SCHOOL DISTRICT OF SOUTH ORANGE AND MAPLEWOOD, NEW JERSEY Public Meeting, September 26, 2024

Personnel Fiscal Resolutions

FINAL RESOLUTION No. 4656

The Superintendent recommends that the Board of Education approve the following personnel fiscal resolutions.

4656 A. RETIREMENT

NAME	ASSIGNMENT	EFFECTIVE DATE	YEARS IN DISTRICT
Richardson,	School Psychologist	1/1/25	22
Margaret	MONT - 1.0 FTE		

Background

The above retiree faithfully served in the public schools of South Orange and Maplewood. In appreciation of her contributions to the educational welfare of this community, she will be given recognition at one of the June 2025 meetings

4656 B. RESIGNATION

NAME	ASSIGNMENT	EFFECTIVE DATE	YEARS IN DISTRICT
Lawrence,	T STEM	11/1/24	2.2
Meredith	SOM – 1.0 FTE		

4656 C. APPOINTMENTS

(This employment is conditional and subject to the disclosure requirement; pending compliance with NJ Public Law 2018, Chapter 5)

NAME	ASSIGNMENT	EFFECTIVE	ACTUAL	BACKGROUND
		DATE	SALARY	
Bell,	T 4	11/14/24	\$86,385*	Replacing Allison Kessler-
Krista	CLIN – 1.0 FTE	6/30/25		Slavin who was transferred
Celeste,	Social Worker/Non-CST	9/30/24	\$64,985*	Replacing Arelis Tapia-
Julia	CLIN – 1.0 FTE	6/30/25		Vargas who was reassigned
Elhouar,	T 5	9/30/24	\$73,585*	Replacing Jody-Ann
Wassim	CLIN – 1.0 FTE	6/30/25		Robinson who resigned
Frankel,	T Spanish	TBD	\$76,185*	Replacing Michelle
Erin	<i>SOM</i> − 1.0 <i>FTE</i>	6/30/25		Witrock who resigned
Massey-Rodriguez,+	T Dance	11/25/24 or sooner	\$81,185	Replacing Caroline
Kenya	MM - 1.0 FTE	6/30/25		Ogando who resigned
Murray,	School Social Worker	10/1/24	\$66,985*	Replacing Genelle
Carolyn	MM - 1.0 FTE	6/30/25		Gutierrez who resigned
Panzone,	Clerk	7/1/24	\$15.13	Annual Appointment
Janine	DIST – 1.0 FTE	6/30/25	(per hour)	
Schwartz,	T SPED/LLD	9/30/24	\$86,385*	Replacing Marjhani Simpson
Lisa	MM-1.0~FTE	6/30/25		who was transferred

^{*} Salary based on the SOMEA 2023-24 salary guide

⁺ Pending receipt of appropriate NJ Certification

4656 D. APPOINTMENT OF LEAVE REPLACEMENT STAFF

(This employment is conditional and subject to the disclosure requirement; pending compliance with NJ Public Law 2018, Chapter 5)

NAME	ASSIGNMENT	EFFECTIVE	ACTUAL	BACKGROUND
		DATE	SALARY	
Ford,	LR T SS	9/23/24	\$91,585*	Filling in while Kristie
Brian	CHS – 1.0 FTE	5/2/25		Thomas is out on leave
Semler,+	LR SAC	TBD	\$68,985*	Filling in while Michael
Mary Clare	CHS – 1.0 FTE	4/25/25		Loupis is out on leave

^{*} Salary based on the SOMEA 2023-24 salary guide

4656 E. RESCIND APPOINTMENT

(This employment is conditional and subject to the disclosure requirement; pending compliance with NJ Public Law 2018, Chapter 5)

NAME	ASSIGNMENT	EFFECTIVE	ACTUAL	BACKGROUND
		DATE	SALARY	
Adamczyk,	T 4	9/16/24 or sooner	\$81,385*	Replacing Allison
Rachel	CLIN – 1.0 FTE	6/30/25		Kessler-Slavin
Peterson, +	T Math	TBD	\$81,185*	Replacing Brenda
Richard	CHS – 1.0 FTE	6/30/25		Lizarraga who resigned

