

RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE SUPERINTENDENT

TO

THE RALEIGH COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

**(For the 2020-2021 School Year)**

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 13, 2020

**CENTRAL OFFICE**

A. Resignation (*death of employee*)

Randy Adkins – Assistant Superintendent of Curriculum and Instruction – eff. 09/23/2020 (*date of death*)

B. Recommended for Transfer – eff. 10/21/2020

Angela Foster – from **School Nurse (205-day employment term)** – Central Office to **Director of School Health Services (220-day employment term)** – Central Office

**ELEMENTARY TEACHERS**

A. Retirement

Connie Bailey – Fourth Grade Teacher – Shady Spring Elementary – eff. 10/05/2020  
Lisa Hunt – Kindergarten Teacher – Hollywood Elementary – eff. 10/30/2020

B. Recommended for *Medical Leave of Absence (pursuant to Raleigh County Policy C.1.19)* – eff. 11/18/2020 thru 06/01/2021

Amanda Meadows – Third Grade Teacher – Bradley Elementary

C. Recommended for Appointment – **Probationary Contract – First One-Year** – eff. 2021-2022 school term

Alexandria Perkins – First Grade Teacher – Hollywood Elementary

**Contracted Services**

**After-School Bus Duty**

A. Recommended for Appointment – eff. 10/14/2020; \$18/hour; maximum of 1 bus duty teacher/day; 1 hour/day

Lisa Adkins – Beckley Elementary  
Shana Alderman – Fairdale Elementary  
Katessa Begley – Fairdale Elementary  
Debbra Black – Clear Fork District Elementary  
Krista Blankenship – Stanaford Elementary  
Michelle Blankenship – Stanaford Elementary  
Penelope Carrico – Shady Spring Elementary  
Stephanie Cohenour – Beckley Elementary  
Rebecca Dillon-O'Neal – Mabscott Elementary  
Debbie Fisher – Fairdale Elementary  
Jennifer Gillespie – Hollywood Elementary  
Lisa Griffith – Cranberry-Prosperity Elementary  
Nancy Harless-Landy – Ridgeview Elementary  
Tamber Hodges – Hollywood Elementary  
Meghan Houck – Beckley Elementary  
Sheri Hylton – Maxwell Hill Elementary

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Lydia Keeton – Maxwell Hill Elementary  
Eric Lester – Daniels Elementary  
Alicia Lett – Cranberry-Prosperity Elementary  
Carolyn Lilly – Ghent Elementary  
Teresa Martin – Coal City Elementary  
Kristen McBride – Coal City Elementary  
Melanie Morrison – Shady Spring Elementary  
Christy Muovich – Maxwell Hill Elementary  
Wanelle Ortiz – Ridgeview Elementary  
Mariah Patterson – Beckley Elementary  
Margaret Perdue – Coal City Elementary  
Cindi Reeves – Mabscott Elementary  
Brandi Seabolt – Maxwell Hill Elementary  
Brandi Seabolt – Stanaford Elementary  
Kassie Voiers – Coal City Elementary  
Contessa Worley – Ghent Elementary

**Early Literacy Interventionists**

A. Resignation

Cheyenne Toney – Stanaford Elementary – eff. 09/22/2020

B. Recommended for Appointment – eff. 10/14/2020 - \$25/hour; maximum 20 hours/week; maximum 36 weeks

Arianna Logwood – Shady Spring Elementary

**SECONDARY TEACHERS**

A. Recommended for Transfer – **(Pursuant to WV Code Section 18A-4-7a, the following employees may not transfer until the next school year 2021-2022 school term)** The effective date is *the date employee accepted job*

James Barton – from Physical Education Teacher – Beckley Elementary to In-School Learning Center Teacher – Woodrow Wilson High – eff. 09/25/2020

