



# Principal

## Spotlight



**Dr. Dustin Dykes**  
**Northside Middle**

### **What do you love about your school?**

The staff at Northside Middle support one another and loves our students. They set high expectations for our kids to ensure success now and in the future.

### **What do you love most about being a principal?**

I love seeing our students' success stories. My goal is that when I run into our students ten years from now, they can tell me about the amazing life they have created.

### **Tell us about the person who inspired you to become a leader.**

Dr. Robin Hines was the first to tell me that I needed to get my leadership degrees and believed I would do well in educational leadership. Dr. Mark Scott hired me in my first position beyond the classroom allowing me to put my ideas into practice. I was very lucky to have both the current and former superintendent as principals to set examples early in my career.

### **Fun Fact**

I enjoy traveling and exploring new places with my family when we have breaks in our schedule.