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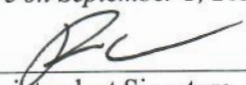
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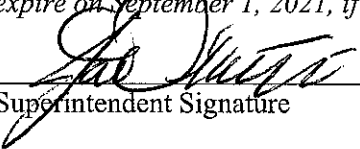
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School District Name	Atkins School District
Superintendent Name	Dr. Lori Edgin
Contact Person Name	Dr. Lori Edgin
Contact Person Phone Number	479-641-7871

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Atkins Elementary School K-4  
Atkins Middle School 5-8  
Atkins High School 9-12

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Superintendent Name	Bruce Guthrie
Contact Person Name	Tammie Moore
Contact Person Phone Number	870-572-7294 - ext. 4747

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Barton Elementary K-6  
Barton High School 7-12

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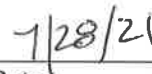
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School District Name	Benton
Superintendent Name	Mike Skelton
Contact Person Name	Kim Anderson
Contact Person Phone Number	501-778-4861

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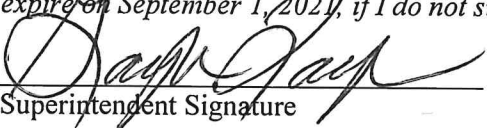
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Superintendent Name	Gaylon Taylor
Contact Person Name	Gaylon Taylor
Contact Person Phone Number	870-486-5411

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PreK – 6 BIC Elementary 7 – 12 BIC High School
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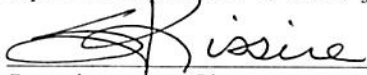
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School District Name	Bismarck
Superintendent Name	Susan Kissire
Contact Person Name	Susan Kissire
Contact Person Phone Number	501-865-4888, ext. 4

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Our plan has already been approved for 1st through 12th grade. We are only seeking to add kindergarten in case the Covid numbers rise to a number where we must add a virtual option for these students as well. All of the existing plan protocols will be included for our kindergarten students.

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Superintendent Name	Jennifer Blankenship
Contact Person Name	Jennifer Blankenship
Contact Person Phone Number	870-762-2053

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Blytheville Middle School  
 Blytheville Elementary School  
 Blytheville Primary School  
 Blytheville High School



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Superintendent Name	Dr. Brenda Poole
Contact Person Name	Dr. Brenda Poole
Contact Person Phone Number	870-734-5105

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C.B. Partee K-6  
Brinkley High School 7-12

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Superintendent Name	Dr. Karen Walters
Contact Person Name	Dr. Karen Walters
Contact Person Phone Number	501-847-5600

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Davis Elem. School (K-5)	Springhill Elem. School (K-5)
Hill Farm Elem School (K-5)	<u>Revisions</u>
Hurricane Elem School (K-5)	Bethel middle School (6-7)
	Bryant middle School (6-7)
	Bryant Junior High School (8-9)
	Bryant High School (10-12)

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School District Name	Caddo Hills School District
Superintendent Name	Deric Owens
Contact Person Name	Deric Owens
Contact Person Phone Number	870-356-5700

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Superintendent Signature

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*Deric Owens*  
7/30/21

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Caddo Hills Elementary- K-6  
Caddo Hills High School- 7-12

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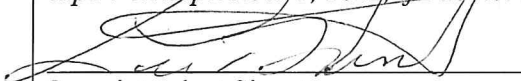
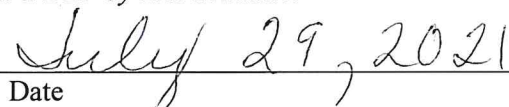
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School District Name	Clarendon School District
Superintendent Name	Lee Vent
Contact Person Name	Cheryl Smith
Contact Person Phone Number	870-747-3383

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Clarendon Elementary School k-6

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School District Name	Clinton School District - 7102
Superintendent Name	James Chalk
Contact Person Name	Lora Hinchey
Contact Person Phone Number	501-745-6000 ext. 5821

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 Superintendent Signature Date

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Clinton Junior High    6-8 Clinton Elementary    K-5
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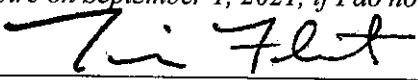
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School District Name	Concord School District
Superintendent Name	Travis Fletcher
Contact Person Name	Stephanie Langley
Contact Person Phone Number	870-668-3757