^{*} Salary based on the SOMEA 2023-24 salary guide

4656 F. ADMINISTRATIVE LEAVE

NAME	EFFECTIVE DATE	
Employee # 4334	10/25/23-9/3/24	
	(w/pay)	

4656 G. CHANGE IN START DATE

NAME	ASSIGNMENT	OLD START	NEW START
		DATE	DATE
Contaldi,	LR T 4	9/16/24	9/5/24
Kyle	SB - 1.0 FTE		
Dominguez,	School Counselor	10/28/24 or sooner	9/23/24
Leana	MM - 1.0 FTE		
Dymond,	School Social Worker	TBD	9/10/24
Madison	DB/MAR - 1.0 FTE		
Facto,	School Counselor	11/4/24 or sooner	10/1/24
Kate	<i>CHS</i> – 1.0 <i>FTE</i>		
Garcia,	T Music	10/29/24 or sooner	9/1/24
Ana	DB – 1.0 FTE		
Theall,	T SPED/ABA	9/24/24 or sooner	9/30/24
Carlotta	CLIN – 1.0 FTE		
Wagor,	T SS	9/16/24 or sooner	9/11/24
Benjamin	CHS - 1.0 FTE		

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Zabiega,	Asst. Business Administrator	TBD	11/4/24
Andrew	DIST – 1.0 FTE		

4656 H. CHANGE IN END DATE

NAME	ASSIGNMENT	OLD END	NEW END
		DATE	DATE
Arthurs,	School Counselor	10/7/24	10/2/24
Ariana	<i>CHS</i> – 1.0 <i>FTE</i>		
Bell,	LR T 4	11/12/24	11/13/24
Krista	$TUS-1.0\ FTE$		

4656 I. TRANSFER/REASSIGNMENT

NAME	OLD ASSIGNMENT	NEW ASSIGNMENT	EFFECTIVE
			DATE
Quintchett,	T SPED/EBR	T SPED/EBR	9/1/24
Amanda	$DB/CL - 1.0 \; FTE$	<i>TUS – 1.0 FTE</i>	
Simpson,	T SPED/LLD	T SPED/INC Gr. 5	9/30/24
Marjhani	MM-1.0~FTE	CLIN – 1.0 FTE	

4656 J. LEAVES OF ABSENCE

NAME	ASSIGNMENT	EFFECTIVE DATE	
De Gironimo,	Speech/Language Specialist 9/3/24-10/14/24		
Jillian	CLIN – 1.0 FTE	(Unpaid NJ FLA)	
Goldstein,	School Counselor	8/12/24-9/11/24 (1/2 day)	
Kelli	MM (Paid Sick Days)		
	1.0 FTE	1.0 FTE 9/11/24 (1/2 day) -10/30/24	
		(Unpaid FMLA)	
Haldeman,	T SPED/INC	9/2/24-11/29/24	
Sarah	SB – 1.0 FTE	(Unpaid Childcare Leave)	

4656 K. SALARY ADJUSTMENTS

NAME	ASSIGNMENT	EFFECTIV	ADJUSTMENT	ACTUAL
		E DATE		SALARY
Camina,	TV Arts	9/9/24	+\$22,167	\$136,502
Diane	CHS – 1.2 FTE	6/20/25		
Campiglia,	TV Arts	9/9/24	+\$21,027	\$129,162
Anthony	CHS – 1.2 FTE	6/30/25		
Ioannidis,	T Business	9/9/24	+\$13,206	\$90,891
Gisell	CHS – 1.2. FTE	6/30/25	(paid at 17%)	
Muirhead,	T Business	9/9/24	+\$14,717	\$88,302
Ryan	CHS – 1.2 FTE	6/30/25		
Wilson,	T Business	9/9/24	+\$12,317	\$73,902
Veronica	CHS – 1.2 FTE	6/30/25		
Chance,	T SPED	9/5/24	+\$15,757	\$94,542
Raemona	SOM – 1.2 FTE	6/30/25		