**SUBSTITUTE TEACHERS**

A. Resignation

Kristy Roberson – 10/05/2020  
Mary Veneri – 09/30/2020

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- B. Recommended for Appointment (*pending successful completion of pre-employment screenings*) – eff. 10/14/2020 school term (*unless otherwise stated*)

Amber Blankenship  
Peggy Campbell  
Lisa Hunt – eff. 11/01/2020  
Paula Thompson  
Daphne Wiseman

**EXTRA-CURRICULAR ELEMENTARY**

- A. Resignation

Kelly Turner – Principals' Helper – Marsh Fork Elementary – eff. 06/30/2020

- B. Recommended for Appointment – eff. 2020-2021 school term

Tina Asbury – Principals' Helper – Marsh Fork Elementary

- C. The following persons are not fully certified and licensed as educators and are recommended for the listed extracurricular positions under the provisions of subsection (4) of West Virginia Code 18A-3-2a for the 2020-2021 school term only – Pending Licensure – eff. 2020-2021 school term (*unless otherwise stated*)

Erika Webb – Cheerleading Coach – Clear Fork District Elementary

**EXTRA-CURRICULAR SECONDARY**

- A. Resignation

Jeremy Hedinger – Girls' Basketball Coach – *Assistant* – Independence Middle – eff. 09/22/2020  
Christopher Honaker – Soccer Coach – *Assistant* – **Non-Paid** – Shady Spring Middle – eff. 09/18/2020

- B. Recommended for Appointment – eff. 2020-2021 school term (*unless otherwise stated*)

Kevin Fleming – Soccer Coach – *Head* – Independence Middle  
Christina Hunt – Soccer Coach – *Assistant* – **Substitute** – Independence Middle – **eff. 10/01/2020**  
James Newman – Wrestling Coach – *Assistant* – Trap Hill Middle  
Clarissa Sutton – Swim Coach – *Assistant* – **Non-Paid** – Woodrow Wilson High

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Jerry Umberger Jr – Soccer Coach – *Assistant* – **Non-Paid** – Park Middle

**ACADEMY OF CAREERS AND TECHNOLOGY**

- A. Recommended for Appointment – **Probationary Contract – First One-Year** – eff. 2020-2021 school term  
(*unless otherwise stated*)

Louressia Farmer – Communities-in-Schools Student Success Liaison – Academy of Careers & Technology  
– **eff. 10/14/2020**

Charity Riggs – Evening LPN Teacher (*240-day employment term*) – Academy of Careers & Technology

**CERTIFIED NURSING ASSISTANTS**

**Contracted Services**

- A. Recommended for Appointment – eff. 10/14/2020; \$14/hour; work only on days students are present

Emilee Campbell – Trap Hill Middle  
Angela Cline – Ghent Elementary  
Crystle Dodson – Beckley-Stratton Middle  
Loranell Edwards – Fairdale Elementary  
Rhonda Farley – Crescent Elementary  
Brittany Hicks – Hollywood Elementary  
Tori Honaker – Coal City Elementary  
Barbara Kauff – Shady Spring High  
Christina Lambert – Mabscott Elementary  
Christi New – Bradley Elementary  
Brianna Persinger – Clear Fork District Elementary  
Lindsey Ray – Shady Spring Middle  
Felicia Redden – Daniels Elementary  
Angellica Shanholtzer – Beckley Elementary  
Rikki Short – Park Middle  
Samantha Simms – Marsh Fork Elementary  
Chelsi Smith – Cranberry-Prosperity Elementary  
Jamee Snuffer – Maxwell Hill Elementary  
Alecia Travers – Liberty High

**MENTORS**

- A. Recommended for Appointment – eff. 10/14/2020

Penelope Carrico – Principal – Ghent Elementary  
Rose Kelly – Assistant Principal – Stratton Elementary  
Terry Poe – Assistant Principal – Liberty High

