2024 MSGA SGT PARENT CANDIDATE

Amanda Galloway



My name is Amanda Galloway, and I am excited to announce my candidacy for the MSGA SGT Parent position.

With over 20 years of experience as an educator, I would bring a wealth of knowledge and expertise to the MSGA SGT. My journey in education began with receiving my B.S. from Michigan State University, followed by the honor of being selected to join Teach For America. During my tenure as a TFA core member, I had the privilege of working directly with students, families, and educators in the Atlanta community. This experience deepened my understanding of the challenges and opportunities facing our education system and reinforced my commitment to advocating for positive change. Furthermore, my dedication to continuous learning led me to pursue a Master in Educational Leadership from Kennesaw State University. This additional training equipped me with valuable leadership skills and strategies to effectively collaborate with stakeholders and drive meaningful improvements in our school. As a parent and educator, I understand the significance of the sixth grade as a pivotal bridge year between elementary and middle school. My vision for MSGA is to ensure that this transition is smooth and successful for all. As both a teacher and a proud parent of 3 MCS students, I am deeply invested in the success of our school community. With both of my sons attending MSGA for the next 2 consecutive school years, I am personally committed to ensuring that every student receives the support and resources they need to thrive academically, socially, and emotionally. My dual perspective as both an educator and a parent uniquely positions me to understand the needs and aspirations of our students and families.

In conclusion, I am truly excited about the opportunity to serve MSGA. Marietta is not just a school district—it's a special, different, and better community that sets itself apart. Thank you for considering me for this important role.