DeLeon,	T Math	9/5/24	+\$15,237	\$91,422
Christina	SOM – 1.2 FTE	6/30/25		
Ramey,	T SPED	9/5/24	+\$16,777	\$100,662
Joelle	SOM – 1.2 FTE	6/30/25		
Thaler,	Food Services	10/1/24	+\$11,188	\$95,000
Colleen	Director	6/30/25		
	DIST – 1.0 FTE			
Copeland,	Clerical Aide	9/3-9/10/24	\$7.81	\$46.86
Jeanette	DB – 1.0 FTE	(6 hours)	(per hour)	,
Bean-Folkes,	ELA Supervisor	1/22-2/6/24	\$50.00	\$2,250
Dr. Jane	CHS – 1.0 FTE	(45 hours)	(per hour)	Ψ 2,2 00
Hamilton,	T PE/H	9/5-9/30/24	\$68.43	\$1,231.74
Erik	CHS2 FTE	(18 days)	(per day)	φ1,251.77
Pruden,	T PE/H	9/5-9/30/24	\$66,43	\$1,195.70
Christopher	CHS2 FTE	(18 days)	(per day)	φ1,193.70
	T PE/H	9/5-9/30/24	\$116.82	\$2,102.76
Shannon,				\$2,102.70
Robert	CHS2 FTE	(18 days)	(per day)	¢120.662
Boni,	TSS	9/9/24	+\$21,027	\$129,662
Jeffrey	CHS - 1.2 FTE	6/30/25	412.505	401.704
Luzzi,	T SS	9/9/24	+\$13,597	\$81,582
Christina	CHS – 1.2 FTE	6/30/25		
Rubenstein,	T SS	9/9/24	+\$21,027	\$129.662
Jon	CHS – 1.2 FTE	6/30/25		
Soliman,	TSS	9/9/24	+\$13,137	\$78,822
Monica	<i>CHS</i> – 1.2 <i>FTE</i>	6/30/25		
Stevens,	TSS	9/9/24	+\$13,397	\$80,382
Molly	CHS – 1.2 FTE	6/30/25		
Regler,	T SPED	9/9/24	+\$14,457	\$89,742
James	<i>CHS</i> – 1.2 <i>FTE</i>	6/30/25		
Abdelhadi,	T Math	9/9/24	+\$21,027	\$129,662
Mazin	CHS – 1.2 FTE	6/30/25	, ,	,
Noonan,	T Math	9/9/24	+\$19,087	\$117,522
Pamela	CHS – 1.2 FTE	6/30/25	1 \$12,007	Ψ117,522
Perez,	T Math	9/9/24	+\$16,237	\$97,422
Jorge	CHS – 1.2 FTE	6/30/25	ι ψ10,237	Ψ27, 422
Pociask,	T Math	9/9/24	+\$17,873	\$123,008
John	CHS – 1.2 FTE	6/30/25		\$125,000
			(paid at 17%)	¢111 242
Seiferheld,	T Math	9/9/24	+\$18,557	\$111,342
Karen	CHS – 1.2 FTE	6/30/25	¢00.42	Ø1 44C 04
Carter,	School Social Worker CHS – .2 FTE	9/9-9/30/24	\$90.43	\$1,446.84
Leigh		(16 days)	(per day)	41.620.10
Cifuentes,	LDTC	9/9-9/30/24	\$101.76	\$1,628.18
Katherine	CHS – .2 FTE	(16 days)	(per day)	
Palmieri,	LDTC	9/9-9/30/24	\$87.54	\$1,400.62
Samantha	CHS – .2 FTE	(16 days)	(per day)	
Speth,	School Psychologist	9/9-9/30/24	\$125.37	\$2,005.96
Gregory	CHS – .2 FTE	(16 days)	(per day)	
Velder,	School Psychologist	9/9-9/30/24	\$125.37	\$2,005.96
David	CHS – .2 FTE	(16 days)	(per day)	
Bachenheimer,	T SCI/B	9/9/24	+\$3,768	\$114,603
Stacey	CHS – 1.04 FTE	6/30/25	(paid @17%)	

