
[admin_super] Administrator staffing news updates June 2021

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Team,

School is out, but we continue to plan for the fall! I have news to share about more changes in our administrator team for 2021–22.

Directors of Equity, Inclusion and Instruction: Misael Flores and Larry Williams

Misael Flores and Larry Williams have been named Directors of Equity, Inclusion and Instruction. Misael has been serving as Curriculum Administrator for Equity, Instruction & Partnerships since last summer. Larry's move from principal at Arts & Technology Academy to the district office to support educational equity and inclusion was announced in April.

Student Services Administrator: Joel Lavin

Joel Lavin has been selected to serve as a student services administrator. Joel is an experienced administrator, currently serving as assistant principal at South Eugene High School and previously as principal of River Road/El Camino del Río and Awbrey Park Elementary School, and assistant principal of Roosevelt Middle School. Joel is fluent in Spanish. He brings a strong equity lens and a passion to ensure all students, families and staff are supported for success. He will be a key addition to the student services team.

Charlemagne Principal: Tom Maloney

Tom Maloney is taking a break from retirement and coming back to 4J to serve as principal of Charlemagne French Immersion Elementary School for the 2021–22 school year. Many of you already know Tom well. He is a veteran administrator who was principal at Charlemagne from 2010 to 2013, and also served as principal at three other South region elementary schools, Crest Drive, Edison and Camas Ridge, before he retired from 4J five years ago. Tom has a passion to ensure all students and staff are supported for success. His leadership will serve Charlemagne well next year.

Churchill High School Assistant Principal: Missy Cole

Churchill High School's new assistant principal is Missy Cole, replacing Casandra Kamens who will be serving as the district's extended learning administrator. Missy comes to us from Springfield where she has been assistant principal at Thurston High School since 2013. She began her education career in Washington as a high school PE/health teacher and taught for 10 years before moving into the administrative realm. She directed a federal PE grant for two school districts, served as a middle school dean of students and as an athletic director, before moving to Oregon and her current role at Thurston. Missy makes it a priority to build trust with each student, staff member and community member she encounters. She will be a great asset to the Churchill admin team.

Spencer Butte Assistant Principal: Sarah Campbell

Sarah Campbell is the new assistant principal at Spencer Butte Middle School, replacing Tracy Ross who has accepted a principal position in Oakridge. Sarah comes to us from the Bethel School District, where she has taught sixth grade for the past decade. Previously she taught elementary students in Bethel, and further back, her very first teaching job was at Howard Elementary School in 2007. Sarah has a background in talented and gifted education and has worked to increase participation of underrepresented and historically marginalized groups of students in TAG programs. She is passionate about public education and about educating the whole child, including social and emotional learning. Sarah is excited about connecting with and supporting students, families and staff to successfully participate in an academically challenging, equitable and diverse learning community at Spencer Butte.

School Nutrition Managers: Carolyn Sufit and Brynn Richardson

Carolyn Sufit and Brynn Richardson have been hired as school nutrition managers. **Carolyn** has an education in clinical nutrition and more than 10 years of experience with food manufacturing. She has worked with a variety of local manufacturers, including So Delicious Dairy Free and Lochmead Dairy. Her expertise in quality control and quality assurance will be invaluable, as will her supervisory and managerial experience, as the nutrition services department develops and grows. **Brynn** brings to 4J her experience managing a region of kitchens and teams with different needs and cultures. She has a culinary arts and nutrition education, which will enable her to work with kitchen teams and chefs in education settings. Designing menus and recipes for those with special dietary needs has been a focus of her work and will help her build the systems of communication and controls between schools, kitchens, and nurses in serving students with special dietary requirements. Together, Carolyn and Brynne bring complementary skills and knowledge that will benefit the district and the students we serve.

In other news, **Kevin Gordon** is leaving our admin team after serving as principal of Camas Ridge Elementary School for the past two years and previously five years as principal of Adams Elementary. Kevin is returning to Junction City, where he has accepted a position as principal of Laurel Elementary School. He previously taught at Laurel for several years and is looking forward to returning to the school in a new role.

Please join me in welcoming Missy, Sarah, Carolyn and Brynn to 4J, congratulating Misael, Larry and Joel on their new positions, welcoming Tom back to our team this year, and wishing Kevin the best as he returns to his old stomping ground.

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