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Superintendent Signature

July 29, 2021

Date

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Concord Elementary K-2

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School District Name	Cossatot River School District
Superintendent Name	Tyler Broyles
Contact Person Name	Samantha Sellers
Contact Person Phone Number	(870) 385-7101 ext. 1105 ssellers@cossatot.us

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DESE Cossatot River High School 7-12  
 DESE Van-Cove Elementary K-6  
 DESE Wickes Elementary K-6  
 DESE Umpire School K-12

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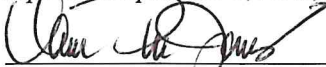
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School District Name	Cotter Public Schools
Superintendent Name	Vanessa Thomas Jones
Contact Person Name	Misty Haynes
Contact Person Phone Number	810-935-1611

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8-1-2021  
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Amanda Gost Elementary K-4  
 Cotter High School 7-12



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Superintendent Name	Taylor Gattis
Contact Person Name	Taylor Gattis
Contact Person Phone Number	479-438-9009

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County Line Elementary K-6 County Line High School 7-12
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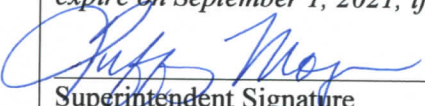
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Superintendent Name	Tiffany Morgan
Contact Person Name	Tony Crowell
Contact Person Phone Number	870-763-7121

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Superintendent Name	Dr. Steven Watkins
Contact Person Name	Jacque Smith
Contact Person Phone Number	jsmith@decatursd.com

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Decatur Northside Elementary (K-4)  
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 Decatur High School (9-12)

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Superintendent Name	Jason Sanders
Contact Person Name	Paul Shelton/Misty Gentry
Contact Person Phone Number	870-584-4312/870-642-2426

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De Queen Primary School K-2  
 De Queen Elementary School 3-5  
 De Queen Middle School 6-7  
 De Queen Junior High 8-9  
 De Queen High School 10-12

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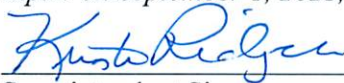
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School District Name	Dermott School District
Superintendent Name	Kristi Ridgell
Contact Person Name	Kristi Ridgell
Contact Person Phone Number	(870)-538-1000 ext 1601

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Dermott Elementary School ---K-6  
Dermott High School-----7-12

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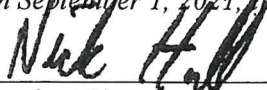
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School District Name	DeWitt
Superintendent Name	Nick Hill
Contact Person Name	Julie Adams
Contact Person Phone Number	870-946-3576

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DeWitt Elementary School K-5  
DeWitt Middle School 6-8  
DeWitt High School 9-12

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School District Name	Dierks School District
Superintendent Name	Jody Cowart
Contact Person Name	Jody Cowart
Contact Person Phone Number	870-223-3868

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Dierks High School  
JoAnn Walters Elementary School





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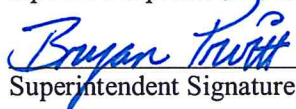
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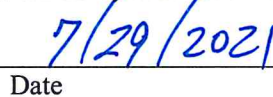
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School District Name	Eureka Springs School District
Superintendent Name	Bryan Pruitt
Contact Person Name	Angie Hutson
Contact Person Phone Number	479-847-5358

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Eureka Springs Elementary School K-4  
Eureka Springs Middle School 5-8  
Eureka Springs High School 9-12

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School District Name	Fayetteville School District
Superintendent Name	Dr. John L Colbert
Contact Person Name	Dr. Steven Weber
Contact Person Phone Number	(479) 973-8634

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*John L Colbert*      7-30-21  
 Superintendent Signature      Date

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Asbell Elementary School K-4, Butterfield Trail Elementary School K-4, Happy Hollow Elementary School K-4, Holcomb Elementary School K-4, Leverett Elementary School K-4, Root Elementary School K-4, Vandergriff Elementary School K-4, Washington Elementary School K-4, Owl Creek School K-6, Holt Middle School 5-6, McNair Middle School 5-6, Ramay Jr. High School 7-8, Woodland Jr. High School 7-8, Fayetteville High School 9-12, and ALLPS 9-12.

