

THE MCSSSD CONNECTION

HUMAN RESOURCES NEWSLETTER

Welcome Back, Staff! Have a Safe and Happy School Year!



INTRODUCING NEW INTERIM SUPERINTENDENT



Dr. James Fazzone

HELLO NEW HIRES AND WELCOME TO MCSSSD!

Katherine Acuna, Vincent Bonfanti, Angelina Buzgo, Thomas Casey, John Chicas, David Ernst, Lisa D'Errico, Timothy Graham, Tristan Kamrad, Brandy Little, Jennifer McVicker, Marina Meehan, Melisa Milonas, Catharine Mollis, Donna Mydlowski, Christopher Poznick, Matthew Rivas, Tayyaba Rizvi, Angela Scartocci, Abigail Tharp, Anita Vasthare, Isis Washington, Rae Washington, William Zahorchak

WELCOMING NEW BOARD PRESIDENT



Ms. Stacy Morgan Santo



DREAMING OF RETIREMENT?

Are you thinking of retiring this year, next year or sometime in the future? Prepare for your better tomorrow...TODAY by planning your retirement. TPAF & PERS Members can call NJ Pensions for seminars, webinars, and retirement estimates at 609-292-7524. DCRP Members can call Prudential at 866-653-2771.

Don't forget to submit a letter of intent to MCSSSD!

UPCOMING IMPORTANT DATES

SEPT. 8-9, 2021 STAFF DEVELOPMENT DAY
SEPT. 16, 2021 SCHOOLS CLOSED - YOM KIPPUR
OCT. 5, 2021 BOARD MEETING 4:30PM @ MES
OCT. 12, 2021 PROFESSIONAL DAY
NOV. 1, 2021 BOARD MEETING 4:30PM @ MES
NOV. 4-5, 2021 SCHOOLS CLOSED - NJEA

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PUBLIC SERVICE/TEACHER LOAN FORGIVENESS

Did you know that employees who have outstanding student loans and meet the eligibility requirements may be eligible for student loan forgiveness? Please visit the following website for more info: <https://studentaid.gov/manage-loans/forgiveness-cancellation/teacher>. After reviewing the website, requirements, and verifying that you qualify, completed forms can be sent to HR @ acaldwell@mcsssd.us.

Forms will then be returned to the employee for submission to the Federal Government.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

We are always looking for talented individuals to join our team!

To see available employment opportunities, please visit the district's website.

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RECAP FROM 2020-2021 SCHOOL YEAR

Governor's Educator of The Year, Educational Services Professional of the Year, and Paraprofessional of the Year

**MERCER ELEMENTARY
SCHOOL**

Teacher: Lauren Cooper
ESP: Jennifer Semple
Para: Deborah Barrett

**JOSEPH F. CAPPELLO
SCHOOL**

Teacher: Bobbi Parker
ESP: Susan Ettman
Para: Sandi Caffarello

MERCER HIGH SCHOOL

Teacher: Jessica Jordan
ESP: Jennifer Bilgrav
Para: Melissa Nolan

Our outstanding staff members were acknowledged at the June 1, 2021, board meeting. HR also presented members with certificates during ceremonies held in-person and virtually at each school.

Once again, thank you for advocating for students, teachers, and professionals, and being phenomenal educators! We appreciate YOU!



"If you want to go fast, go alone. If you want to go far, go together." -African Proverb