

Jarrett Dement

Jarrett is an English teacher and US Army veteran who has developed deep roots in the community through the 15+ years he has lived here. Originally moving to the Chippewa Valley in 2007, he graduated from Stanley-Boyd High School in 2010 and spent 6 years in the Army Reserves where he served as a CBRN Specialist.

After leaving the military and holding a number of jobs, including correctional officer and personal care worker, Jarrett graduated with a BA in English Education from UW-Eau Claire in 2020. He taught English at Lincoln Jr/Sr High in Alma Center, WI, for several years and currently works as a substitute teacher for the school districts of the Chippewa Falls Area, Altoona, Osseo-Fairchild, and Alma-Center, Humbird, Merrillan.

Outside of education, Jarrett writes fiction, acts in community theatre productions, and plays a lot of video games. He lives in Eau Claire with his wife, Hali, and his dog, Michael.