



## Union Public Schools

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### **Michael Rose** **Associate Director of Student Life**

Mike Rose joined the Union Athletic Department as Athletic Coordinator in June of 2012. He was named Associate Director of Athletics in 2014. In the summer of 2017 he was named the Associate Director of Student Life at Union High School.

Rose is a 1999 graduate from Carl Albert High School in Midwest City. After high school, he went on to Pittsburg State University in Kansas where he received a Bachelor of Science degree in Education. He also played football for the Gorillas from 1999-2003. His first coaching job was as a volunteer assistant at Pittsburg High School. While at Pittsburg, Rose coached offensive and defensive lines.

From Pittsburg, Rose got a job teaching and coaching for the Carthage School District in Missouri. During his year at Carthage, he taught earth and space science and coached defensive line for the varsity football team. He then took a job teaching and coaching for Joplin High School in Missouri. He was at Joplin for four years where he taught biology and was an offensive line coach for the varsity football team.

In 2010, Rose took a job with Union Public Schools where he taught science and coached offense for the varsity football team. He graduated with his master's degree in administration through Southwest Oklahoma State University during the fall of 2012. He has also coached track and baseball.

He and his wife Whitney have two daughters, Avery and Ainsley.