



Memorandum

Date: June 8, 2026

To: Board of Directors of the Pendleton School District 16R

From: Kevin Dinning, Director of Human Resources
Prepared by Ronda Thornburg, Executive Secretary

Subject: June 8, 2026 Personnel Recommendations

Recommendation:

NEW HIRE	Certified	Jacob Pierce	Special Education Teacher (2026-27 SY)	WES
		Danielle Kobasa	Special Education Teacher (2026-27 SY)	WES
		Quinn Piver	Special Education Teacher (2026-27 SY)	SHES
	Classified	Laura Castro	Library Media Assistant	WES
RESIGNATION	Certified	Serena Bontemps	Grade 3 Teacher	SHES
		Kelsey Eckstine	Counselor	SMS
	Classified	Shelley McAlary	Paraprofessional	WES
		Samantha Durning	Paraprofessional	SHES
		Jenna Wells	Paraprofessional	SHES
	Extra Duty	Suzanne Kennedy	Assistant Dance Coach	PHS
		Kendra Stewart	Assistant Cross Country Coach	PHS
		Evan Brandhagen	Head Boys Soccer Coach	PHS
		Dave Curtis	Head Girls Golf Coach	PHS
		Kiana Rickman	Head Girls Soccer Coach	PHS
EXTRA DUTY	Dance	Jessica Frazier	Assistant Coach	PHS
	Wrestling	Tyler Miler	Head Girls Coach	PHS
	Basketball	Bailey DeBord	Assistant Boys Coach	PHS
	Soccer	Kaden Clark	Head Boys Coach	PHS
VOLUNTEER	Dance	Suzanne Kennedy	Coach	PHS
	Cross Country	Kendra Stewart	Coach	PHS