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Superintendent Name	Dr. Judy Hubbell
Contact Person Name	Dr. Judy Hubbell
Contact Person Phone Number	870.352.3005

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Superintendent Signature

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Fordyce Elementary School K-6, Fordyce High School 7-12

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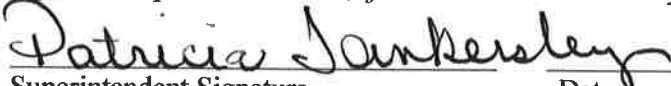
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Superintendent Name	Patricia Tankersley
Contact Person Name	Patricia Tankersley
Contact Person Phone Number	870-542-7211 office 903-826-4412 cell

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Oscar Hamilton Elementary K-6  
Foreman High School 7-12

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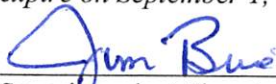
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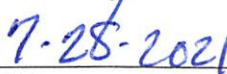
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School District Name	Fouke School District 4603000
Superintendent Name	Dr. Jim Buie
Contact Person Name	Carman Cross
Contact Person Phone Number	870-653-4311

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Paulette Smith Middle School (6-8)  
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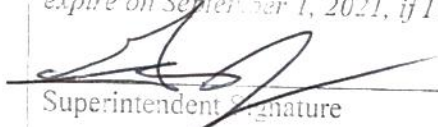
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School District Name	Genoa Central
Superintendent Name	Garry Jameson
Contact Person Name	Lisa Posey
Contact Person Phone Number	870 653 2089

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Genoa High School 9-12  
 Gary E. Cobbs Middle School 4-8  
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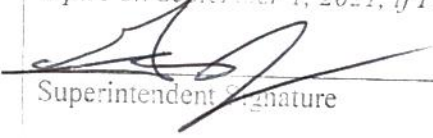
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School District Name	Genoa Central
Superintendent Name	Garry Jameson
Contact Person Name	Lisa Posey
Contact Person Phone Number	870 653 2089

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7/29/2021  
 Superintendent Signature Date

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Genoa High School 9-12  
 Gary E. Cobbs Middle School 4-8  
 Genoa Elementary K-4

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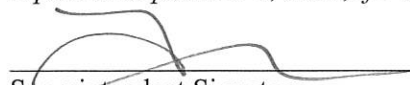
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School District Name	Gentry Public Schools
Superintendent Name	Terrie Metz
Contact Person Name	Christie Toland
Contact Person Phone Number	479-736-2253

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Gentry Primary School grades K-2  
 Gentry Intermediate School grades 3-5  
 Gentry Middle School grade 6



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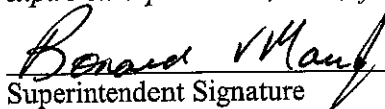
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School District Name	Gosnell
Superintendent Name	Bonard Mace
Contact Person Name	Anita McKinney
Contact Person Phone Number	870-532-4000

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Gosnell Elementary K-6  
Gosnell Secondary 7-12



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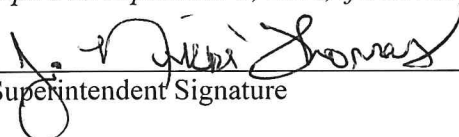
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School District Name	Gurdon Public School District
Superintendent Name	Jennifer (Nikki) Thomas
Contact Person Name	Nikki Thomas
Contact Person Phone Number	870-353-4454 ext 138

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Gurdon Primary School K-4, Cabe Middle School 5-8, Gurdon High School, 9-12

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School District Name	Hamburg School District
Superintendent Name	Tracy Streeter
Contact Person Name	John Spradlin
Contact Person Phone Number	(870)853-9851

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Hamburg School District has already submitted a DLP for grades 7-12 and the DLP has been approved. We are requesting a waiver for Hamburg Middle School grade 6, Noble Elementary School K-2, Allbritton Elementary School 3-5, and Portland Elementary K-5.

