

DECATUR CITY SCHOOLS
Decatur, Alabama
August 26, 2021

BOARD NOTES . . .

The Decatur City Board of Education met in special session on Tuesday, August 24th at 4:00 p.m. for the first budget hearing with a board meeting following at 4:30 p.m. in the auditorium at Decatur High School. Board members present were Michele King, Peggy Baggett, Doug Bachuss, Dwight Jett, and Jason Palmer. Dr. Douglas and Mrs. Mandi Jones were also in attendance.

Dr. Douglas presented the certified and non-certified personnel agenda and it was approved as presented. He recognized Ms. Andrea Richardson for her years of service to DCS and wished her the best in retirement.

(All approved personnel action will follow these notes.)

Next, Dr. Douglas presented the 2021-2022 supplements. They were approved as submitted.

(All approved supplements will follow these notes.)

Dr. Douglas asked Mr. Lee Edminson to give a brief update on various construction projects around the district.

- Activity Building -
ALL three buildings keys have been turned over to Maintenance...they will make copies and deliver to schools.
- CAD - Culinary Hood project completed.
- CAD - New Career Tech Building -
Pre-bid Aug 31 / Bid Sept 9
- Central Office-
Casework / cabinets - delivered today
Elevator - passed inspection
ADA inspections next week
Fire Alarm next week (possibly)
Parking lot - lighting installed today / striping will take place at the end
Door glass - installed
Pavers - install started Aug 23rd
Furniture - started arriving Aug 20th
- DMS auditorium roof - prestart w/ State Sept 1

Lee took a moment to thank the Board, Dr. Douglas, Mandi, and all the staff at DCS for a wonderful 7 years. He stated that he has been blessed to meet and learn from so many people. We will miss him and wish him nothing but the best on his next adventure!

The meeting adjourned at approximately 4:40 p.m.

The Superintendent recommends the following personnel agenda to the Board for approval: Personnel Agenda – August 24, 2021

CERTIFIED PERSONNEL

RESIGNATIONS

Austin Middle

Valerie Hannah, Physical Education Teacher, effective August 13, 2021.

Chestnut Grove Elementary

Kathryn Shaw, Library Media Specialist, effective August 25, 2021.

RETIREMENTS

Special Services

Andrea E. Richardson, Gifted Special Services, effective September 30, 2021

EMPLOYMENT

Decatur High

Emilee Lloyd Alexander, Math Teacher, **(Pending the procurement of satisfactory documentation and board approval)**

Julian Harris Elementary

Anna Nix, Kindergarten Teacher, **(Pending the procurement of satisfactory documentation and board approval)**

Special Services

Julia Vosler, Tier III Instructional Coach, effective August 25, 2021.

TEAMS PROGRAM (SCIENCE), effective August 25, 2021

Decatur Middle

Brittany Michael

CHANGE OF PAYROLL STATUS

Austin High

Abigail Hilson Tinley, Math Teacher, effective August 2, 2021.

Eva Mareno Yarbrough, ACT Preparation Teacher, effective August 2, 2021.

Austin Junior High

Amie Huff, Teens Connections Teacher, effective August 2, 2021.

Austinville Elementary

Heather Bishop Matthews, 3rd Grade Teacher, effective July 7, 2021.

Banks-Caddell Elementary

Casey Lynn Tumminello, Guidance Counselor, effective August 2, 2021.

Chestnut Grove Elementary

Abigail Blackmon Grauberger, Music Teacher, effective August 17, 2021.

Decatur High

Crystal Peden, Business Education Teacher, effective August 2, 2021.

Hannah Mask, English Language Arts Teacher, effective August 2, 2021.

Decatur Middle

Alexia Trost, Secondary Math Teacher, effective August 2, 2021.

William Tyler Mitchell, Physical Education Teacher, effective August 2, 2021.

West Decatur Elementary

Toborsha Swope-Sweeney, Counselor, effective August 2, 2021.

