

**PERSONNEL RECOMMENDATIONS AS OF 7/13/2026  
FOR BOARD MEETING OF 7/20/2026**

**RESIGNATIONS AND TERMINATIONS**

1. Great Start Readiness Program, Instructional Services, Early Childhood, Lead Teachers, effective 5/26/2026:
  - a. Jamie Alber, laid off
  - b. Natalie Carroll, laid off
  - c. Paris Echols, resignation
  - d. Tamara Eickelberg, laid off
  - e. Jeffrey Feldman, resignation
  - f. Katharine Fennema, resignation
  - g. Christine Georgacakes, resignation
  - h. Kelsey Guerra, resignation
  - i. Christine Haight, laid off
  - j. Allison Hansen, resignation
  - k. Jessica Isler Deboer, resignation
  - l. Beth Jennings, laid off
  - m. Kristine Lodewyk, laid off
  - n. Cheryl Long, resignation
  - o. Geraldine Loza, resignation
  - p. Kendra Moreno, resignation
  - q. Mary Olson, resignation
  - r. Danielle Richards, resignation
2. David Belden, Career and Talent Development, Secondary Programs, Kent Career Tech Center, Instructor Applied Construction, resignation, effective 5/29/2026.
3. Andrea Reynolds, Career and Talent Development, Secondary Programs, Career Navigation & Enrollment Coordinator, retirement, effective 6/30/2026.
4. Kayla Ricker, Student Services, Integrated Supports, Deaf & Hard of Hearing, Interpreter, resignation, effective 6/5/2026.
5. Gavin Vance, Instructional Services, Research, Data Analyst, resignation, effective 7/17/2026.

## **APPOINTMENTS**

1. Patricia Carroll, Occupational Therapist, Student Services, Special Education Center Programs, Lincoln School, KIEA, 1.0 FTE, 182 days per year, 7 hours per day, MA+30 Step 7, \$85,440 per year, effective 8/18/2026.
2. Carissa Cole, Instructor Health Careers Foundations, Career and Talent Development, Secondary Programs, Kent Career Tech Center, KIEA, 1.0 FTE, 182 days per year, 7 hours per day, BA Step 5, \$66,017 per year, effective 8/18/2026.
3. Danica Elder, Teacher - ASD, Student Services, Special Education Center Programs, Lincoln School, KIEA, 1.0 FTE, 182 days per year, 7 hours per day, MA Step 6, \$76,564 per year, effective 8/18/2026.
4. Madeline Gordon, Orientation & Mobility Specialist, Student Services, Special Education, KIEA, 1.0 FTE, 182 days per year, 7 hours per day, MA Step 2, \$63,803 per year, effective 8/18/2026.
5. Sandra Hardy, Instructor Health Careers Foundations, Career and Talent Development, Secondary Programs, Kent Career Tech Center, KIEA, 1.0 FTE, 182 days per year, 7 hours per day, BA Step 13, \$86,548 per year, effective 8/18/2026.
6. Kacy Hitchings, Interpreter, Student Services, Special Education Center Programs, DHH - TOCO, Interpreter, 1.0 FTE, 182 days per year, 7.5 hours per day, Step 1, \$35,263 per year, effective 8/18/2026.
7. Michele Morrell, Teacher - Resource Room, Student Services, Special Education Center Programs, Empower U North, KIEA, 1.0 FTE, 182 days per year, 7 hours per day, MA Step 9, \$88,769 per year, effective 8/18/2026.
8. Casey Nagle, Teacher - ASD, Student Services, Special Education Center Programs, Lincoln School, KIEA, 1.0 FTE, 182 days per year, 7 hours per day, MA Step 3, \$66,575 per year, effective 8/18/2026.
9. Candyce Petersen, Interpreter Coordinator, Student Services, Special Education Center Programs, DHH - TOCO, Non-Union Professional, 1.0 FTE, 200 days per year, 8 hours per day, Grade 8 Step 8, \$75,221 per year, effective 8/10/2026.

## **NEW ASSIGNMENTS AND CONTRACT ADJUSTMENTS**

1. Kevin Denton, from CTE Curriculum Coordinator to WBL & Curriculum Supervisor, Career and Talent Development, Career Tech Education, Non-Union Professional, 1.0 FTE, 260 days per year, 8 hours per day, Grade 8 Step 6, \$125,100 per year, effective 7/7/2026.
2. Kimberly Dittenber, from Adult Education Evening Temporary Teacher to Adult Education ESL Instructor, Career and Talent Development, Adult Education, Adult Education Wyoming Campus, ADLT, 1.0 FTE, 182 days per year, 6 hours per day, Step 3, \$51,751 per year, effective 8/18/2026.
3. Jenna Ellens, from Program Coordinator at Lincoln School to Assistant Principal, Student Services, Special Education Center Programs, Lincoln School, Non-union Professional, 1.0 FTE, 200 days per year, 8 hours per day, Grade 8 Step 4, \$92,495 per year, effective 8/10/2026.
4. Alanna LaMay, from Lead Teacher - Great Start Readiness Program to Early Childhood Specialist, Instructional Services, Early Childhood, Great Start Readiness Program, Non-Union Professional, 1.0 FTE, 200 days per year, 8 hours per day, Grade 5 Step 1, \$65,486 per year, effective 8/10/2026.
5. Stefania Myers, from Lead Teacher - Great Start Readiness Program to Early Childhood Specialist, Instructional Services, Early Childhood, Great Start Readiness Program, Non-Union Professional, 1.0 FTE, 200 days per year, 8 hours per day, Grade 5 Step 1, \$65,486 per year, effective 8/10/2026.
6. Natalie Kompik, from CTE Reporting Specialist to Career and Technical Education Consultant, Career and Talent Development, Career Tech Education, Non-Union Professional, 1.0 FTE, 200 days per year, 8 hours per day, Grade 7 Step 1, \$79,236 per year, effective 8/10/2026.