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School District Name	Hampton School District
Superintendent Name	Doug Worley
Contact Person Name	Doug Worley
Contact Person Phone Number	870-798-2229

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*Doug Worley*                      7-25-21  
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Hampton Elementary School Hampton High School
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School District Name	Harmony Grove
Superintendent Name	Albert Snow
Contact Person Name	Sharon Hale
Contact Person Phone Number	(870) 574-0308

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Harmony Grove Elementary School K-6  
 Harmony Grove High School 7-12  
 Sparkman K-12 School K-12

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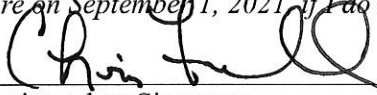
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Superintendent Name	Chris Ferrell
Contact Person Name	Julie Isbell
Contact Person Phone Number	870-578-2416

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Harrisburg High School 7-12  
 Harrisburg Elementary School K-6  
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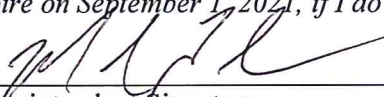
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Superintendent Name	Mark Taylor
Contact Person Name	Mark Taylor
Contact Person Phone Number	479-284-2021 / 479-964-2607 cell

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Hector Elementary K-6
Hector High School 7-12



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School District Name	Hermitage
Superintendent Name	Dr. Tracy Tucker
Contact Person Name	Dr. Tracy Tucker
Contact Person Phone Number	(870) 463-2246

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7/26/2021  
 Superintendent Signature Date

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Hermitage Elementary School  
Hermitage High School



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School District Name	Hope Public School District
Superintendent Name	Jonathan Crossley
Contact Person Name	Carla Narlesky
Contact Person Phone Number	501-366-9521

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Superintendent Signature

Date

8/2/21

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William Jefferson Clinton Primary School Grades K-4  
 Beryl Henry Elementary School Grades 5-6  
 Yerger Middle School Grades 7-8  
 Hope Academy of Public Service Grades 5-8  
 Hope High School. Grades 9-12  
 Creative Action Team School. Grades K-12

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School District Name	Hot Springs School District
Superintendent Name	Dr. Stephanie Nehus
Contact Person Name	Dr. Taryn Echols
Contact Person Phone Number	501-624-3372, 870-692-0223

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*Dr. Stephanie Nehus*

*7/30/21*

Superintendent Signature

Date

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Park Magnet School PK-6  
Langston Elementary Leadership Academy PK-6  
Oaklawn STEM Magnet School PK-6  
Main Street Visual and Performing Arts Magnet PK-6

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School District Name	Jonesboro Public Schools
Superintendent Name	Dr. Kim Wilbanks
Contact Person Name	Misty Doyle, Assistant Superintendent
Contact Person Phone Number	870-933-5800

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Jonesboro Kindergarten Center-Kindergarten  
 International Studies Magnet School-Grades 1-6  
 MicroSociety Magnet School-Grades 1-6  
 Math and Science Magnet School-Grades 1-6  
 Health, Wellness, and Environmental Studies Magnet School-Grades 1-6  
 Visual and Performing Arts Magnet School-Grades 1-6  
 Annie Camp Junior High School-Grades 7-9  
 MacArthur Junior High School-Grades 7-9  
 The Academies and Jonesboro High School-Grades 10-12



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School District Name	Lakeside
Superintendent Name	Shawn Cook
Contact Person Name	Jamie Preston
Contact Person Phone Number	501-262-1880

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Superintendent Signature

*Aug 2nd 2021*  
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Date

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DESE Primary = 2606039 (K-1)	DESE Junior high 2606045 (7-8)
DESE Intermediate = 2606042 (2-4)	DESE High School 2606044 (9-12)
DESE Middle School = 2606043 (5-6)	

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School District Name	Lamar School District
Superintendent Name	Jay Holland
Contact Person Name	Shane Gordon
Contact Person Phone Number	479-885-3907

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Lamar Elementary K-5  
 Lamar Middle School 6-8  
 Lamar High School 9-12



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School District Name	Lavaca School District
Superintendent Name	Steve Rose
Contact Person Name	Steve Rose
Contact Person Phone Number	479-674-5611

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DESE Lavaca Elementary School K-4  
 DESE Lavaca Middle School 5-8  
 DESE Lavaca High School 9-12

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Superintendent Name	Terry Belcher
Contact Person Name	Jacob Kersey
Contact Person Phone Number	870-886-6623

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Walnut Ridge Elementary School K-6  
Walnut Ridge High School 7-12

