



JAMES MADISON HIGH SCHOOL

LEADING THROUGH EXCELLENCE AND EFFICIENCY



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Greetings Parents and Students,

My name is Mr. Greg Bellomy, and I am excited to be teaching English 3 this year, which will be my second year at Madison High School. I was born in Houston, but I was mostly raised in Dallas and Atlanta. I moved back to Houston as soon as I got out of the Navy in 2004. When I served in the Navy, I was stationed in Virginia and California, and I deployed to the Caribbean Ocean, the Mediterranean Sea, and the Persian Gulf. I have a Bachelor of Arts Degree in Literature from the University of Houston – Clear Lake, and I am certified to teach by the Texas Education Agency. In addition to teaching English, I also assist with coaching our new Madison Marlins wrestling team, which qualified three of our student-athletes to compete in the regional tournament last year. Over the summer, my wife and I welcomed our first child into the world. I am excited to get back to work, and to learning and growing with you this year.

As an English teacher, I am primarily concerned with helping students develop their reading, writing, speaking, listening, and thinking skills. This year, our course reading will be focusing primarily on American Literature, which has the benefit of encouraging students to think critically and across subject areas. In addition to this, students will also get to engage with individual pieces of literature that they choose for themselves for their independent reading.

Please feel free to reach out to me if you have any questions or concerns about the new school year or the work that we will be doing. The easiest way to reach me is through email at Gregory.Bellomy@HoustonISD.org.

Respectfully,

Mr. Bellomy