Biasucci,	T SCI/B	9/9/24	+\$8,411	\$113,546
Amy	CHS – 1.08 FTE	6/30/24		, ,
Silver,	T SCI/B	9/9/24	+\$9,322	\$87,007
Bianca	CHS – 1.12 FTE	6/30/25		,
Berry,	T Math	9/9/24	+\$15,586	\$107,266
Rashida	CHS – 1.2 FTE	6/30/25	(paid at 17%)	,
Bucher,	T SCI/C	9/9/24	+\$18,842	\$129,677
Carole Anne	CHS – 1.2 FTE	6/30/25	(paid at 17%)	,
Сарриссі,	T Art	9/13/24	+\$14,717	\$88,302
Alexandra	CHS – 1.2 FTE	1/27/25		,
Anderson-Ellis,	T SPED	9/9/24	+\$16,351	\$112,536
Shawna	CHS – 1.2 FTE	6/30/25	(paid at 17%)	
Ashe,	T SPED	9/9/24	+\$18,837	\$113,022
Joanne	CHS – 1.2 FTE	6/30/25		
Brown,	T SPED	9/9/24	+\$16,282	\$112,057
Kathleen	CHS – 1.2 FTE	6/30/25	(paid at 17%)	
D'Alessio,	T SPED	9/9/24	+\$17,873	\$127,008
Tara	CHS – 1.2 FTE	6/30/25	(paid at 17%)	
Degioia,	T SPED	9/9/24	+\$12,951	\$89,136
Damiana	CHS – 1.2 FTE	6/30/25	(paid at 17%)	
Falk,	T SPED	9/9/24	+\$16,385	\$112,770
Suzanne	CHS – 1.2 FTE	6/30/25	(paid at 17%)	
Fleming,	T SPED	9/9/24	+\$15,586	\$107,266
Aprell	CHS – 1.2 FTE	6/30/25	(paid at 17%)	
Gallof,	T SPED	9/9/24	+\$16,224	\$111,659
Pamela	CHS – 1.2 FTE	6/30/25	(paid at 17%)	
Hatchell,	T SPED	9/9/24	+\$17,660	\$121,540
Lucinda	CHS – 1.2 FTE	6/30/25	(paid at 17%)	
Jacobi,	T SPED	9/9/24	+\$12,509	\$86,094
Marissa	<i>CHS</i> – 1.2 <i>FTE</i>	6/30/25	(paid at 17%)	
Obasi,	T SPED	9/9/24	+\$17,677	\$106,062
Mabel	<i>CHS</i> – 1.2 <i>FTE</i>	6/30/25		
Passanante,	T SPED	9/9/24	+\$16,011	\$110,196
John	<i>CHS</i> – 1.2 <i>FTE</i>	6/30/25	(paid at 17%)	
Pela,	T SPED	9/9/24	+\$19,636	\$117,816
Ronald	<i>CHS</i> – 1.2 <i>FTE</i>	6/30/25		
Quinn,	T SPED	9/9/24	+\$16,011	\$110,196
Robin	<i>CHS</i> – 1.2 <i>FTE</i>	6/30/25	(paid at 17%)	
Reichenstein,	T SPED	9/9/24	+\$15,537	\$93,222
Steven	CHS – 1.2 FTE	6/30/25		
Rodriguez,	T SPED	9/9/24	+\$12,067	\$83,052
Antonio	CHS – 1.2 FTE	6/30/25	(paid at 17%)	
Sampson,	T SPED	9/9/24	+\$17,660	\$121.540
Mercedeh	CHS – 1.2 FTE	6/30/25	(paid at 17%)	
Schiavo,	T SPED	9/9/24	+\$19,717	\$118,302
Lynn	CHS – 1.2 FTE	6/30/25		
Simon,	T SPED	9/9/24	+\$15,773	\$108,558
Kenneth	CHS – 1.2 FTE	6/30/25	(paid at 17%)	
Stradford,	T SPED	9/9/24	+\$15,399	\$105,984
Karen	CHS – 1.2 FTE	6/30/25	(paid at 17%)	