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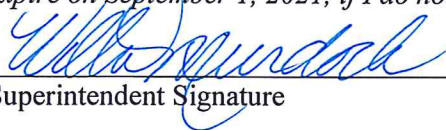
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School District Name	Lee County School District
Superintendent Name	Willie Murdock
Contact Person Name	Mary Hayden
Contact Person Phone Number	870-295-7100

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Anna Strong Learning Academy, K-6  
Lee High School, 7-12

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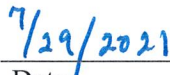
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School District Name	Lafayette County
Superintendent Name	Robert Edwards
Contact Person Name	Opal Anderson
Contact Person Phone Number	(870) 921-5094

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Lafayette County High 7-12

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School District Name	Marion School District
Superintendent Name	Dr. Glen Fenter
Contact Person Name	Sandra Halley
Contact Person Phone Number	870-739-5173

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Marion Math, Science, and Technology Magnet School - grades K-6  
Marion Visual and Performing Arts Magnet School- grades K-6  
Marion Herbert Carter Global and Community Magnet School - Grades K-6  
Marion Junior High School - Grades 7-9  
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School District Name	Marmaduke School District
Superintendent Name	Keith Richey
Contact Person Name	Keith Richey
Contact Person Phone Number	870-597-2723

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Marmaduke Elementary School K-6  
Marmaduke High School 7-12



# Digital Learning Contingency Plan -- Act 1240 Waiver Request Form

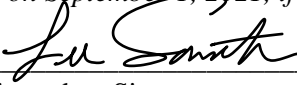
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School District Name	Mena School District
Superintendent Name	Dr. Lee Smith
Contact Person Name	Bridget Buckley
Contact Person Phone Number	479-394-1710

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School District Name	Mineral Springs School District
Superintendent Name	Billy Lee
Contact Person Name	Wendy Reed
Contact Person Phone Number	870-287-4748

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Mineral Springs Elementary K-6  
Mineral Springs High School 7-12

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School District Name	Mount Ida
Superintendent Name	Michael White
Contact Person Name	Michael White
Contact Person Phone Number	870-867-2323

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*Michael White*

7-26-21

Superintendent Signature

Date

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Bobby Barrett Elementary, grades K-6  
Mount Ida High School, grades 7-12

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School District Name	Mountainburg School District
Superintendent Name	Dr. Debbie Atwell
Contact Person Name	Dr. Debbie Atwell
Contact Person Phone Number	479-369-2121

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*Dr. Debbie Atwell*

Superintendent Signature

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Mountainburg Elementary School K-4  
Mountainburg Middle School 5-8  
Mountainburg High School 9-12

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School District Name	Mt. Vernon-Enola
Superintendent Name	Larry Walters
Contact Person Name	Larry Walters
Contact Person Phone Number	(501) 849-2220

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Mt. Vernon-Enola Elementary School K-6, Mt. Vernon-Enola High School 7-12

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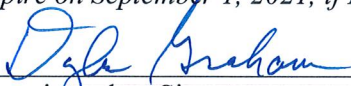
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School District Name	Nashville School District
Superintendent Name	Douglas Graham
Contact Person Name	Kim Slayton
Contact Person Phone Number	870-845-3425

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Nashville Primary School K-3  
Nashville Elementary 4-6  
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School District Name	Nemo Vista
Superintendent Name	Logan Williams
Contact Person Name	Logan Williams
Contact Person Phone Number	501-893-2925

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School District Name	Nevada School District
Superintendent Name	Ray McCoy
Contact Person Name	Tonda Pennington
Contact Person Phone Number	870-871-2475

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Nevada Elementary School K-6

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School District Name	Newport Special School District
Superintendent Name	Brett Bunch
Contact Person Name	Brett Bunch
Contact Person Phone Number	870-523-1311

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July 24, 2021  
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Newport Elementary School K-5, Newport High School 6-12
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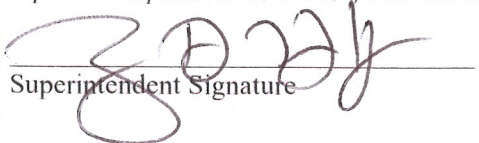
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Superintendent Name	Ryan Huff
Contact Person Name	Shelly Collins
Contact Person Phone Number	870-433-2453 ext: 2236

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Superintendent Name	Dr. Toriano Green
Contact Person Name	Dr. Toriano Green
Contact Person Phone Number	870-915-1557

