

extended school enrichment

STAFF SPOTLIGHTS



Joey Castillo, Site Supervisor

Joey began working at ESE in 2011. When he started at ESE he was at Prairie Trace and this will be his 4th year back at Prairie Trace. Joey graduated from University of Southern Indiana with a degree in Advertising and Public Relations. He was also part of the Fraternity Alpha Sigma Phi. In his free time, Joey enjoys watching Football, spending time with his kids, and hanging out with friends. Joey has a son who attends Woodbrook!

Fun Fact: Joey is a Master at Disney Trivia!



Max Ellis, Head Counselor

Max began working for ESE in 2011 in the summer camps. He started at Towne Meadow later. Max is starting his 3rd year at Prairie Trace. He graduated from Purdue with a degree in management. During his free time, Mr. Ellis enjoys reading, watching movies, doing water activities at the family lake house, and going to amusement parks and escape rooms.

Fun Fact: Max would like to open his own Escape Room business.



Michelle Yerkeson, Counselor

This will be Michelle's 2nd year at Prairie Trace. Michelle graduated from University of Cincinnati with a degree in Interior Design. In her free time she enjoys gardening, riding trains, and hiking. She has a daughter who worked for ESE and at Prairie Trace too!

Fun Fact: Michelle works on trolleys in her free time.

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Jacob Trylch, Counselor

Jacob is in his 1st year with Prairie Trace ESE. Jacob is currently enrolled with WGU for elementary education. In his free time, Jacob enjoys climbing and hiking. He also enjoys learning new languages and is conversational in Spanish and Patois. He is learning Japanese, Thai, and ASL.

Fun Fact: Jacob knows and practices Parkour!



Shannon Geddes, Counselor (Sub)

Shannon is in her 2nd year at Prairie Trace and is also a Kindergarten IA during the day. She graduated from Purdue University with a degree in Psychology. In her free time, Shannon enjoys being with her kids, watching movies, gardening and reading. Shannon has 2 kids who attend Carmel High.

Fun Fact: Shannon loves Diet Coke from McDonalds!



Samantha Daugherty, Counselor (Sub)

Samantha is in her 1st year at Prairie Trace. She is currently a Junior at Carmel High School. In her free time Samantha enjoys hanging out with friends and golfing. She would like to be a plastic surgeon after college. Samantha has 2 miniature collies at home. She attended ESE at Towne Meadow with Mr. Castillo and Mr. Ellis as an elementary student.

Fun Fact: Samantha used to be a competitive gymnast.