading will be a time to dig deeper into different novels both as a class and independently. Your child will engage in reading a variety of genres such as realistic fiction, fantasy, historical fiction, and more! As we spend time reading, we will be learning strategies to apply to both fiction and non-fiction texts. In Language Arts, we will work together to become risk-taking writers and presenters. Sixth grade is truly a year where students become more confident, independent learners by not only learning new material, but learning how to study and understanding what works best for their personal learning style.

I'd also like to share a little bit about myself! The most exciting thing I like to share is that I am a Central Bucks alumnus myself, as I grew up in the Doylestown area. Later on, in 2020, I graduated from Penn State University and went on to become a virtual 4th grade teacher for a year and a half in CB. The next year in CB was filled with substitute positions in 1st, 5th, and 6th grade. I have taught 6th grade at Mill Creek now for two years, and I can't wait for a third! All of my experiences that have brought me here are ones that I learn from every day, and I can't wait to educate, motivate, and guide your 6th grade students to success this year. Outside of my time at school, I <u>love</u> to read, watch television, and spend quality time with my friends and family. I especially enjoy spending time with my niece who is four years old. I also had a blast going to my favorite place this summer...Cape May, New Jersey! One fun fact about this past year is that I got engaged and I am so excited to plan my wedding for 2026! ⁽²⁾ In addition, I am working on completing my second master's degree in education with a focus on Mathematics Education from Indiana University of Pennsylvania.

I have attached a list of back-to-school supplies that will help your child be prepared for the many tasks and assignments in the year ahead. Our class will be using **folders** to help students strengthen organizational skills and become more independent.

Please feel free to contact me with any questions or concerns you or your child may have. My email is <u>eklukiewicz@cbsd.org</u>. I am happy to answer any questions and ease any anxiety as best I can. Just as a heads up, once we begin school, I will be sending out weekly update emails on Fridays that include information about what the students are working on in class as well as any announcements that I may need to share with you.

Enjoy the last bit of summer! ⁽²⁾ Create some wonderful family memories, relax, enjoy the summer weather, and be ready for a new and fantastic sixth grade year. I can't wait to meet

your child on the first day of school and hear all about your exciting summer adventures. **Please plan to send a picture of something your child did this summer to school the first week so we can create a bulletin board.** I look forward to working with you and your child this year and I hope to meet everyone on **Thursday, September 11th at 7:30pm at Back-to-School Night**. Thank you so much!

-Eva