

Mrs. Cyndi Woodward, MoTS - SCS Fine Arts Director
Advanced Acting and Technical Theatre Teacher
International Thespian Society Sponsor
Musical Director and Choreographer
Fall Play Director

Mrs. Woodward is the Fine Arts Director at Southwest Christian School and has been at SCS for eighteen years. Before coming to SCS, Mrs. Woodward's acting credits include the national tour of *The Three Sillies*, productions at Dallas Children's Theatre, Stage West, Circle Theatre, Jubilee Theatre, Casa Manana, the Bass Performance Hall, Theatre Arlington, as well as, productions at Southern Methodist University and Texas Wesleyan University. Mrs. Woodward has performed industrial entertainment and voice recordings for Wow! Entertainment, Inc. and Eclipse Entertainment. She has costume designed and constructed shows for Texas Wesleyan University, Theatre Arlington, and Tarrant County College. While performing in the national tour of *The Three Sillies*, Mrs. Woodward served as the education liaison for the Dallas Children's Theatre teaching seminars across the country on the importance of theatre exploration and education in the classroom. Mrs. Woodward has directed and choreographed works for Theatre Arlington School, The Fort Worth Academy of Fine Arts, and all SCS musicals and various productions since 2003. Mrs. Woodward had the great privilege of directing SCS students to 3 state One Act Play Championship titles ('14, '15, '17), 9 Betty Lynn Buckley nominations (4 wins), 47 Dallas Summer Musicals High School Musical Theatre Awards nominations (2 wins), and 3 finalists in the Fort Worth High School Playwriting Project. Mrs. Woodward was named to the Madeworthy Media 2019 Top Teacher list in Fort Worth and was featured in the Madeworthy magazine. Mrs. Woodward's undergraduate education includes the Meadows School of the Arts at Southern Methodist University and a BFA in Acting from Texas Wesleyan University. She holds a Master of Theatre Studies in Production and Design from Southern Oregon University finishing top of her class. Mrs. Woodward loves being inspired by the stars of tomorrow in her Advanced Acting and Technical Theatre/Design classes at SCS. It is of greater importance to Mrs. Woodward that her students grow in Christ-like wisdom throughout the year than anything they may learn in the arts. She has been married to her amazing and talented husband, Shawn, for 21 years. Mr. and Mrs. Woodward and their two daughters are members at Doxology Church.