Stradford,	T SPED	9/9/24	+\$19,182	\$135,517
Lynn	<i>CHS</i> − 1.2 <i>FTE</i>	6/30/25	(paid at 17%)	

4656 L. STIPENDS

NAME	NAME ASSIGNMENT		ACTUAL
		DATE	SALARY
Colatruglio,	Safety Patrol	9/1/24	\$3,386
Angela	SM - 1.0 FTE	6/30/25	
Ducharme,	Bus Duty	9/1/24	\$1,015.80
Michelle	SM3 FTE	6/30/25	·
Dynega,	Bus Duty	9/1/24	\$3,386
Nicole	SMA - 1.0 FTE	6/30/25	
	Elementary Subject Leader: ELA	9/1/4	\$3,335
	SMA – 1.0 FTE	6/30/25	
Jones,	Elementary Subject Leader: Math	9/1/24	\$3,335
Brent	SM - 1.0 FTE	6/30/25	
Jones,	Bus Duty	9/1/24	\$1,693
Kathy	SM5 FTE	6/30/25	
Kaesshaefer,	Bus Duty	9/1/24	\$2,031.60
Jeff	SM6 FTE	6/30/25	
Pitt,	Elementary Subject Leader: ELA	9/1/24	\$3,335
Kathleen	SM - 1.0 FTE	6/30/25	. ,
Portnoff,	Dist. Soc Work/Parenting Center	9/1/24	\$3,975
Julia	DIST – 1.0 FTE	6/30/25	. ,
Salvas,	Bus Duty	9/1/24	\$3,386
Christine	SMA – 1.0 FTE	6/30/25	. ,
	Elementary Subject Leader: Math	9/1/24	\$3,335
	SMA – 1.0 FTE	6/30/25	·
Tait,	Bus Duty	9/1/24	\$2,031.60
Richard	SM6 FTE	6/30/25	·
Harris,	Scenery Construction	9/1/24	\$1,983.80
Elizabeth	SOM7 FTE	6/30/25	·
	Musical/Drama	9/1/24	\$6,533
	SOM – 1.0 FTE	6/30/25	·
Chirlo,	Production	9/1/24	\$4,966
Nicole	SOM – 1.0 FTE	6/30/25	
	Scenery Construction	9/1/24	\$850.20
	SOM3 FTE	6/30/25	
McGlotten,	Scenery Design	9/1/24	\$2,834
Lynn	SOM – 1.0 FTE	6/30/25	
Hicks,	Lead Counselor	10/1/24	TBD
Marcia	CHS – 1.0 FTE	6/30/25	
Mooney-Chavez,	Lead Counselor	10/1/24	TBD
Danielle	CHS – 1.0 FTE	6/30/25	

