

Amy Musick teaches Biology and Aquatic Science in Galveston, Texas

Amy's profile:

Hometown: Biddeford, Maine

Major at TAMUG: Marine Biology, 2005

Why did you choose a career in teaching? I wanted to make a difference in kids lives the way my teachers did for me.

Number of years in classroom: 4

My School: Ball High School, GISD

Other subjects taught: AVID

How I motivate my students to learn: The key to engaging students is to connect new knowledge to something they are already interested in. Step outside of your box and always remember your sense of humor.

My educational philosophy: You have to have a good relationship with your students! They need to know that you care, but that there are rules. You are their teacher for a reason, not their friend.

My long term career goals: I am currently working on my administrative certificate to become a principal.

Favorite part of my job: Interacting with my students

Least favorite part of my job: The politics

Last Book I read: Twilight by Stephanie Meyer