

# Gull Lake Community Schools Probation for Teachers 2026-27

## Place on Second Year Probation

John Hirsch	Richland Elementary	Intervention Specialist
Hannah Lord	Richland Elementary	First Grade
Cayla Fuld	Richland/Kellogg Elem.	Teacher Consultant
Samantha Fortinos*	Ryan Intermediate	Third Grade
Grace Henion	Ryan Intermediate	Fifth Grade
Connie Mollison*	Ryan Intermediate	Special Education
Elizabeth Pashby*	Ryan Intermediate	Third Grade
Jordon Beery	Middle School	Math
Candace Laybourn-Morris	Middle School	Science
Blake Maxwell	Middle School	Math
Morgan Rapa	Middle School	Counselor
Allison Rousseau	Middle School	Music
Timothy Simpson	Middle School	Counselor
Randy Widener*	Middle School	Social Studies
John Byrket	High School	Intervention Specialist
Kandyce Coffelt	High School	Health/Physical Education
Brenna Crawford	High School	Special Education
Jenna Ellis	High School	English Language Arts
Jessica Gordy	High School	Science
Isabelle Tackmann	High School	Social Studies
Nikki VanPelt	High School	Math
Tristan von Gunten	High School	Social Studies
Sydney Webster	High School	English Language Arts
Jill Hunt	Gateway Academy	Student/Academic Success

\*On the second year of two-year probation

## **Place on Third Year Probation**

Callie Cwiakala	Kellogg Elementary	Speech & Language Pathologist
Jenna Kahila	Kellogg Elementary	Speech & Language Pathologist
Patricia McCall	Kellogg Elementary	Art Education
Abigail Schepers	Kellogg Elementary	Early Childhood Special Edu.
Claire Schupan	Kellogg Elementary	Kindergarten
Lindsay Gogan	Richland Elementary	Second Grade
Abigail Washburn	Richland Elementary	Social Emotional Learning
Jessica Wolfe	Richland/Kellogg Elem.	EXCEL
Eleanor Ferris	Ryan Intermediate	Fourth Grade
McKenzie Reilly	Ryan Intermediate	Fifth Grade
Stephanie Dunham	Middle School	Intervention Specialist
Megan Oldham	Middle School	English Language Arts
Bailey Brichacek	High School	Science
Lauryn King	High School	Science
Rachel Vert	High School	Special Education

## **Place on Fourth Year Probation**

Travis Tennant	Kellogg Elementary	Behavior Interventionist
Kristen Holsomback	Richland Elementary	First Grade
Glenn McDowell	Richland Elementary	Art Education
Haylee Meadows	Richland Elementary	Kindergarten
Chelsie Okeley	Richland Elementary	Young Fives
Rachel Robicheaux	Richland Elementary	Intervention Specialist
Brittani Zuidema	Richland Elementary	Second Grade
Sara Collum	Ryan Intermediate	Special Education
Grace Eishen	Ryan Intermediate	Fifth Grade
Taylor Riegel	Ryan Intermediate	Third Grade
Monica Deitrick	Middle School	Social Studies
Rebecca Nutting	Middle School	Social Worker
Payton Steinke	Middle School	Science
Jan Thorn	Middle School	Science
Jaylon Simpson	High School	Health/Physical Education
Kyle Smith	High School	Science
Vincent Hodge	District	Psychologist

## **Place on Fifth Year Probation**

Adrian Hibbard	Kellogg Elementary	Second Grade
Angela Mingerink	Kellogg Elementary	First Grade
Jodie Perrin	Richland Elementary	Special Education
Greta Rose	Richland Elementary	Behavior Interventionist
Megan Watters	Richland Elementary	Dean of Students
Nicole Bruski	Ryan Intermediate	Third Grade
Charlie Jansen	Ryan Intermediate	Third Grade
Dakota Keating	Ryan Intermediate	Third Grade
Jodi Klein	Ryan Intermediate	Fifth Grade
Amanda Lunardini	Ryan Intermediate	Dean of Students
Seth Allred	Middle School	Spanish
Kasi Huver	Middle School	Special Education
Kara Wyman	Middle School	Intervention Specialist
Jennifer Champion	High School	Counselor
Colleen Richardson	High School	Spanish
Jared March	Virtual Partnership	Music Education

## **Place on Tenure**

Kayla Keller	Kellogg Elementary	Young Fives
Tina Knighten**	Kellogg Elementary	First Grade
Brody Roland	Kellogg Elementary	Music Education
Abigail Kirinovic	Richland Elementary	Kindergarten
Cassie Wertz	Richland Elementary	First Grade
Shannon Angel	Richland/Kellogg Elementary	STEAM
Shelby Matthews	Ryan Intermediate	Third Grade
Michelle Krob**	Middle School	English Language Arts
Brandon Raleigh	Middle School	Health/Physical Education
Christopher Kato**	High School	Special Education
Anna Peters	High School	Band/Choir
Jeremiah Walters	High School	Math
Kelly Bagley**	Virtual Partnership	Social Emotional Learning
Elise Basile	Virtual Partnership	Art Education
Katherine Hansen***	Virtual Partnership	Business/CTE

\*\*Tenured after two years due to tenure in another Michigan district

\*\*\*Previously employed by Gull Lake Community Schools, received a Highly Effective evaluation rating for three consecutive years, and completed four years of teaching service with the district