SHORT TERM CONTRACTS

Banks-Caddell Elementary

Sydney (Johnson) Mabowitz, Long-Term Substitute

Decatur City

Bruce Jones, Community Outreach Coordinator

Special Services

Jlyrick Woods, Long-Term Substitute

Rhonda Reece, Tier III Interventionist Coordinator

Virtual Academy

Rebecca Holmes, Virtual Math Teacher

NON-CERTIFIED PERSONNEL

RESIGNATIONS

Austin Middle

Samuel Landers, Custodian, effective August 16, 2021

Special Services

Brittney Plemons, Instruction Aide, effective August 13, 2021

Devra Williams, Special Education Aide, effective May 27, 2021

Transportation

Brittany Nantz, Shop Assistant, effective August 23, 2021

EMPLOYMENT

Austinville Elementary

Olivia Thomas, Pre-K Auxiliary Teacher, **(Pending the procurement of satisfactory documentation and board approval)**

Bianca Bowman, Pre-K Auxiliary Teacher, effective August 25, 2021.

Chestnut Grove Elementary

Cortez Leshon Campbell, Custodian, effective August 25, 2021.

Central Office

Madison Hollingsworth, RN, effective September 13, 2021.

Special Services

Karen Drake Tuten, Tier III Interventionist, effective August 25, 2021.

Amy Hughes Calame, Tier III Interventionist, effective August 25, 2021.

Amanda Burns, Tier III Interventionist, effective August 25, 2021.

Trinita Johnson, Tier III Interventionist, **(Pending the procurement of satisfactory documentation and board approval)**

Apryl R. Botto, Tier III Interventionist, effective August 25, 2021.

Tracey Andrews, Tier III Interventionist, **(Pending the procurement of satisfactory documentation and board approval)**

Gloria Annette Warren, Tier III Interventionist, **(Pending the procurement of satisfactory documentation and board approval)**

CHANGE OF PAYROLL STATUS

Banks-Caddell Elementary

Sherry Martin Terry, Teacher Aide - ISS, effective August 11, 2021.

SHORT TERM CONTRACTS

Chestnut Elementary

McKinley Cotting - Extended Day Teacher Aide

Federal Programs

Diane Pictrowski, Intervention Teacher (St. Ann Catholic School)

Special Services

Lisa Buckley, Intervention Teacher

Georgia Terry, Intervention Teacher

Laurie Yarbrough, Interventionist

Wetland Edge Environmental Center

Tevin Terry, Instruction Aide

Woodmeade Elementary

Rebecca Teague, Intervention Teacher

Andrea Robertson, Intervention Teacher

NON FACULTY OR VOLUNTEER COACHES

Austin High

Ginger Sims - Assistant Tennis Coach

Decatur High

Ryan Watson - Assistant Football Coach

***Volunteer - Non paid**

LEAVE OF ABSENCE(S):

CERTIFIED

Austin Junior High

Marion Colbert - FMLA (9/7/2021 to 11/5/2021)

Oak Park Elementary

Kristyn Fudge - FMLA (8/10/2021 to 11/2/2021)

NON-CERTIFIED

Austin Middle

Stephanie Carter - Study Leave of Absence (August 24, 2021 - December 17, 2021)

Decatur Middle

Kinneth Priest - FMLA (July 1, 2021 - September 23, 2021)

West Decatur Elementary

Pamela Haynes - Medical Leave Extension (May 4, 2021 - October 26, 2021)

PREVIOUS BOARD APPROVAL(S): (VERIFIED START DATE AND/OR EXPERIENCE)**Austin High**

Kevin Huff, Social Science Teacher, effective August 4, 2021.

Austin Middle

Chelsea Haggermaker, Physical Education Teacher, effective August 12, 2021.

Austinville Elementary

Kasey Roberta Rodriguez, PreK-5 Teacher, effective August 12, 2021.

Career Academics

Julia Agnew, Career Coach, effective August 16, 2021.

Central Office

Coretta Carroll Elliott, Receptionist, effective September 1, 2021.

Decatur Middle

Tajwana Ann Willingham-Johnson, Art Teacher, effective August 16, 2021.