## SPECIAL EDUCATION

### Teachers

- A. Adjust eff. dates – eff. 08/03/2020 (*previously stated 08/10/2020*)
- Lauren Blevins – School Psychologist (*215-day employment term*) (Special Education)
- B. Retirement
- Peggy Campbell – Multicategorical Teacher (Independence High) – eff. 09/30/2020

### Aides

- A. Recommended for Designation as Specialized Health Procedure Provider – In accordance with WV Code 18-5-22, the following Aides have been recommended by their principal and trained to perform specialized health procedures including administration of medication. This designation entitles them to one pay grade higher than their highest pay grade – eff. for the 2020-2021 school year only
- Betty Acord – Pre-School Special Needs Aide III/ECCAT-II (Daniels Elementary)  
Eugenia Acord – Pre-School Special Needs Aide III/ECCAT-II (Stratton Elementary)  
Katrina Aliff – Instructional/Bus #206 am & pm/Multicategorical Aide III (Marsh Fork Elementary) (Itinerant)  
Jennifer Aurednik – Instructional/Bus/Multicategorical Moderate/Severe Aide II (Hollywood Elementary) (Itinerant)  
Lisa Avis – Instructional/Bus #88am/Multicategorical Aide III (Ridgeview Elementary) (Itinerant)  
Joshua Barton – Instructional/Bus #260am/Multicategorical Aide IV (Clear Fork District Elementary) (Itinerant)  
Jessica Belcher – Instructional/Bus/Multicategorical Moderate/Severe Aide II (Hollywood Elementary) (Itinerant)  
Christopher Berry – Instructional/Bus/Multicategorical One-on-One Aide IV (Daniels Elementary) (Itinerant)  
Valeria Bolen – Instructional/Bus/Multicategorical Aide III (Coal City Elementary) (Itinerant)  
James Bostick – Instructional/Bus #28pm/Multicategorical Aide IV (Shady Spring High) (Itinerant)  
Jeremy Canterbury – Instructional/Bus/Autism Aide III (Park Middle) (Itinerant)  
Charity Corell – Instructional/Bus/Multicategorical School-to-Work Aide IV (Woodrow Wilson High) (Itinerant)  
Melanie Dickens – Instructional/Bus #230pm/Multicategorical Moderate Aide IV (Liberty High/Trap Hill Middle) (Itinerant)  
Brenda Duesing – Instructional/Bus #229am/Multicategorical Aide III (Woodrow Wilson High) (Itinerant)  
Mary Flannery – Instructional/Bus #260pm/Multicategorical Aide III (Trap Hill Middle) (Itinerant)  
Kathryn Gray – ½-time Instructional/Bus #67am/Multicategorical Aide IV (Fairdale Elementary) (Itinerant)  
Tracy Griffith – Instructional/Bus/Multicategorical School-to-Work Aide III (Liberty High) (Itinerant)  
Robin Hardy – Instructional/Bus #89am & pm/Multicategorical Aide IV (Daniels Elementary/Shady Spring High) (Itinerant)  
Melanie Harris – Pre-School Special Needs Aide III/ECCAT-II (Marsh Fork Elementary) (Itinerant)  
Jennifer Honaker – Instructional/Bus/Multicategorical Aide III (Marsh Fork Elementary) (Itinerant)  
Darius Law – Instructional/Bus/Autism Male One-on-One Aide IV (Woodrow Wilson High) (Itinerant)  
Lori Lepto – Instructional/Bus #240am/Autism Aide III (Bradley Elementary) (Itinerant)  
Rhonda Maynor – Instructional/Bus/Autism Aide III (Liberty High) (Itinerant)  
Teresa Midgley – Instructional/Bus #91am/Autism Aide IV (Daniels Elementary) (Itinerant)  
Brittanie Mink – Instructional/Bus/Autism Aide IV (Shady Spring High) (Itinerant)  
Susan Moore – Instructional/Bus/Autism Aide III (Trap Hill Middle) (Itinerant)

