

Academic Excellence

Spiritual Growth

Service to God and Others

Name: Mrs. Donna DeKryger

Position: Title 1 teacher, Discovery Center (Reading and Math Intervention for Grades K-3)

Education/Schools Attended: I have a BA from Calvin College in Elementary Education/Language Arts and a MA from Purdue University in Education

## What do you appreciate most about DMC?

I have taught at 4 different Christian Schools in 3 different states, the last 25 being here at DMC. I have taught Preschool, 2nd grade, 3rd Grade, 4th Grade and the last 16 years in Title 1 Reading and Math Intervention. It is a great blessing to work at DMC and to be able to weave together my love for God and my love for children. I love the challenge of trying to meet the needs of individual students and help them reach their full potential.

## Fun Facts and Favorite Bible Verse

My husband, Malcolm, and I have three children that have attended DMC, and now 2 grandchildren just starting that journey. Some of my favorite things to do include spending time with my family, reading, traveling, and being an avid Purdue fan!

## One of my favorite Bible Verses is:

Proverbs 3:5-6 Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding. Acknowledge Him in all your ways and He will direct your path.