Carolyn Pistorius, TEAMS Science, effective August 17, 2021.

Eastwood Elementary

Daniel Travis Justice, Physical Education Teacher, effective August 11, 2021.

Oak Park Elementary

Erica (Degollado) Celis, OSR Pre-K Auxiliary Teacher, effective August 23, 2021.

Special Services

Jennifer Parker Page, Tier III Interventionist, effective August 13, 2021.

Cheryl Lynn Harper, Elementary ESL Teacher, effective August 16, 2021.

Virginia Kate Burns, Tier III Interventionist, effective August 25, 2021.

Transportation

Thomas Wayne Young, Bus Mechanic, effective August 16, 2021.

Tianna M. Moreno, Bus Driver, effective August 25, 2021.

AUSTIN HIGH SCHOOL				
SUPPLEMENTS				
2021-2022 SCHOOL YEAR				
POSITION	SCHEDULE	ADD'L DAYS	AMOUNT	2021-2022 EMPLOYEE
Football, Offensive	44	30	\$3,000	Steve Kerby
Football, Defensive Coordinator	44	30	\$3,000	Kinte Welch
Assistant Football: 1	2	20	\$2,825	Kevin Huff
Assistant Football: 2	2	20	\$2,825	Charles Willoughby
Assistant Football: 3	2	20	\$2,825	Matthew Humphries
Assistant Football: 4	2	20	\$2,825	Terrious Ashford
Assistant Football: 5	2	20	\$2,825	Lamont Crittendon
Assistant Football: 6	2	20	\$2,825	Cody Sanders
Strength/Conditioning	34	0	\$1,800	Mitchell Knox (CT)
Basketball Boys - Head Varsity	4	40	\$5,750	Major Deacon
Basketball Boys: 1	5	20	\$2,150	Desmond Phillips
Basketball Boys: 2	5	20	\$2,150	Breck Hastings (9th grade)
Basketball Boys: 3	33	0	\$3,000	Bruce Pears
Basketball Girls - Head Varsity	6	40	\$5,750	Adonnaca Burton
Basketball Girls: 1	7	20	\$2,150	Brittany Smith
Basketball Girls: 2	7	20	\$2,150	Brian Davis
Basketball Girls: 3	36	0	\$3,000	Aaliyah Rice (CT)
Baseball - Head Varsity	8	20	\$2,150	Drew Williamson
Baseball: 1	9	5	\$1,700	Breck Hastings
Baseball: 2	9	5	\$1,700	Regan Carpenter
Baseball: 3	9	0	\$1,700	Zack Linley (MS Head)
Track - Head	10	5	\$2,000	Bruce Pears
Track: 1	28	0	\$2,000	Sean Lynch
Track : 2	49	0	\$1,700	Adonnaca Burton
Track:3	49	0	\$1,700	Tempestt Wilson (CT)
Track Indoor - Head	39	0	\$1,500	Sean Lynch
Track Indoor:1	43	0	\$1,000	Cody Sanders
Tennis - Boys	11	0	\$1,650	Cade Pressnell
Tennis - Girls	11	0	\$1,650	Ginger Sims (CT)
Cross Country - Head	12	0	\$1,800	Joe Betterton
Cross Country: 1	38	0	\$1,000	Alana Haughaboo
Golf - Boys	13	0	\$1,000	Kevin Shannon
Golf - Girls	13	0	\$1,000	Kevin Shannon
Softball - Head Varsity	14	20	\$2,150	Blake Gray
Softball: 1	15	5	\$1,700	Brittany Vintson
Softball: 2	15	5	\$1,700	Jordan Bullock (CT)
Softball: 3	15	0	\$1,700	Rachel Simpson
Volleyball - Head Varsity	16	20	\$2,150	Allie Crook
Volleyball: 1	35	5	\$1,700	Brittney Smith
Volleyball: 2	35	0	\$1,700	Chelsea Jane Haggermaker
Soccer Boys - Head Varsity	31	10	\$2,000	Cody Sanders
Soccer Boys: 1	41	0	\$1,700	Luis Angel Meneses (CT)
Soccer Girls - Head Varsity	32	10	\$2,000	Matt Humphries
Soccer Girls: 1	42	0	\$1,700	Mary Greenhall (CT)
Swimming	20	0	\$1,000	1/2 Dawn McAfee (CT), 1/2 Kevin Shannon
Wrestling - Head Varsity	21	10	\$2,000	Lamont Crittendon
Wrestling: 1	45	0	\$1,700	Dana Cortez (CT)
Wrestling: 2	45		\$1,700	Kevin Turner (CT)
Head Cheerleader	17	20	\$2,825	Eria Jackson
Assistant Cheerleader: 1	18	10	\$2,150	Lakeia McGlathery (CT)
Band	19	40	\$4,450	Clayton Sloan
Assistant Band	37	40	\$2,150	N/A less than 200 students
Choral	25	0	\$1,425	Matthew Gardner
Dance Team	46	0	\$1,000	Allie Brooks
Drama	22	0	\$1,075	Courtney Turner
E-Sports	26	0	\$500	Beth Bachuss
Paid with Local Funds				
Basketball Boys			\$ 1,000	Malieq Senior (CT)
Baseball Operations			\$ 2,000	Colt Dozier
Softball			\$ 2,000	Blake Gray
Color Guard			\$ 1,500	Aquarius Bell

