

2025-2026 School Year
New Teachers for Board of Education Approval
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NAME	DEGREE/SCHOOL	FTE	ASSIGNMENT	MOST RECENT EXPERIENCE	TOTAL YEARS OF EXPERIENCE	STEP
Akouri, Emma	Master of Arts in Education - Literacy Eastern Michigan University Bachelor of Arts in Elementary Education University of Michigan	1.0	Teacher-5th Grade Johnson Elementary August 18, 2025	Education Program Specialist SAE International	3	Step 3 MA 5 years probation
Alessandrini, David	Master of Arts in Special Education Eastern Michigan University Bachelor of Music in Music Education: Secondary Instrumental Western Michigan University	1.0	Teacher-Secondary Music Stevenson High School August 18, 2025	Math and Band Teacher Plymouth-Canton Community Schools	5	Step 5 MA 5 years probation
Armelagos, Marina	Bachelor of Arts in Special Education Michigan State University	1.0	Teacher-Resource Room Riley Elementary School August 18, 2025	Daycare Teacher Rosey's Romper Room	0	Step 0 BA 5 years probation
Boris, Kaitlyn	Bachelor of Science in Elementary Education Wayne State University	1.0	Teacher-5th Grade Riley Elementary School August 18, 2025	Substitute Teacher EduStaff	0	Step 0 BS 5 years probation
Bowen, Emily	Bachelor of Science in Elementary Education, Early Childhood Comprehensive Eastern Michigan University	1.0	Teacher-3rd Grade Rosedale Elementary School August 18, 2025	Substitute Teacher EduStaff	0	Step 0 BS 5 years probation

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Broome, Hailey	Bachelor of Arts in Elementary Education Wayne State University	1.0	Teacher-4th Grade Buchanan Elementary School August 18, 2025	Substitute Teacher EduStaff	0	Step 0 BA 5 years probation
Davis, Nicholas	Bachelor of Science in Health and Phys Ed Teaching Wayne State University	1.0	Teacher-Physical Education Webster Elementary School August 18, 2025	Secondary PE/Health Teacher South Redford School District	3	Step 3 BS 5 years probation
Engelsen, Adrienne	Master of Science in Curriculum and Instruction: Reading Eastern Illinois University Bachelor of Arts in Elementary Education University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign	1.0	Teacher-1st Grade Buchanan Elementary School August 18, 2025	Second Grade Teacher Rockton School District	7	Step 7 MS 2 years probation
Fournier, Cal	Bachelor of Science in Physical Education and Health Education Madonna University	1.0	Teacher-Physical Education Frost Middle School (.7)/Churchill High School (.3) August 18, 2025	Substitute Teacher EduStaff	0	Step 0 BS 5 years probation

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Fournier, Katie	Bachelor of Science in Early Childhood Education Eastern Michigan University	1.0	Teacher-2nd Grade Rosedale Elementary School August 18, 2025	Kindergarten Teacher Dearborn Public Schools	3	Step 3 BS 5 years probation
Gordon, Madeline	Master of Arts in Orientation and Mobility for Children Western Michigan University Bachelor of Science in Exercise Science Western Michigan University	1.0	Orientation and Mobility Specialist Student Services August 18, 2025	Certified Orientation and Mobility Specialist Kinetic Physical Therapy & Wellness	2	Step 2 MA 5 years probation
Gorman, Haley	Bachelor of Arts in Elementary- Early Childhood Education Eastern Michigan University	1.0	Teacher-Kindergarten Grant Elementary School August 18, 2025	Child Development Assistant Livonia Public Schools	0	Step 0 BA 5 years probation
Gullion, Madeline	Bachelor of Arts in English Michigan State University	1.0	Teacher-ELA Holmes Middle School August 18, 2025	Teacher Intern Troy Public schools	0	Step 0 BA 5 years probation

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Hight, Alexa	Bachelor of Science in Elementary- Special Education - Cognitive Impairments Eastern Michigan University	1.0	Teacher-Resource Room Randolph Elementary School August 18, 2025	Student Teaching Livonia Public Schools	0	Step 0 BS 5 years probation
Hunter, Tylee	Bachelor of Arts in Education/ Special Education - Learning Disabilities Michigan State University	1.0	Teacher-Resource Room Student Services August 18, 2025	Student Teaching Livonia Public Schools	0	Step 0 BA 5 years probation
Marcou, Jessica	Master of Science in Science Education University of Michigan System Bachelor of Science in Integrated Science Grand Valley State University	1.0	Teacher-6th Grade Cooper Elementary School August 18, 2025	Science Teacher Our Lady of Victory Catholic School- Archdioceses of Detroit	13	Step 10 MS 5 years probation
Meeker, Aimee	Master of Education in Educational Leadership K12 Principal Northern Arizona University Bachelor of Science in Microbiology University of Michigan	1.0	Teacher-Science Stevenson High School August 18, 2025	Chemistry Teacher Van Dyke Public Schools	13	Step 12 MS 2 years probation

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Oquist, Olivia	Master of Arts in K-12 Educational Administration Michigan State University Bachelor of Science in Early Childhood Education Central Michigan University	1.0	Elementary Support Teacher Rosedale Elementary School August 18, 2025	Teacher Novi Community School District	6	Step 6 MA 2 years probation
Petrovich, Hailey	Bachelor of Arts in Secondary Education Language, Literature, and Writing Eastern Michigan University	1.0	Teacher-ELA Franklin High School August 18, 2025	Substitute Teacher EduStaff	0	Step 0 BA 5 years probation
Rieder, Elizabeth	Master of Arts in Literacy American College of Education Bachelor of Science in Psychology Wayne State University	1.0	Teacher-1st Grade Kennedy Elementary School August 18, 2025	Teacher Plymouth Canton Community Schools	13	Step 10 MA 2 years probation
Schettenhelm, Emily	Bachelor of Science in K-12 Special Education Autism Spectrum Disorders Eastern Michigan University	1.0	Teacher-Kindergarten Buchanan Elementary School August 18, 2025	Kindergarten Teacher Walled Lake Consolidated School District	1	Step 1 BS 5 years probation

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Simon, Kimberly	Master of Arts in Curriculum and Education Michigan State University Bachelor of Arts in Elementary Education and English Michigan State University	.5	Teacher Webster Elementary School August 18, 2025	Kindergarten Lead Teacher Our Lady of Sorrows	7	Step 6 MA 5 years probation
Teets, Rachel	Bachelor of Arts in Elementary Education University of Michigan	1.0	Teacher-Kindergarten Randolph Elementary School August 18, 2025	Substitute Teacher EduStaff	0	Step 0 BA 5 years probation
Thompson, Nichole	Master of Arts in Psychology University of Detroit Mercy Bachelor of Arts in Applied Statistics University of Michigan	1.0	School Psychologist Student Services August 18, 2025	School Psychologist Livingston Educational Service Agency	1	Step 1 MA 5 years probation
Watsa, Akash	Master of Arts in Educational Leadership & Policy University of Michigan Bachelor of Arts in Music Education & Mathematics Central Michigan University	1.0	Teacher-Music Holmes Middle School August 18, 2025	Middle/High School Band & Choir Director Washtenaw International High School & Middle Academy	6	Step 4 MA 5 years probation