

**2023-2024 School Year  
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NAME	DEGREE/SCHOOL	FTE	ASSIGNMENT	MOST RECENT EXPERIENCE	TOTAL YEARS OF EXPERIENCE	STEP
<b>Adams, Kathleen</b>	Bachelor of Science in Mathematics Madonna University	1.0	Teacher Grant Elementary School August 23, 2023	Edustaff-Long-Term Substitute Grant Elementary School	3.5 years	Step 1 BS 5 years probation
<b>Anderson, Maxx</b>	Bachelor of Arts in Elementary Education Michigan State University	1.0	Teacher Johnson Elementary School August 23, 2023	Oakley Park Elementary Teaching Internship-5th Grade	1 year	Step 0 BA 5 years probation
<b>Arkels-Northup, Jordan</b>	Bachelor of Science in Education Illinois State University  Master of Arts in Teaching Oakland University	1.0	Teacher Randolph Elementary School August 23, 2023	Romulus Community School 3rd Grade Teacher at Wick Elementary	7 years	Step 7 MA 5 years probation
<b>Atwood, Megan</b>	Bachelor of Science in Comprehensive Science and Arts for Teaching Special Education Grand Valley State University	1.0	Teacher-Resource Teacher Franklin High School August 23, 2023	Plymouth Canton Community Schools EI Categorical Program Teacher	4 years	Step 4 BS 5 years probation

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<b>Bennett, Rebecca</b>	Bachelor of Science in Mathematics for Elementary Certification Madonna University	1.0	Teacher-Project Lead the Way Hoover Elementary School August 25, 2023	Learning Care Group School Principal	19 years	Step 7 BS 5 years probation
<b>Berman, Amanda</b>	Bachelor of Arts in Spanish Michigan State University  Master of Arts in Counseling Eastern Michigan University	1.0	School Counselor Emerson Middle School September 18, 2023	Walnut Creek Middle School Middle School Counselor (Dept Chair)	16 years	Step 13 MA 2 years probation
<b>Bilbeisi, Rula</b>	Bachelor of Arts in International Business Eastern Michigan University  Master of Arts in Teaching to Speakers of Other Languages Madonna University	1.0	Teacher-Fashion Merchandising Livonia Career Technical Center September 11, 2023	Hamtramck Public Schools Hamtramck High School-Career and Technical Education Teacher	15 years	Step 13 MA 2 years probation
<b>Butler, Mary</b>	Bachelor of Arts in English Wayne State University  Master of Arts in Teaching Special Education Eastern Michigan University	1.0	Teacher-Special Education Frost Middle School August 23, 2023	Ann Arbor School District Forsythe Middle School CI Self-Contained Teacher	15.5 years	Step 10 MA 5 years probation

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<b>Carlin, Sabrina</b>	Bachelor of Science in Elementary Education Reading Comprehensive Eastern Michigan University	1.0	Teacher Coolidge Elementary School August 23, 2023	Van Buren Public Schools Rawsonville Elementary 2nd Grade Teacher	2 years	Step 1 BS 5 years probation
<b>Dadswell, Rebecca</b>	Bachelor of Music in Instrumental Music Education Wayne State University	.6	Teacher-Music Rosedale Elementary School August 23, 2023	Detroit Public Schools Community District Band Director	1.5 years	Step 1 BM 5 years probation
<b>Dishmon, Molly</b>	Bachelor of Arts in Spanish Grand Valley State University  Master of Arts in Foreign Language Teaching Michigan State University	1.0	Teacher-Spanish Stevenson High School (.6) Holmes Middle School (.4) September 20, 2023	Plymouth-Canton Community School District Plymouth High School Secondary Spanish Teacher	12 years	Step 11 MA 2 years probation
<b>Dixon, Julia</b>	Bachelor of Arts in Elementary and Early Childhood Education Calvin University  Master of Arts in Reading Curriculum and Instruction Grand Canyon University	1.0	Teacher Cleveland Elementary School August 23, 2023	South Lyon Community Schools Brummer Elementary School 5th Grade Teacher	7 years	Step 7 MA 5 years probation

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<b>Howard, Jill</b>	Bachelor of Science in Psychology Radford University  Master in Education Aquinas College	1.0	Teacher Buchanan Elementary School August 23, 2023	Plymouth Canton Community Schools Hoben Elementary School Kindergarten Teacher	18 years	Step 9 MA 2 years probation
<b>Manni, Colleen</b>	Bachelor of Arts in Special Education Michigan State University  Master of Arts in Special Education Eastern Michigan University	1.0	Teacher-Resource Room Student Services August 23, 2023	Brighton Area Schools Special Education Teacher-Cognitively Impaired	33 years	Step 10.5 MA 2 years probation
<b>McAlpine-Taylor, Kristara</b>	Bachelor of Arts in Radio and Television Wayne State University  Master of Social Work Wayne State University	1.0	School Social Worker Holmes Middle School August 31, 2023	Troy School District Boulan Park Middle School-School Social Worker	13 years	Step 11 MSW 5 years probation
<b>Medlen, Margaret</b>	Bachelor of Science in Exercise and Health Science Alma College  Master of Science in Occupational Therapy Western Michigan University	1.0	Occupational Therapist Student Services September 11, 2023	Dearborn Public Schools Occupational Therapist	11 years	Step 10.5 MS 2 years probation

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<b>Newberry, Lynne</b>	Bachelor of Science in Mathematics Grand Valley State University	1.0	Teacher-Math Franklin High School August 23, 2023	Dearborn Public Schools Woodworth Middle School Mathematics Teacher	7 years	Step 7 BS 5 years probation
<b>Price, Libby</b>	Bachelor of Arts in Education University of Michigan	1.0	Teacher Cleveland Elementary School August 23, 2023	Ann Arbor Public Schools Wines Elementary Student Teacher-Kindergarten	8 months	Step 0 BA 5 years probation
<b>Russell, Justin</b>	Bachelor of Science in Sociology Arizona State University  Master of Arts in School Psychology The University of Texas Rio Grande Valley	1.0	School Psychologist Student Services August 23, 2023	Calhoun Intermediate School District School Psychologist	2.5 years	Step 1.5 MA 5 years probation
<b>Schawinsky, Susan</b>	Bachelor of Science in Occupational Therapy Western Michigan University  Master of Science in Occupational Therapy Wayne State University	1.0	Occupational Therapist Student Services August 23, 2023	Ypsilanti Community Schools School-based Occupational Therapist	7 years	Step 7 MS 5 years probation

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<b>Suess, Maegen</b>	Bachelor of Arts in Social Studies Eastern Michigan University	1.0	Teacher-Social Studies Frost Middle School September 7, 2023	Hamilton Community Schools Middle School Teacher-Social Studies	3 years	Step 3 BA 5 years probation
<b>Templeton, Meghan</b>	Bachelor of Science in Elementary Education/Integrated Science Eastern Michigan University  Master of Arts in Curriculum and Instruction, Teacher Education	1.0	Teacher Webster Elementary School August 23, 2023	Garden City Public Schools 4th Grade Teacher	5 years	Step 5 MA 5 years probation
<b>Witkowski, Jacklyn</b>	Bachelor of Science in Elementary Education Western Michigan University	1.0	Teacher Roosevelt Elementary School August 23, 2023	Brainspring Certification Practicum Supervisor	13 years	Step 5 BS 5 years probation