AUSTIN JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL
SUPPLEMENTS
2021-2022 SCHOOL YEAR

POSITION	SCHEDULE	ADD'L DAYS	AMOUNT	2021-2022 EMPLOYEE
Head Football (8th)	3	10	\$2,150	Zac Linley
Assistant Football 8th: 1	27	10	\$1,800	AJ Owens
Assistant Football 8th: 2	27	10	\$1,800	Cade Pressnell
Football: 7 (Head)	3	10	\$2,150	Drew Williamson
Assistant Football: 8	27	10	\$1,800	Scott Bailey
Assistant Football: 9	27	10	\$1,800	Reagan Carpenter
Assistant Football: 10	27	10	\$1,800	Malieq Senior (CT)
Basketball - Boys 8th Grade	51	0	\$1,800	Darius De'el Watkins
Basketball - Girls 8th Grade	52	0	\$1,800	Elizabeth Hastings
Baseball - 8th Grade	48	0	\$1,350	Scott Bailey
Softball - 8th Grade	47	0	\$1,350	Steven Miller
Soccer - Boys	58	0	\$1,350	Paul Tassone
Soccer - Girls	58	0	\$1,350	Ashley Collins
Volleyball	64	0	\$1,350	Erin Waggett
Assistant Cheerleader (AHS) 9th	18	10	\$2,150	Molly Tittle (CT)
Cheerleader 8th	54	5	\$1,800	Charlee Moore
Band	55	0	\$2,550	Regina Raney
Paid with Local Funds				
Volleyball			\$ 1,350	Kaitlyn Morley (CT)

AUSTIN MIDDLE SCHOOL
SUPPLEMENTS
2021-2022 SCHOOL YEAR

POSITION	SCHEDULE	ADD'L DAYS	AMOUNT	2021-2022 EMPLOYEE
Head Football	3	10	\$2,150	Sean Lynch
Assistant Football: 1	27	10	\$1,800	John Williamson
Assistant Football: 2	27	10	\$1,800	Steven Miller
Basketball - Boys 7th Grade	51	0	\$1,800	Regan Carpenter
Basketball - Girls 7th Grade	52	0	\$1,800	Open
Baseball- 7th Grade	48	0	\$1,350	AJ Owens
Softball - 7th Grade	47	0	\$1,350	Open
Volleyball	64	0	\$1,350	Lauren Santiago
Cheerleader	54	5	\$1,800	1/2 Whitney Warren; 1/2 Joanna Holcomb
Band	55	0	\$2,550	Regina Raney
Assistant Band	50	0	\$1,200	Nicole Knoch
Extended Duty (1/2 December, 1/2 May)	57	0	\$1,000	Paul Tassone

