



## Sharla Cockriell

Sharla has been employed with the River East Transcona School Division for the past 17 years teaching and empowering students and educators in math and leadership. She is a mother of three active boys that have kept her busy over the years. She enjoys going to her cabin with her husband, family and friends where she enjoys reading at the beach. She is a strong believer in the importance of sport for relaxation and rejuvenation.

Sharla started playing volleyball in grade 6 and enjoyed the win of her first volleyball tournament that year. She continued to play in middle school and high school as a left side, where she was a part of many championship teams. Her grade 10 team won the divisional championships and then again in grade 12. Both of those teams continued on to win the provincials those years, in 1994 and 1996. She continued to play volleyball at l'Université de Saint Boniface for 3 seasons as setter and left side. She continues to play in both the Winnipeg Senior Coed Volleyball League and the Winnipeg Womens Volleyball league today.

Sharla has coached and co-coached the Varsity Girls team while teaching at Collège Pierre-Elliott-Trudeau and at Miles Macdonell Collegiate over a period of 6 years. She is very passionate about volleyball and enjoys encouraging athletes to love the game, push themselves to improve and grow as a team.

Sharla is looking forward to coaching boys for the first time this year in the 14U category. She is excited to build on the athletes' abilities, refine their skills, promote team building and leadership and instill a life-long passion of sport in each team member. She looks forward to the adventure that awaits her!