



OHS Staff Shoutout

Jessica Coy

~ Student Assistance Coordinator ~



Introducing Mrs. Coy

Mrs. Coy is our Student Assistance Coordinator here at OHS. This year is her first year as a Red Devil. Before OHS, Mrs. Coy worked in private practice as a mental health counselor and has worked with families and kids for 6 years.

Interviewing Mrs. Coy

What made you come to OHS?

"I really felt like OHS was the most proactive when it came to mental health" Mrs. Coy has had experience working in lots of different schools all over the city and county. However, in working previously with Owensboro schools Coy states "I loved it and I wanted to be a part of that team."

Is it a big change for you?

"I think it's a big change but I think it's a good change. I think high schoolers keep me young, it's fun to be a part of their journey you never know what you're going to hear or what you're going to see. Every day is different and exciting, never boring.

Does OHS live up to what you thought it would be?

Yes, it definitely lives up to what I thought it was going to be like and more, it's better. I love all the teachers, and all the students, it's a really great dynamic here, it's fun!

Words From The Writer

I have only known Mrs. Coy for about 3 weeks. In these 3 weeks, she has shown compassion, love, and kindness to everyone she meets. I've spoken with a few people and all have had nothing but good things to say about her. If you ask anyone they will say that she is extremely encouraging and understanding. When things get tough Mrs. Coy will always be willing to listen. Most high schoolers will agree that it's very difficult to find an adult that understands us, we feel that we will be judged for anything and it makes coming to school exhausting. However, Mrs. Coy is different. She makes us feel like we have a place, she makes us feel understood and like we truly matter. Mrs. Coy motivates me to come to school and be a better person. She doesn't judge, It doesn't matter what you tell her she will not judge you. It's hard to be in a bad mood around Mrs. Coy because she's so positive and happy that it makes everyone else around her equally as happy. I know that if I need her she will be there and I appreciate everything she has done for me and everyone else. We all love Mrs. Coy and we all agree that she's a great addition to our school!

Thoughts From OHS

"She is great with students, very fashionable and a fantastic asset to the guidance department" - Mrs. Hughes

"Great addition to our team!" - Mrs. Fogle

"Mrs. Coy is the best because she really listens to what you're saying! I've never had an adult in the school building be as understanding and encouraging as her. She also gives great advice!" -Olivia Young

"Mrs. Coy is one of the most understanding people at our school. Even if she doesn't know you she will take the time to be there and listen to whatever problems you have. She has the purest heart ever!" - Jazz Robinson

"Mrs. Coy is really nice, sweet, and super chill. Her room is my favorite place in the whole school, and she is very understanding." - Kianna November