DECATUR HIGH SCHOOL				
SUPPLEMENTS				
2021-2022 SCHOOL YEAR				
POSITION	SCHEDULE	ADD'L DAYS	AMOUNT	2021-2022 EMPLOYEE
Football, Defensive Coordinator	44	30	\$3,000	Levi Terry
Football, Offensive Coordinator	44	30	\$3,000	Kevin McCravy
Assistant Football: 1	2	20	\$2,825	Ben Smith
Assistant Football: 2	2	20	\$2,825	Caleb Finn
Assistant Football: 3	2	20	\$2,825	Chandler Allen
Assistant Football: 4	2	20	\$2,825	Kevin Lockhart
Assistant Football: 5	2	20	\$2,825	Riley Adcock
Assistant Football: 6	2	20	\$2,825	Ryan Watson (CT)
Assistant Football: 7 (Head)	3	10	\$2,150	Austin Dupper (CT)
Assistant Football: 8	27	0	\$1,800	Ashley Mueller-Lawrence
Assistant Football: 9	27	10	\$1,800	Major Houston
Assistant Football: 10	27	10	\$1,800	Mike Burns
Baseball - Head Varsity	8	20	\$2,150	Mike Burns
Baseball: 1	9	5	\$1,700	Jason Russell
Baseball: 2	9	5	\$1,700	Nick Belovsky
Baseball: 3	9	0	\$1,700	Chandler Allen
Basketball Boys - Head Varsity	4	40	\$5,750	Kori Walker
Basketball Boys: 1	5	20	\$2,150	Cory Meyer
Basketball Boys: 2	5	20	\$2,150	Bobby Meyer
Basketball Boys: 3	33	0	\$3,000	Riley Adcock
Basketball Girls - Head Varsity	6	40	\$5,750	Justin Moore
Basketball Girls: 1	7	20	\$2,150	Watt Parker
Basketball Girls: 2	7	20	\$2,150	Steve Pendley
Basketball Girls: 3	36	0	\$3,000	Jamiee Moran
Cross Country - Head	12	0	\$1,800	Richard Doke
Cross Country: 1	38	0	\$1,000	Natalie Hyde
Golf - Boys	13	0	\$1,000	Scott Reed
Golf - Girls	13	0	\$1,000	Scott Reed
Cheer Head	17	20	\$2,825	Kamelia Warren
Cheer Assistant : 1	18	10	\$2,150	Anna Inman
Cheer Assistant : 2	18	10	\$2,150	Open
Soccer Boys - Head Varsity	31	10	\$2,000	Robert Belcher
Soccer Boys: 1	41	0	\$1,700	Keith Livingston (CT)
Soccer Girls - Head Varsity	32	10	\$2,000	Sarah Beth Dunlap
Soccer Girls: 1	42	0	\$1,700	Megan Hulsey
Softball - Head Varsity	14	20	\$2,000	Meaghan Gray
Softball: 1	15	5	\$1,700	Natalie Wood
Softball: 2	15	5	\$1,700	Natalie Hyde
Softball: 3	15	0	\$1,700	Laqueesha Poe
Strength/Conditioning	34	0	\$1,800	Kevin Lockhart
Swimming	20	0	\$1,000	1/2 Dawn McAfee (CT); 1/2 Kristy Parker
Tennis - Boys	11	0	\$1,650	Wesley Swoopes (CT)
Tennis - Girls	11	0	\$1,650	Amanda Whitmire
Track Indoor - Head	39	0	\$1,500	Raymond Gilstrap
Track Indoor:1	43	0	\$1,000	Rena Cosby
Track - Head	10	5	\$2,000	Ben Smith
Track: 1	28	0	\$2,000	Richard Doke
Track: 2	49	0	\$1,700	Raymond Gilstrap
Track: 3	49	0	\$1,700	Rena Cosby
Volleyball - Head Varsity	16	20	\$2,150	Jamiee Moran
Volleyball: 1	35	5	\$1,700	Morgan Wall
Volleyball: 2	35	0	\$1,700	Open
Wrestling - Head Varsity	21	10	\$2,000	Kevin Lockhart
Wrestling: 1	45	0	\$1,700	Tobias Miller (CT)
Wrestling: 2	45		\$1,700	Ben Berry (CT)
Band	19	40	\$4,450	Blake Ferguson
Assistant Band	37	40	\$2,150	N/A less than 200 students
Developmental Athletics	63	0	\$1,350	1/2 Patty Laughlin; 1/2 John Williamson
Drama	22	0	\$1,075	Judith Park
Choral	25	0	\$1,425	Megan Jones
Dance Team	46	0	\$1,000	Open
E-Sports	26	0	\$500	Crystal Peden
Extended Duty (1/2 December, 1/2 May)	57	0	\$1,000	Ben Smith
Paid with Local Funds				
Assistant Boys Basketball			\$ 2,000	Thomas Meadows (CT)
Assistant Football			\$ 1,800	Xavier Jarman (CT)
Assistant Girls Soccer			\$ 1,700	Morgan Wall