4656 M. STAFF FUNDED BY PRESCHOOL EDUCATION EXPANSION AID (PEEA)

NAME	ASSIGNMENT	EFFECTIVE DATE	ACTUAL SALARY
Burns, Nicole	Preschool Secretary MONT – 1.0 FTE	7/1/24 6/30/25	\$64,708
Kelly-Lewis, Tashmirah	ACCT# 20.218.200.105.MO.5900 Preschool Teacher MONT – 1.0 FTE	9/1/24 6/30/25	\$63,385
China-Richardson	ACCT# 20.218.100.101.MO.5900 Preschool Secretary	7/1/24	\$71,665
Felicia	DIST – 1.0 FTE ACCT# 20.218.200.105.MO.5900	6/30/25	Ψ/1,002
Cruz, Olivia	PIRT Specialist MONT – 1.0 FTE ACCT# 20.218.200.104.MO.5900	9/1/24 6/30/25	\$83,885
Donovan, Kelly	Preschool Teacher MONT – 1.0 FTE ACCT# 20.218.100.101.MO.5900	9/1/24 6/30/25	\$76,185
Field, Stacey	Master Teacher DIST – 1.0 FTE ACCT# 20.218.200.176.MO.5900	9/1/24 6/30/25	\$81,385
Gaymes, Jennifer	Nurse MONT – 1.0 FTE ACCT# 20.218.200.104.MO.5900	9/1/24 6/30/25	\$\$90,585
Johnson, III Leroy	Director Early Childhood MONT – 1.0 FTE ACCT# 20.218.200.103.MO.5900	7/1/24 6/30/25	\$143,144
Lane-Mega, Lataeya	Parent/Family Liaison Teacher MONT – 1.0 FTE ACCT# 20.218.100.101.MO.5900	9/1/24 6/30/25	\$68,985
Leary, Karen	Master Teacher DIST – 1.0 FTE ACCT# 20.218.200.176.MO.5900	9/1/24 6/30/25	\$108,135
Marfo, Mikita	Preschool Teacher MONT – 1.0 FTE ACCT# 20.218.100.101.MO.5900	9/1/24 6/30/25	\$73,585
Milligan, Rebecca	PIRT Specialist DIST – 1.0 FTE ACCT# 20.218.200.104.MO.5900	9/1/24 6/30/25	\$114,335
Joyner-Isibor, Taliah	Preschool Social Worker MONT – 1.0 FTE ACCT# 20.218.100.101.MO.5900	9/1/24 6/30/25	\$92,785
Simpkins, Dashanda	Preschool Teacher MONT – 1.0 FTE ACCT# 20.218.100.101.MO.5900	9/1/24 6/30/25	\$81,385
Pribula, Yisel	Preschool Teacher MONT – 1.0 FTE ACCT# 20.218.100.101.MO.5900	9/1/24 6/30/25	\$91,680
White, LaWanda	Nurse MONT – 1.0 FTE ACCT# 20.218.200.104.MO.5900	9/1/24 6/30/25	\$86,385

4656 N. STAFF FUNDED BY TITLE 1 FUNDS

NAME	ASSIGNMENT	EFFECTIVE	ACTUAL
		DATE	SALARY
Solas,	Teacher	9/1/24	\$66,623
Kelli	CLIN – 74.53 FTE	6/30/25	
	ACCT# 20.231.100.101.CLIN.0231		
Friedrich,	Teacher	9/1/24	\$45,132
Donna	SB – 41.35 FTE	6/30/25	
	ACCT# 20.231.100.101.SB.0231		
Monero,	Teacher	9/1/24	\$58,026
Bianca	MM – 62.54 FTE	6/30/25	
	ACCT# 20.231.100.101.MM.0231		

4656 O. STAFF FUNDED BY TITLE 11-A FUNDS

NAME	ASSIGNMENT	EFFECTIVE	ACTUAL
		DATE	SALARY
Marrese,	Teacher	9/1/24	\$33,233
Jaclyn	CHS – 57.31FTE	6/30/25	
	ACCT# 20.274.100.101.GR.0274		
Silver,	Teacher	9/1/24	\$33,232
Bianca	CHS – 42.78 FTE	6/30/25	
	ACCT# 20.274.100.101.GR.0274		

4656 P. SUMMER WORK

NAME	ASSIGNMENT	EFFECTIVE	SALARY
		DATE	
Clyburn,	School Counselor	8/23-8/27/24	\$463.93
Brian	CHS – 10 FTE	(up to 3 days)	(per day)
Fleming,	School Counselor	8/23-8/27/24	\$525.68
Yolande	CHS - 1.0 FTE	(up to 3 days)	(per day)
McDowell,	School Counselor	8/23-8/27/24	\$519.40
Jennifer	CHS - 1.0 FTE	(up to 3 days)	(per day)
Mooney-Chavez,	School Counselor	8/23-8/27/24	\$452.93
Danielle	CHS - 1.0 FTE	(up to 3 days)	(per day)