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North Elementary - PK-K  
 Carroll Smith Elementary 1-4  
 Osceola Middle School 5-8  
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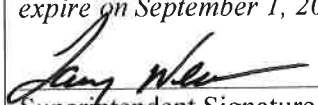
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Superintendent Name	Larry Newsom
Contact Person Name	Lisa Kissire
Contact Person Phone Number	501-384-2318

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Ouachita Elem. School Grades K-6  
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Superintendent Name	Dr. R. Wayne Fawcett
Contact Person Name	Dr. Netlla Cureton
Contact Person Phone Number	479.234.1672

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Paris Elementary School - P-4  
 Paris Middle School - 5-8  
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Superintendent Name	John E. Gross
Contact Person Name	June Wells
Contact Person Phone Number	870-862-4641

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Superintendent Name	Walt Davis
Contact Person Name	Phillip Bean
Contact Person Phone Number	501-889-5142

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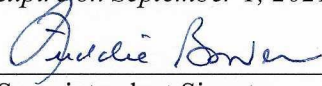
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Superintendent Name	Freddie Bowen
Contact Person Name	Freddie Bowen
Contact Person Phone Number	(870) 598-2572

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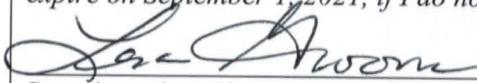
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Superintendent Name	Lesa Grooms
Contact Person Name	Lesa Grooms
Contact Person Phone Number	870-892-4573 ext. 5002

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 Pocahontas Upper Elementary School 4 – 6  
 Pocahontas Junior High School 7 – 9  
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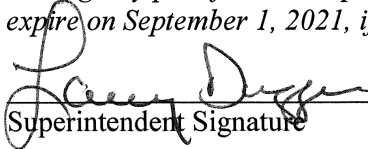
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Contact Person Phone Number	1.479.968.8101

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Pottsville Elementary K-3  
Pottsville Middle Grades 4-6  
Pottsville Junior High 7-9  
Pottsville High School 10-12

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School District Name	Prescott
Superintendent Name	Robert Poole
Contact Person Name	Angie Bryant
Contact Person Phone Number	870-887-3016

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Prescott Elementary School (PK-4) Prescott Junior High (5-8) Prescott High (9-12)
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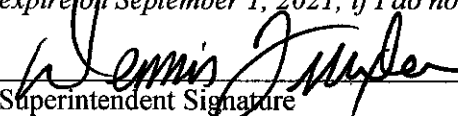
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School District Name	QUITMAN
Superintendent Name	DENNIS TRUXLER
Contact Person Name	MICHAEL STACKS
Contact Person Phone Number	501-589-3156

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Quitman Elementary School K-4  
Quitman Middle School 5-8  
Quitman High School 9-12

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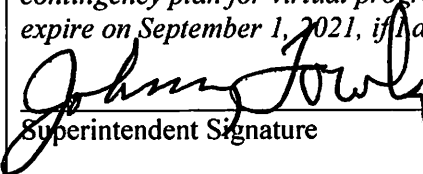
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School District Name	Rector School District
Superintendent Name	Johnny Fowler
Contact Person Name	Johnny Fowler
Contact Person Phone Number	870-595-3151 Ext. 1001

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Rector Elementary School K-6 Rector High School 7-12
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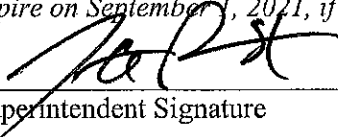
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School District Name	Riverside
Superintendent Name	Jeff Priest
Contact Person Name	Matt Ziegler
Contact Person Phone Number	870-237-4328

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DESE Elementary School K-4 & 5-6

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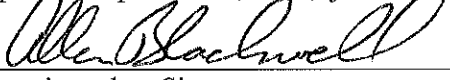
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School District Name	Rose Bud School District
Superintendent Name	Allen Blackwell
Contact Person Name	Melissa Kirkpatrick
Contact Person Phone Number	501-556-5158

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Rose Bud Elementary School K-6  
Rose Bud High School 7-12

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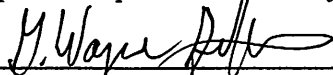
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School District Name	Salem School District 2502000
Superintendent Name	Wayne Guiltner
Contact Person Name	Wayne Guiltner
Contact Person Phone Number	870-895-2516

