

Julie Pettibone

Julie Pettibone earned her BS degree from St. Francis University. She spent five years teaching in selfcontained ED classrooms at Monmouth Elementary in Decatur while working at Adams and Wells Special Services Cooperative. She moved to Southwest Allen

County Schools 21 years ago and taught in self contained ED classrooms for secondary education students for 17 years. She sought a master's degree in Applied Behavior Analysis and became Board Certified as a Board-Certified Behavior Analyst on her journey to provide additional supports for the students in her community.

She currently works as Southwest Allen County Schools' Autism/Behavior Consultant. She serves as her district's Autism Consultant in the NE Roundtable, attends monthly and subcommittee meetings for Allen County's System of Care, and works 1:1 with students, staff, and provides school wide trainings. She is currently finishing a second masters at Ball State University to obtain Director of Exceptional Needs Licensure.

She has a wonderful husband and two daughters. In her free time, she enjoys reading professional journals, books, and sailing at Grand Lake St. Mary's, Ohio. She is considering obtaining a doctorate in Applied Behavior Analysis after a few years of taking some time off from classes. She hopes to find a position as a Special Education Director so she may share her expertise and knowledge on a broader scale.