



Clarendon
Band
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Osborn School District # 8
Phoenix, Arizona

About Your Teacher! Mrs. Hulihan

Some History:

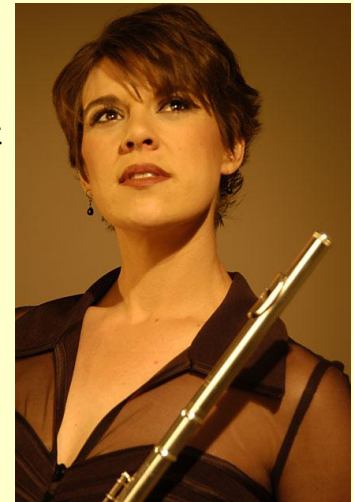
I am originally from Seattle, Washington. I have always been involved with music. My mother was a pianist and started me in piano lessons at age 3. I learned how to read music before I learned to read words. I spent much of my youth performing in youth orchestras in Tacoma and Seattle, Washington.

Teaching Experience:

I've been teaching band in the Osborn School District for 11 years.

Prior to that I taught band at Arizona School for the Arts.

I also teach Flute at Glendale Community College and Rosie's House Music Academy.



Education:

- Bachelor of Music, flute performance, Central Washington University
- Master of Music, flute performance, Arizona State University
- K- 12 Music Certification, State of Arizona, with ESL endorsement

Fun:

I am also an active performer. I have had the wonderful opportunity to perform throughout the country with my husband in our classical flute and guitar duo, "Duoazona." Last summer we gave concerts in both Los Angeles and New York City. Our New York concert was reviewed in the September issue of "Classical Guitar" magazine, which is a publication out of London. We also took a three week trip this summer to Europe. We visited the United Kingdom, France and Holland.

I also sit in with my husband's Jazz ensemble "Hot Club of Phoenix" It is really exciting to get to play Jazz and to expand my knowledge of improvisation.

Besides playing music I love spending time with my two English Bulldogs, Gertrude and Archibald. I also enjoy traveling, reading and going to the gym.

Teaching Experience:

- 7th / 8th Grade Language Arts and Mathematics, Vista del Sur Middle School, Laveen School District 2001 - 2005
- 7th Grade Mathematics, Osborn Middle School, 2005 to present