My name is Danielle Mulick, but the 650 kids I teach each day call me Coach D. I’m an assistant PE coach at University Academy and this is my 3rd year teaching PE there. I absolutely love my job and the precious children and young adults I work with. It’s an honor and a privilege to work in PE and in Bay County. I have the unique responsibility of teaching kiddos the basics of sports and fitness- to training them in my true passion, RUNNING! Each spring, I get to coach middle school track and field at UA. We are an amazing team filled with some stellar, respectful, and kind athletes. That being said, PE’s classroom each day is outside on the field. I need to protect my skin and eyes from the sun each day. I wear contact lens everyday with polarized sunglasses, but there are times when dirt, dust, pollen, etc get in my eyes and makes wearing contacts a miserable experience. Being able to see while watching, teaching, and attending to 650 kids is a necessity. My active lifestyle and job makes wearing glasses unpractical. Lasik is something I have wanted for many years, but really is not an expense my family can justify right now. I thank you for opening this contest up to teachers. I hope I am chosen! Thank you again Eye Center of North Florida!

Best,

Danielle Mulick