

**LEVELLAND INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT  
BOARD OF EDUCATION**

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Subject: Personnel: Resignations,  
Retirements, Auxiliary New Hire Related Page(s) None

**INFORMATION**

**BACKGROUND INFORMATION**

In accordance with Board Policy DC(LEGAL) the superintendent has sole authority to make recommendations to the Board regarding the selection of all personnel. The administration has accepted the following resignations, retirements, and/or auxiliary new hires:

**At-Will Employment Agreements**

Katharine Quezada (effective 8/5/26)	3 <sup>rd</sup> Grade RLA Teacher	Capitol
Cade Chambers (effective 8/5/26)	Tennis Coach / History Teacher	LMS

**Auxiliary New Hires**

Mirella Mindietta (effective 8/6/26)	Office Assistant	Capitol
Alexis Marquez (effective 8/6/26)	Computer Lab TA	Capitol
Julie Jourden (effective 4/1/26)	Teaching Assistant	Capitol
Kaci Powers - Presley (effective 8/6/26)	Life Skills TA	LMS
Victor Hope (effective 5/15/26)	Grounds	Maintenance

**Change of Assignments Effective**

Chloe Rodriguez Murillo (effective 8/10/26)	From: 2 <sup>nd</sup> Grade RLA Teacher To: 3 <sup>rd</sup> Grade RLA Teacher	South South
Tonya McCown (effective 8/10/26)	From: Special Education TA To: Special Education TA	LMS South
McKenzie Crabtree (effective 8/10/26)	From: 5 <sup>th</sup> Grade Math Teacher To: 5 <sup>th</sup> Grade Math Teacher	LMS South
Alexis Sanchez (effective 8/10/26)	From: 5 <sup>th</sup> Grade Math Teacher To: 5 <sup>th</sup> Grade Math Teacher	LMS South

Kayla Kelly (effective 8/10/26)	From: 5 <sup>th</sup> Grade Science Teacher To: Science Teacher	LMS South
Veronica Martinez (effective 8/10/26)	From: 5 <sup>th</sup> Grade RLA Teacher To: 5 <sup>th</sup> Grade RLA Teacher	LMS Capitol
Clara Sanders (effective 8/10/26)	From: 6 <sup>th</sup> Grade Science Teacher To: 5 <sup>th</sup> Grade Science Teacher	LMS Capitol
Diane DeLuna (effective 8/10/26)	From: Special Education Teacher To: 4 <sup>th</sup> Grade Science Teacher	Capitol Capitol
Nathaniel Deel (effective 8/10/26)	From: Tennis Coach / History Teacher	LMS
Christian Carter (effective 8/10/26)	To: Girls Athletics/ History Teacher From: English Teacher To: Boys Athletic / English Teacher	LMS LHS LHS
Jasmine Valdez (effective 8/10/26)	From: Pre K TA To: 3 Year-old Program TA	ABC ABC
Veronica Barrera (effective 4/27/26)	From: Detailer To: Bus Aide	Transportation Transportation
Jazmin Robertson Casso (effective 4/27/26)	From: Bus Aide To: Detailer	Transportation Transportation

**Resignations**

Whitney Zubiate (effective 5/22/26)	Pre K Teacher	ABC
Haven Cabello (effective 5/22/26)	Life Skills TA	ABC
Taylor Peck (effective 5/22/26)	1 <sup>st</sup> Grade Teacher	ABC
Sarah Pruitt (effective 5/22/26)	3 <sup>rd</sup> Grades RLA Teacher	Capitol
Kimberly Ibarra (effective 5/22/26)	5 <sup>th</sup> Grade ELAR Teacher	LMS
Randi Vidales (effective 5/22/26)	6 <sup>th</sup> Grade Math Teacher	LMS
April Rodriguez (effective 5/22/26)	7 <sup>th</sup> Grade Science Teacher	LMS

Sommer Coats (effective 5/22/26)	Counselor	LMS
Esperanza Salazar (effective 5/22/26)	5 <sup>th</sup> Grade ELAR Teacher	LMS
Christine Martin (effective 5/22/26)	7 <sup>th</sup> Grade Math Teacher	LMS
Mixie Clowe (effective 5/22/26)	Librarian	LMS
Brooke Nolte (effective 5/22/26)	6 <sup>th</sup> Grade ELAR Teacher	LMS
Debbie Nelson (effective 5/22/26)	TA	LMS
Kristen Williamson (effective 4/28/26)	TA	LMS
Jana Avery (effective 4/24/26)	Part Time Inclusion Coach	LMS
Julian Flores (effective 5/22/26)	Athletic Trainer	LHS
John Black (effective 5/22/26)	English Teacher	LHS
Martha Colunga (effective 5/22/26)	Life Skills TA	LHS
Deborah Gillispie (effective 4/27/26)	Bus Driver	Transportation
Aaron Montoya (effective 4/30/26)	Custodial	Maintenance
Elijah Chavez (effective 5/1/26)	Custodial	Maintenance

**Retirements**

Stacie Black (effective 5/22/26)	Kindergarten Teacher	ABC
Erlinda Hernandez (effective 6/30/26)	TA	Capitol
Christine Burt (effective 5/22/26)	Life Skills TA	LMS
Elia Patino (effective 5/22/26)	Cafeteria	LMS