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**Board of Education**

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**ACTION**

**TITLE:** Personnel Recommendations

**DATE:** April 26, 2021

**RESPONSIBLE ADMINISTRATOR:** Sherri Penix, Assistant Superintendent  
of Human Resources and Campus Support

**VISION 2023 STRATEGY:** Strategy 5. Staffing

**BACKGROUND/CONSIDERATIONS:** For Approval by the Board of Education on April 26, 2021.

**RECOMMENDATION:**

The administration recommends

**Resignations**

**Certified**

**Name:** Kate Meyers  
**Assignment:** 4<sup>th</sup> Grade Teacher  
**Location:** Spradling Elementary School  
**Years w/ FSPS:** 2 Years  
**Reason:** Personal  
**Effective Date:** May 28, 2021

**Name:** Courtney Morawski  
**Assignment:** Supervisor of Professional Development  
**Location:** Rogers Center  
**Years w/ FSPS:** 4 Years  
**Reason:** Personal  
**Effective Date:** June 30, 2021

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**Resignations (continued)**

**Certified**

Name: **Melissa Morgan**  
Assignment: **3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Teacher**  
Location: **Barling Elementary School**  
Years w/ FSPS: **11 Years**  
Reason: **Personal**  
Effective Date: **May 28, 2021**

Name: **Andria Perry**  
Assignment: **Elementary Guidance Counselor**  
Location: **Sunnymede and Woods Elementary Schools**  
Years w/ FSPS: **4 Years**  
Reason: **Relocating**  
Effective Date: **May 28, 2021**

Name: **Emily Pressley**  
Assignment: **Family & Consumer Science Teacher and Drill Team Co-Sponsor**  
Location: **Southside High School**  
Years w/ FSPS: **8 Years**  
Reason: **Personal**  
Effective Date: **April 9, 2021**

Name: **Brad Ray**  
Assignment: **Assistant Principal**  
Location: **Northside High School**  
Years w/ FSPS: **11 Years**  
Reason: **Personal**  
Effective Date: **June 7, 2021**

Name: **Jennifer Stephens**  
Assignment: **Title I Elementary Specialist**  
Location: **Sutton Elementary School**  
Years w/ FSPS: **1 Year**  
Reason: **Relocating**  
Effective Date: **May 28, 2021**

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Name: **Jordan Stinson**  
Assignment: **5<sup>th</sup> Grade Teacher**  
Location: **Euper Lane Elementary School**  
Years w/ FSPS: **4 Years**  
Reason: **Relocating**  
Effective Date: **May 28, 2021**

**Classified**

Name: **Rogena Brown**  
Assignment: **Child Nutrition Worker**  
Location: **Howard Elementary School**  
Years w/ FSPS: **3 Months**  
Reason: **Personal**  
Effective Date: **April 5, 2021**

Name: **Ashley Goddson**  
Assignment: **Special Education Paraprofessional**  
Location: **Euper Lane Elementary School**  
Years w/ FSPS: **9 Years**  
Reason: **Personal**  
Effective Date: **May 28, 2021**

Name: **Edith Justice**  
Assignment: **Special Education Paraprofessional**  
Location: **Southside High School**  
Years w/ FSPS: **23 Years**  
Reason: **Personal**  
Effective Date: **April 16, 2021**

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Name: **Jade Novak**  
Assignment: **Secretary**  
Location: **Kimmons Junior High School**  
Years w/ FSPS: **1.5 Years**  
Reason: **Relocating**  
Effective Date: **April 28, 2021**

Name: **Tonya Novak**  
Assignment: **Interventionist Paraprofessional**  
Location: **Morrison Elementary School**  
Years w/ FSPS: **1.5 Years**  
Reason: **Relocating**  
Effective Date: **April 26, 2021**

Name: **Latavia Rollinson**  
Assignment: **Special Education Paraprofessional**  
Location: **Euper Lane Elementary School**  
Years w/ FSPS: **4 Months**  
Reason: **Relocating**  
Effective Date: **May 28, 2021**

Name: **Christine Turpin**  
Assignment: **Preschool Paraprofessional**  
Location: **Carnall Elementary School**  
Years w/ FSPS: **4.5 Years**  
Reason: **Personal**  
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**Retirements**

**Certified**

Name: **Joanie Bahsoon**  
Assignment: **6<sup>th</sup> Grade Teacher**  
Location: **Sutton Elementary School**  
Years w/ FSPS: **34 Years**  
Effective Date: **May 28, 2021**

Name: **Leslie Brodie**  
Assignment: **Science Coordinator**  
Location: **Parker Center**  
Years w/ FSPS: **10 Years**  
Effective Date: **June 17, 2021**

Name: **Sheila Goodfellow**  
Assignment: **French Teacher**  
Location: **Southside High School**  
Years w/ FSPS: **36 Years**  
Effective Date: **May 28, 2021**

Name: **William Gordon Manley**  
Assignment: **Band Director**  
Location: **Northside High School**  
Years w/ FSPS: **29 Years**  
Effective Date: **June 8, 2021**

Name: **Jean E. Perkins**  
Assignment: **Title I Private School Specialist**  
Location: **Parker Center**  
Years w/ FSPS: **8 Years**  
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**Retirements (continued)**

**Certified**

Name: **Lisa Sellers**  
Assignment: **Art Teacher**  
Location: **Fairview and Orr Elementary Schools**  
Years w/ FSPS: **24 Years**  
Effective Date: **May 28, 2021**

Name: **Scott Thompson**  
Assignment: **Orientation to Teaching Teacher & Asst Girls Basketball Coach**  
Location: **Northside High School**  
Years w/ FSPS: **24 Years**  
Effective Date: **May 28, 2021**

Name: **Laurete Wright**  
Assignment: **6<sup>th</sup> Grade Teacher**  
Location: **Howard Elementary School**  
Years w/ FSPS: **27 Years**  
Effective Date: **May 28, 2021**

**Classified**

None

**Employment**

**Certified**

Name: **Jordan Brown**  
Assignment: **Choral Director**  
Location: **Kimmons Middle School**  
Reported Experience: **0 yrs FSPS / 0 yrs Out of District**  
Education: **University of Arkansas, Fayetteville, AR**  
Degree: **BA**  
Effective Date: **August 6, 2021**

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**Employment**

**Certified**

Name: **Sarah Fisher**  
Assignment: **Speech Language Pathologist**  
Location: **Fairview Elementary and Ramsey Middle Schools**  
Reported Experience: **0 yrs FSPS / 0 yrs Out of District**  
Education: **University of Arkansas, Fayetteville, AR**  
Degree: **BA**  
Effective Date: **August 6, 2021**

**Classified**

Name: **Angela Havro**  
Assignment: **Software Support Analyst**  
Location: **Information Services**  
Effective Date: **April 16, 2021**

**Leave of Absence**

**Certified**

None

**Classified**

None

*Move to adopt the Personnel Recommendations.*

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