Stacey McMullen taught mathematics over 15 years before finally getting the opportunity to teach Advanced Placement Calculus. I always loved teaching high school math, but after my first day of teaching AP Calculus, I thought, “I was born to do this!” I love the age group, the mathematical banter of calculus back and forth with the students, and the competitiveness of an AP exam. I have now been teaching AP Calculus for the past 15 years, gaining experience in two districts vastly different in the makeup of their student populations. Therefore, I have developed a wide variety of strategies and techniques to assist students in being successful in AP Calculus.

Currently, I am an AP Lead Teacher in an inner city district in Texas. I teach AB/BC Calculus at two high schools and mentor the calculus teachers at five other high schools. In addition, I write the calculus curriculum for the district, teach and train vertical teams, and do hours upon hours of tutoring. I seem to thrive in these low-income schools getting favorable results from students who lack the necessary mathematical background and resources.

I somehow find time each year to teach workshops and/or mentor teachers for the College Board, the National Math and Science Initiative (NMSI), and other districts. I also enjoy traveling to other high schools across the country preparing students for success on the AP Calculus exam. However, I am not all work and no play! I have many, many students both past and present who call me Mama and I have 4 children of my own; one not so nice cat and three lively, loving dogs.