

Meet the Team

Katzie Kindergarten Teachers and Support Staff



Ms. Krevesky

Hello Katzie Community! My name is Ms. Krevesky and I am one of the original staff members that helped to open this beautiful building back in the 2013/2014 school year. I have been teaching for 29 years and love that no two days are ever the same. I look forward to meeting your child this fall and helping them to grow and learn while playing and having fun.



Mrs. Kyritsis

Hello and welcome to Katzie! My name is Mrs. Kyritsis and I am one of the Kindergarten teachers at the school. Kindergarten is so much fun! You will get to meet new friends, learn while you play and listen to lots of wonderful stories. I am excited to meet you this September!





Mrs. Look

Hello, my name is Leeann Look. I am one of the original Katzie Kindergarten teachers who helped to open the school in 2013. I live in Cloverdale with my husband. We have four adult children and three incredible granddaughters! I have taught Kindergarten in Surrey for all of my career. I am always amazed at the curiosity, enthusiasm and abilities of 4 and 5 year olds. I enjoy teaching and guiding them and seeing their growth in their first year at school. I hope you have a fantastic summer and I look forward to meeting you and your child in September.



Mr. Frisk

Welcome! I am Mr. Frisk, one of the Kindergarten teachers who has been at Katzie since it opened. Kindergarten is such a wonderful time of exploration and learning for the children and I look forward to guiding them along the way.

Ms. McMartin

Hello! My name is Leigh McMartin (Ms. McMartin) and I am one of the Kindergarten teachers at Katzie! I started teaching at Katzie 7 years ago after having my first little boy. I am now a busy mom of 3 boys! Starting in September, I will have Mrs. Melissa Reed teaching in my class one day a week. I am excited to meet all of you in September! We are going to have an amazing year! Kindergarten is the best- you will make friends, learn new things, and have tons of fun! I cannot wait to meet you all in September!



Mrs. Reed

Hello! I am Melissa Reed (Mrs. Reed) and I am excited to be joining the kindergarten team at Katzie! I will be working one day per week (probably Wednesdays) with Ms. McMartin in the 2021/22 school year. I have worked as a TOC at Katzie over the past three years and Katzie is my favourite school! I love watching the ways kindergarten students grow during their first year of school, as they meet new friends, learn new things and play, play, play. I have two elementary aged children myself and live in Clayton Heights. Watch out for me this summer when you are out walking, biking or playing in the neighbourhood.



Mrs. Becker

My name is Susan Becker. For those of our students who may need some extra supports, there are Integration Support Teachers that will work with the classroom teacher and families. The Integration Support Team at Katzie is made up of four teachers: myself, Carol McLennan, Margaret Mossop and Kristine Olsen. These teachers work to bridge home supports with school supports, and make sure that each student is able to have a successful year in Kindergarten. Our team looks forward to welcoming all our new learners to Katzie!



Ms. Van Santen

My name is Chantal Van Santen and I am the Teacher-Librarian at Katzie Elementary. This is my eighth year at the school and my fourth as the librarian. I love teaching in the library because it allows me the opportunity to connect with all Katzie students and share my love of books and reading with them. I can't wait for you to visit me in the library so we can read many wonderful stories together and I can help you find that just right book!



Ms. Onotera

Hello, I'm Naomi Onotera and I am the second Teacher Librarian at Katzie Elementary. This is my fourth year at the school. I was a Kindergarten Teacher for many years before becoming a Teacher Librarian. I love sharing my passion for books and reading with the students of Katzie. One of the best parts of my job is being able to teach and get to know so many students at all the different grade levels. I currently work part-time so that I can spend some time at home with my 1 year old daughter. I am looking forward to having you come to the library. We have so many wonderful books waiting for you to discover!





Ms. Mann



Mrs. Faremo



Ms. Miller

Hello Families and welcome to Katzie!
We are your Learner Support Team (LST) Teachers. We provide extra support in Reading, Writing and Math, as well as support for our English Language Learners. Along with your classroom teacher, we help students from Kindergarten to Grade 7 become amazing readers, writers and mathematicians! We look forward to welcoming you to Katzie in September.



Ms. Olson



Ms. Wallington