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July 30, 2021  
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Salem Elementary School 2502005: K-6 Salem High School 2502006: 7-12
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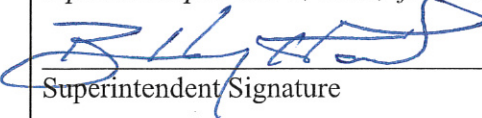
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School District Name	Searcy School District
Superintendent Name	Dr. Bobby Hart
Contact Person Name	Dr. Bobby Hart
Contact Person Phone Number	501.268.3517

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8/2/21  
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McRae Elementary School K-3  
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Superintendent Name	Clifford Rorex
Contact Person Name	Melanie Spence
Contact Person Phone Number	870-869-2384

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Sloan-Hendrix Elementary K-6, Sloan-Hendrix High School 7-12
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Superintendent Name	Jason Black
Contact Person Name	Holly Strickland
Contact Person Phone Number	(870) 725-1210

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Smackover Elementary School (Grades K-4)  
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Superintendent Name	Mr. Shawn Halbrook
Contact Person Name	Ms. Lora Hendrix, Associate Superintendent
Contact Person Phone Number	501-354-9451 (office); 479-264-1184 (cell)

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7/28/21  
 Superintendent Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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Morrilton Primary School (1507032) – Grades K-1 Morrilton Elementary School (1507029) – Grades 2-3 Morrilton Intermediate School (1507031) – Grades 4-6
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School District Name	Spring Hill
Superintendent Name	Tom Wilson
Contact Person Name	Peter Maggio
Contact Person Phone Number	870-722-7433

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Spring Hill High School 7-12  
 Spring Hill Elementary School K-6

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School District Name	Stuttgart School District
Superintendent Name	Dr. Rick Gales
Contact Person Name	Kathy Hopson
Contact Person Phone Number	870-674-1307

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*Dr. Rick Gales*

*8-2-2021*

Superintendent Signature

Date

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Park Avenue Elementary School (K-4)  
Meekins Middle School (5-6)  
Stuttgart Junior High School (7-8)  
Stuttgart High School (9-12)

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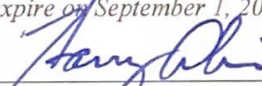
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School District Name	Two Rivers School District
Superintendent Name	Dr. Harry Alvis
Contact Person Name	Harry Alvis
Contact Person Phone Number	Office: 833-272-8773, Work Cell: 479-355-0979

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Superintendent Signature

7-29-2021  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

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Two Rivers Elementary School K-4 Two Rivers High School 5-12
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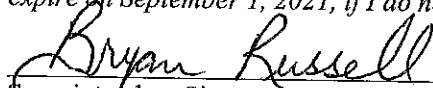
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School District Name	Valley View
Superintendent Name	Bryan Russell
Contact Person Name	Roland Popejoy
Contact Person Phone Number	870-932-3737 x 321

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Superintendent Signature

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Valley View Elementary School K-2  
Valley View Intermediate School 3-6  
Valley View Junior High 7-9  
Valley View High School 10-12



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School District Name	Vilonia School District
Superintendent Name	Dr. Douglas Adams
Contact Person Name	Dr. Cathy Riggins
Contact Person Phone Number	501-796-2113

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*Cathy Riggins, Asst. Supt.* \_\_\_\_\_ 7-31-2021  
 Superintendent Signature Date

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Vilonia Primary School K-3  
 Vilonia Elementary School K-3  
 Frank Mitchell Intermediate School 4-6  
 Vilonia Middle School 7-8

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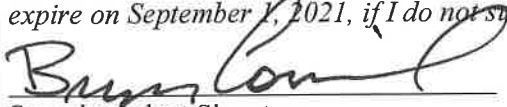
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School District Name	Warren
Superintendent Name	Bryan Cornish
Contact Person Name	Bryan Cornish
Contact Person Phone Number	870-226-8500

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 7-30-21  
 Superintendent Signature Date

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Eastside Elementary K-3  
 Brunson Elementary 4-5  
 Warren Middle School 6-8  
 Warren High School 9-12  
 Southeast Arkansas Community Based Education Center (SEACBEC) 10-12

