

Welcome to Great Oaks Elementary! I am ready for another WOW!!! year, and I am looking forward to meeting the new families who have joined the Great Oaks Community of Learners.

This is my 14th year in RRISD. I have been the principal at Great Oaks since October of 2006, and this will be my 7th year as an administrator. I earned my Master's Degree in Educational Administration and Principal Certification from Texas State University. I completed my Bachelor's Degree in Applied Learning and Development from the University of Texas at Austin. **Hook 'em!**

Both of my children attended RRISD schools from kindergarten through high school graduation. I hope you feel, as I did, that your children are receiving an exemplary education through the opportunities provided in our district.

Parent partnerships with the school are strongly encouraged at Great Oaks. There are many ways that we can use your time and talents to further enhance and enrich your child's education. Please talk with your child's teacher, or with the PTA, about volunteer opportunities that are available. You can also visit with our school counselors about becoming a mentor to a child here at Great Oaks or even at another campus in RRISD. We encourage you to think about ways you might be of service to all of the students here at Great Oaks.

Drop in and visit with me when you are here at school. You can also reach me by phone or e-mail. I want to help your family have the best elementary experience possible.

**Keep Great Oaks WOW!!!**

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