DECATUR MIDDLE SCHOOL				
SUPPLEMENTS				
2021-2022 SCHOOL YEAR				
POSITION	SCHEDULE	ADD'L DAYS	AMOUNT	2021-2022 EMPLOYEE
Football - Head Middle	3	10	\$2,150	Tyler Mitchell
Football: 1 MS	27	10	\$1,800	Nick Belovsky
Football: 2 MS	27	10	\$1,800	Raymond Gilstrap
Football: 3 MS	27	10	\$1,800	Wes Stephenson
Football: 4 MS	27	10	\$1,800	Keith Tincknell
Basketball - Boys 8th Grade	51	0	\$1,800	Wes Stephenson
Basketball - Boys 7th Grade	51	0	\$1,800	Major Houston
Basketball - Girls 8th Grade	52	0	\$1,800	Natalie Wood
Basketball - Girls 7th Grade	52	0	\$1,800	Katie Jett
Baseball - 8th Grade	48	0	\$1,350	Open
Baseball - 7th Grade	48	0	\$1,350	Keith Tincknell
Softball - 8th Grade	47	0	\$1,350	Open
Softball 7th Grade	47	0	\$1,350	Open
Soccer - Boys	58	0	\$1,350	Sam Dean
Soccer - Girls	58	0	\$1,350	Hope Quinn
Volleyball - 8th Grade	64	0	\$1,350	Hope Quinn
Volleyball - 7th Grade	64	0	\$1,350	Laqueesha Poe
Cheerleader 8th	54	5	\$1,800	Maggie Montgomery
Cheerleader 7th	54	5	\$1,800	Open
Band	55	0	\$2,550	Mandy Irvin
Assistant Band	50	0	\$1,200	Zachary Melton
Extended Duty (1/2 December, 1/2 May)	57	0	\$1,000	1/2 Deborah Wendolek; 1/2 Jenny Letson

OTHER FACILITIES				
SUPPLEMENTS				
2021-2022 SCHOOL YEAR				
** One time payment will be made in May				
POSITION	SCHEDULE	ADD'L DAYS	AMOUNT	2021-2022 EMPLOYEE
Alternative Site Coordinator	83	20	\$1,150	LaTonya White
RTI Coordinator	68	0	\$3,500	Stefanie Underwood
EL Coordinator	91	0	\$3,100	Stefanie Underwood
504 Coordinator	93	0	\$2,575	Stefanie Underwood
Parental Involvement Coordinator	72	0	\$5,500	Melissa Scott
Pre-K Coordinator	73	0	\$5,500	Melissa Scott
Homeless Coordinator	74	0	\$3,000	Melissa Scott
Nursing Coordinator**	98		\$1,150	Sarah Payne
System Wide Robotics	90	10	\$2,100	Michael Funk
System Wide Assistant Robotics	92	5	\$1,000	Beth Hellebrand
System Wide Assistant Robotics	92	5	\$1,000	Open
Secondary Testing Coordinator	85	0	\$5,000	Angela Cushing
Elementary Testing Coordinator	85	0	\$5,000	Brianna Horton