

My name is Jessica Pedersen and I am the music teacher at Dry Creek Elementary. I received my bachelors' degree from the University of Northern Colorado in music education. I have been teaching elementary music for over 18 years. I love getting to know my students both musically and personally and I value the opportunity to see them grow over their elementary years.

At Dry Creek, the goal of the music department is to instill a life long appreciation of music in all students so that they can experience music in a more profound way. To achieve this goal, students are exposed to many different musical experiences including various musical genres and music of different cultures. Students learn the basics of music theory and are given many opportunities to create, compose, and perform music in meaningful ways.