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Superintendent Name	John Karnes
Contact Person Name	John Karnes
Contact Person Phone Number	479-839-2231

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West Fork Elementary K-4  
 West Fork Middle School 5-8  
 West Fork High School 9-12

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School District Name	Westside Consolidated School District
Superintendent Name	Scott Gauntt
Contact Person Name	Scott Gauntt, Pam Dooley
Contact Person Phone Number	870-935-7501

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Westside Elementary K-4  
Westside Middle 5-7  
Westside High 8-12

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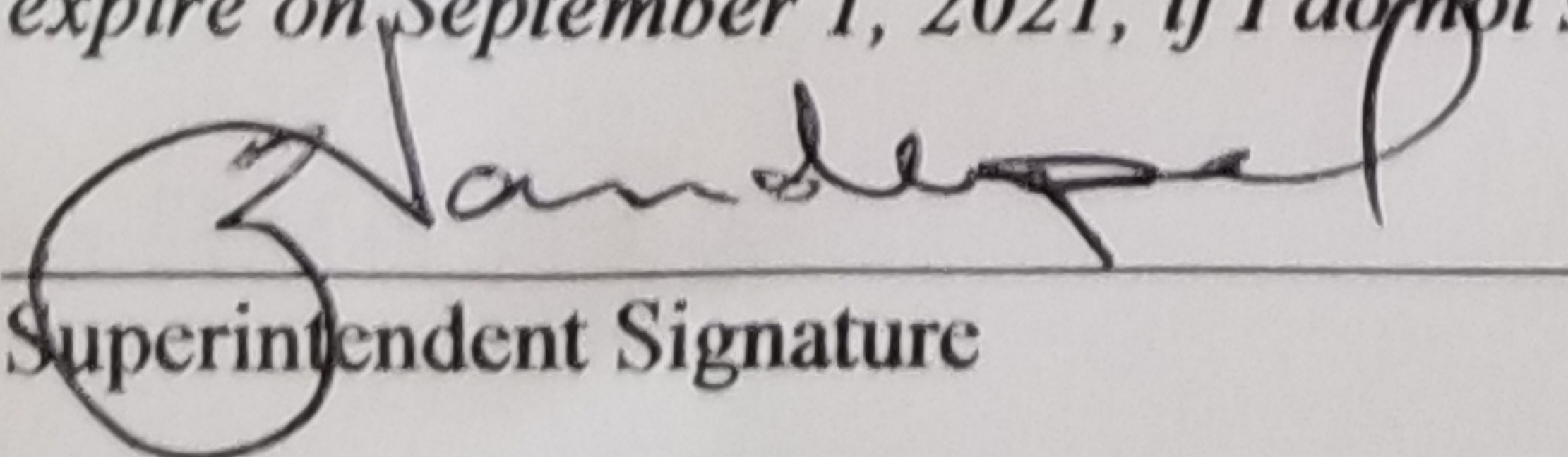
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Superintendent Name	Zane Vanderpool
Contact Person Name	Zane Vanderpool
Contact Person Phone Number	870-832-1940

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July 24, 2021  
 Date

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Horatio Elementary School K-6  
 Horatio High School 7-12

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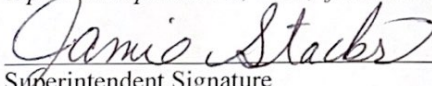
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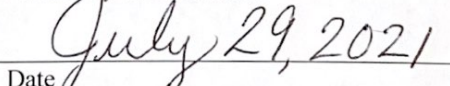
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School District Name	Wonderview School District
Superintendent Name	Jamie Stacks
Contact Person Name	Jamie Stacks
Contact Person Phone Number	501-354-0211 – Office; 501-554-1585 - Cell

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Superintendent Signature

  
Date

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Wonderview Elementary School – K – 6  
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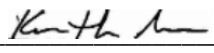
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School District Name	Wynne Schools
Superintendent Name	Kenneth Moore
Contact Person Name	Kenneth Moore
Contact Person Phone Number	8705870201 or 8702083760

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 Superintendent Signature Date

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Wynne Primary School K-2

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School District Name	Alpena School District
Superintendent Name	Anthony Dowdy
Contact Person Name	Lori Whorton
Contact Person Phone Number	866-425-7362

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K-3 Alpena Elementary School