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Ashley O'Dell – Instructional/Bus #249am/Multicategorical Aide IV (Stanaford Elementary) (Itinerant)  
Wanda Perry – Instructional/Bus/Multicategorical Aide III (Marsh Fork Elementary) (Itinerant)  
Gary Peters – Instructional/Bus/Multicategorical Moderate Aide III (Liberty High) (Itinerant)  
Jenny Peters – Instructional/Bus #67pm/Multicategorical Aide III (Trap Hill Middle) (Itinerant)  
Kathy Pugh – Instructional/Bus/Multicategorical Aide III (Beckley-Stratton Middle) (Itinerant)  
Janice Rash – Instructional/Bus/Multicategorical Moderate Aide III (Independence Middle) (Itinerant)  
Marsha Richmond – Pre-School Special Needs Aide III/ECCAT-I (Ghent Elementary)  
Betty Santon – Instructional/Bus/Autism Aide IV (Woodrow Wilson High) (Itinerant)  
Cressida Smith – Instructional/Bus/Autism Aide III/Autism Mentor (Daniels Elementary) (Itinerant)  
Kelly Smith – Instructional/Bus/Multicategorical Moderate Aide IV (Shady Spring Elementary) (Itinerant)  
Mark Taylor – Instructional/Bus #90am & pm/Multicategorical Aide IV (Coal City Elementary/Independence High) (Itinerant)  
Paul Thornquest – Instructional/Bus #220am/Multicategorical Moderate/Severe Aide IV (Hollywood Elementary) (Itinerant)  
Patricia Tolliver – Instructional/Bus #240am & #88pm/Multicategorical Aide III (Coal City Elementary/Independence Middle) (Itinerant)  
Rebecca Wall – Instructional/Bus/Multicategorical Behavior Disorder Aide III (Woodrow Wilson High) (Itinerant)  
Richard Williams – Instructional/Bus #239am & #220pm/Multicategorical Aide IV (Beckley Elementary/Park Middle)  
Sherry Wills – Instructional/Bus/Multicategorical Aide III (Marsh Fork Elementary) (Itinerant)  
John-Samuel Wood – Instructional/Bus #84 am & pm/Multicategorical Aide III (Marsh Fork Elementary) (Itinerant)

- B. Recommended to **Extend Medical Leave of Absence** (pursuant to Raleigh County Policy C.1.19) – eff. 08/31/2020 thru 10/05/2020

Kali Dotson – Instructional/Bus/Multicategorical Aide IV (Beckley Elementary) (Itinerant)

- C. Correction – Recommended for Transfer – eff. 09/28/2020

Tasha Click – from ½-time Cook II – Cranberry-Prosperity Elementary to Instructional/Bus #229pm/Multicategorical Aide II (previously stated Aide IV) (Woodrow Wilson High) (Itinerant)

- D. Recommended for Transfer (**Pursuant to WV Code §18A-2-7(e)**)

Benjamin Bolen – from Instructional/Bus/Autism Male One-on-One Aide IV (Woodrow Wilson High) (Itinerant) to Instructional/Bus #221pm/Multicategorical Aide IV (Woodrow Wilson High) (Itinerant) – eff. 09/08/2020

Brenda Duesing – from Instructional/Bus/Multicategorical Female Moderate/Severe Aide III (Woodrow Wilson High) (Itinerant) to Instructional/Bus #229am/Multicategorical Aide III (Woodrow Wilson High) (Itinerant) – eff. 09/14/2020

Wanda Perry – from Instructional/Bus/Multicategorical Moderate Aide III (Fairdale Elementary) (Itinerant) to Instructional/Bus/Multicategorical Aide III (Marsh Fork Elementary) (Itinerant) – eff. 09/14/2020

- E. Recommended for Appointment – **Probationary Contract – First One-Year** – eff. 10/19/2020

Michelle Hall – Instructional/Bus #250am/Multicategorical Aide II (Stratton Elementary/Ridgeview Elementary) (Itinerant)

