

A photograph of a man and a woman smiling at each other outdoors. The man is wearing a grey zip-up jacket and the woman is wearing a dark blue puffer jacket. They are standing in front of a background of green trees. The photo is framed with a torn-edge effect. There are decorative orange and yellow curved shapes in the top right and bottom left corners of the page.

Erik & Jamie Jo

Our Adoption Profile

Hello

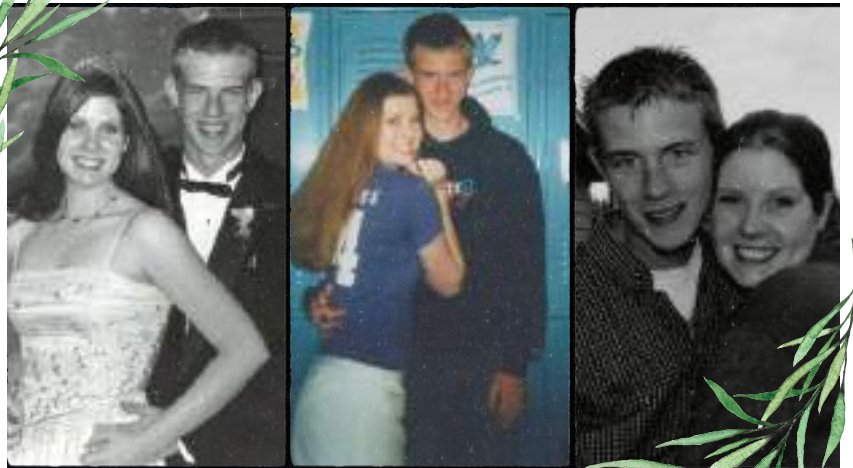
Firstly, thank you for taking the time to look at our profile. Our names are Erik and Jamie Jo and we have been together since we were 16 and 18-years-old. We met in our high school German II class and have been pretty much inseparable since then. We have wanted a child for a very long time and know that we are more than ready to become parents.

For almost three years, we were fortunate enough to be foster parents to an amazing little girl, whom we dreamed of adopting. However, in a heartbreaking situation, she was reunified with her biological parents. After letting our hearts heal, we knew it was time to make our family of two into a family of three.

Thank you again for taking the time to look over our profile and to consider us as the parents to your baby. We look forward to hearing from you soon!

Kindly,

Jamie Jo & Erik



Through the years...



Erik

Erik is a self-proclaimed nerd who enjoys all things Zelda, Star Wars or Lego. When not teaching science at the high school, Erik likes to help coach the track and field team. Erik says that the thing he is looking forward to the most about parenting is, "being able to be there for all of their milestones".

If you won the lottery, what is the first thing you would do?

"Book a ten day trip to DisneyWorld and stay at the Grand Floridian"

Would you rather have a pet dinosaur or dragon?

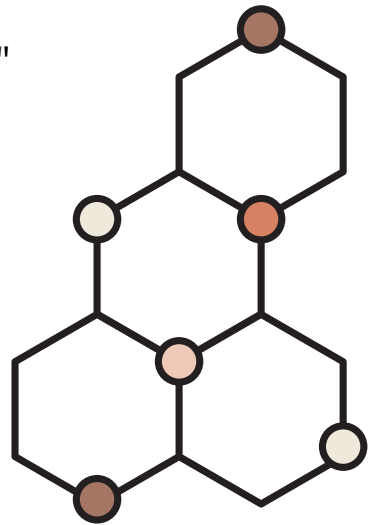
"A dragon, so I could ride it!"

What's something you think everyone should try at least once?

"A Ronto Wrap from Galaxy's Edge! They are so good!"

What is your all-time favorite movie?

"Blues Brothers. *We're gettin' the band back together*"



Jamie Jo

Jamie Jo is a goofy person who enjoys laughing with friends and family. Jamie Jo teaches business at her alma mater high school and also coaches the dance team there. Her hobbies include board games, watching movies and snuggling their dog, Pudge. Jamie Jo is excited to show the magic of reading to their new family member.

What is your spirit animal and why?

"For sure a koala. They sleep a lot and wake up to eat."

What song do you have memorized by heart?

"Ice Ice Baby by Vanilla Ice is my favorite party trick to show people!"

What was your first concert?

"The Spice Girls when I was in the 5th grade! I dressed up like Baby Spice."

What's your favorite holiday and why?

"I love Valentine's Day. I still make little cards for my co-workers and students."





Home Sweet Home

We live in a quiet cul-de-sac at the top of our hometown. Our home consists of a four bedroom house, and have a nursery all ready to go for our new family member. We love to spend time outside reading, playing cornhole or watching sunsets from our porch!



In Our Spare Time...

We love to be busy members of our community. When we aren't coaching ourselves, we try and attend as many high school sporting events as we possibly can, even if it means driving a few hours to watch our students play. On our days off, we usually like to watch a movie at home or go to the theater and mow down on some buttery popcorn and candy. We love to travel and see new things. Together we have been all around the United States and have lots places still on our bucket lists.

Our second home is Disneyland and we try and go at least once a year. We love the magic that Disneyland encompasses all while giving us the feeling of being kids again. We would love to take your baby to Disneyland someday and show them all of our favorite things about the Happiest Place on Earth.

We like to joke that we are a "package deal" because we are always with each other and if you see one, you usually see the other.

