

A Message from the Principal...



Dear Falcon Creek Community,

Welcome to the 2018-2019 school year! I am excited to rejoin the Falcon Creek family as the new Principal. I am a lifelong educator with a passion for education and an unwavering belief that every student at Falcon Creek has the innate gifts, talents, and skills to thrive not only academically and intellectually, but as actively contributing members of our local, national, and global society. Though each student possesses these gifts, talents, and skills, it is our work to assist students with identifying, developing, and nurturing these strengths. Falcon Creek has a rich history of academic excellence, which I am excited to be a part of, and to push to even greater heights.

Before rejoining the staff at Falcon Creek, I served in a variety of teaching and educational leadership positions. I began my career in Cobb County, Georgia, just outside of Atlanta, where I taught multiple middle school content areas, including Math, Reading, Social Studies, and AVID. In each of these roles, I served as a team or department leader, and was fortunate to receive extraordinary teacher leadership opportunities during my journey. Because of this, I believe in offering these same leadership opportunities for our staff to enhance their professional craft and to ensure that their voices are valued in our service to our students and community. Additionally, I served as a middle school administrator for five years before my family and I decided to move back home to Colorado.

Upon my return to Colorado, I served as an Assistant Principal in Denver for one year before joining Falcon Creek as an Assistant Principal in 2013. I immediately fell in love with the school and community, and knew that I wanted to call Falcon Creek home for years to follow. Our district had other plans for me, however, and after two years serving at Falcon Creek, I joined the staff of Laredo Middle School to support their work. Distraught at having to leave, but excited to be a part of the amazing things happening at Laredo, I graciously accepted this change, and spent two and a half years serving as Assistant Principal of Laredo. In January of this year, I accepted the position of Acting Principal at Prairie Middle School, where I served through the end of the 2017-18 school year.

As you continue to enjoy your summer, I want to share some important information as we further prepare for the school year. Please refer to my summer letter on the check-in link on the main page of our website for this important process.

I am humbled and truly appreciative of the opportunity once again to serve the Falcon Creek community. I look forward to meeting and working with you this school year, and for the great things ahead of us. At Falcon Creek, we soar. This school year, we will soar to new heights.



Warmest regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Alan Lavizzo". The signature is fluid and cursive.

Mr. Alan Lavizzo
Principal