- F. Recommended to fill a leave of absence until the regular employee resigns or returns – eff. 10/19/2020

Linda Furrow – Instructional/Bus #219pm/Multicategorical Moderate Aide II (Shady Spring Middle) (Itinerant)

### AIDES

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Jill Adams – Kindergarten Aide IV/ECCAT-II – Daniels Elementary  
Melanie Allen – Kindergarten Aide II/ECCAT-II – Stanaford Elementary  
Angela Bays – Kindergarten aide II/ECCAT-II – Fairdale Elementary  
Julie Blankenship – Kindergarten Aide II/ECCAT-II – Clear Fork District Elementary  
Joyce Clarke – Kindergarten Aide II/ECCAT-I = Mabscott Elementary  
Vanessa Covington – Kindergarten Aide IV/ECCAT-II – Ridgeview Elementary  
Laura Ferguson – Pre-K Aide IV/Paraprofessional/ECCAT-II – Daniels Elementary  
Tammy Harris – Kindergarten Aide II/ECCAT-II – Ridgeview Elementary  
Ronnie Hawley – Kindergarten Aide IV/ECCAT-II – Shady Spring Elementary  
Michelle Pack – Pre-K Aide III/ECCAT-II – Bradley Elementary  
Robin Stewart – Pre-K Aide IV/ECCAT-II – Daniels Elementary  
Arlie Thomas – Kindergarten Aide IV/ECCAT-I – Beckley Elementary  
Alicea Thompson – Pre-K Aide IV/ECCAT-I – Bradley Elementary  
Kristina Tolliver – Pre-K Aide II/ECCAT-II – Ridgeview Elementary  
Deanna Walker – Kindergarten Aide II/ECCAT-II – Coal City Elementary  
Connie Workman – Pre-K Aide III/ECCAT-II – Crescent Elementary  
Crystal Workman – Kindergarten Aide II/ECCAT-II – Hollywood Elementary

- B. Recommended for Transfer – eff. 10/19/2020

Melanie Harris – from Pre-School Special Needs **Aide III/ECCAT-II** (Marsh Fork Elementary) to Pre-K **Aide II/ECCAT-II** – Marsh Fork Elementary  
Rhonda Stover – from Instructional/Bus #205pm/Multicategorical Female **Aide III** (Woodrow Wilson High) (Itinerant) to **Pre-K Aide II/ECCAT-I** – Bradley Elementary

### Substitutes

- A. Resignation

Brandi Bationo – Aide IV – eff. 10/06/2020

### COOKS

- A. Recommended for Transfer – eff. 10/19/2020

Tasha Click – from **Instructional/Bus #229pm/Multicategorical Aide II** (Woodrow Wilson High) (Itinerant) to **Cook II** – Stanaford Elementary



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B. Recommended for Appointment – **Probationary Contract – First One-Year** – eff. 10/19/2020

April Adkins – ½-time Cook II – Cranberry-Prosperity Elementary  
Angela Williams – Cook III/Cafeteria Manager – Bradley Elementary

**Substitutes**

A. Resignation

Melody McClead – Cook II – eff. 10/07/2020

**CUSTODIANS**

A. Recommended for Transfer – eff. 10/19/2020

Jonathan Casto – from Custodian III (*230-day employment term*) – Independence Middle to Custodian III (*230-day employment term*) – Mabscott Elementary  
Steven Cochran – from Custodian III (**210-day employment term**) (*night shift*) – Shady Spring Middle to Custodian III (**230-day employment term**) (*night shift*) – Crescent Elementary  
Donald Swearengin – from Custodian III (*210-day employment term*) (**night shift**) – Independence Middle to Custodian III (*210-day employment term*) (**day shift**) – Special Education/Park Middle

**Substitutes**

A. Resignation

Alfred Alderman – Custodian III – eff. 09/21/2020  
Gary Bragg – Custodian III – eff. 10/07/2020  
Roger Goodson – Custodian III – eff. 10/07/2020

**SECRETARIES**

A. Reclassify

Shonette Cole – from **Secretary III** (*210-day employment term*) – Liberty High to **Secretary III/Accountant III** (*210-day employment term*) – Liberty High – eff. 09/21/2009  
Judy Dunbar – from **Secretary III** – Central Office to **Secretary III/Accountant III** – Central Office – eff. 09/17/2007  
Tammy Lynch – from **Secretary III** (*261-day employment term*) – Central Office to **Secretary III/Accountant III** (*261-day employment term*) – Central Office – eff. 07/31/2010

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April Adkins – Secretary III/Accountant II (*210-day employment term*) – Independence High  
Beverly Castanon – Secretary III/Accountant II (*205-day employment term*) – Coal City Elementary  
Tina Farnsworth – Secretary III/Accountant II (Special Education)  
Penny Miller – Secretary III/Accountant II (*205-day employment term*) – Independence Middle/Trap Hill Middle  
Alicia Sipes – Secretary II (*205-day employment term*) – Independence Middle  
Susan Smith – Secretary II/Accountant II (*205-day employment term*) – Mabscott Elementary  
Lindsey Stone – Secretary III/Accountant II (*205-day employment term*) – Trap Hill Middle  
Robin Walton – Secretary III/Accountant II (*205-day employment term*) – Ridgeview Elementary

- C. Recommended for Transfer – eff. 10/19/2020

Kelly Ballengee – from Secretary II/Accountant II (*205-day employment term*) – Ridgeview/Coal City Elementary to Secretary II/Accountant II (*205-day employment term*) – Crescent Elementary  
Pamela Daniel – from **Secretary III/Accountant III** (*261-day employment term*) – Child Nutrition to **Secretary III/Accountant III/Accounts Payable Supervisor** (*261-day employment term*) – Central Office  
Cheryl Estep – from Secretary III/Accountant II (*205-day employment term*) – Stanaford Elementary to Secretary II/Accountant II (*205-day employment term*) – Maxwell Hill Elementary  
Stephanie D McNeel – from Secretary III/Accountant II (***210-day employment term***) – Woodrow Wilson High to Secretary III/Accountant II (***220-day employment term***) – Woodrow Wilson High

### TRANSPORTATION

- A. Recommended for Transfer – eff. 10/19/20

Robert Austin – from Bus Operator – Bus #77 to Bus Operator – Bus #86

- B. Recommended for Appointment – **Probationary Contract – First One-Year** – eff. 10/19/2020

Matthew Hatfield – Bus Operator – Bus #95

### Midday Extra-Curricular

- A. Recommended for Appointment – eff. 2020-2021 school term

David Crouch – Bus Operator – Child Nutrition – Woodrow Wilson High (alternate site) to Academy of Careers & Technology (8:15am – 10:00am)

Gregory Daniel – Bus Operator – Child Nutrition – Woodrow Wilson High (alternate site) to Academy of Careers & Technology (10:15am – 12:15pm)

Gregory Daniel – Bus Operator – Vocational Run – Academy of Careers & Technology to Liberty High (12:30pm – 2:10pm)

Paul Landy – Bus Operator – Vocational Run – Academy of Careers & Technology to Independence High (12:30pm – 2:10pm)

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Ricky Richmond – Bus Operator – Vocational Run – Academy of Careers & Technology to Shady Spring High (12:30pm – 2:10pm)

Darryl Scott – Bus Operator – Child Nutrition – Woodrow Wilson High (alternate site) to Academy of Careers & Technology (8:15am – 10:00am)

Darryl Scott – Bus Operator – Child Nutrition – Woodrow Wilson High (alternate site) to Academy of Careers & Technology (10:15am – 12:15pm)

**Substitutes**

A. Resignation

Richard Bowers II – Bus Operator – eff. 09/22/2020

Danny Bowyer – Bus Operator – eff. 09/26/2020