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Rodney Moore
Principal of Jane Edwards Elementary

Rodney Moore Joining Jane Edwards as Principal for the 2018-2019 School Year

Charleston, SC — Charleston County School District (CCSD) is proud to announce and welcome Rodney Moore as principal of Jane Edwards Elementary School. Moore will take over for current principal, Susan Miles, a 40-year education veteran who is set to retire this June.

A dedicated and decorated educator, Moore brings over 20 years of experience to his new position. Over the past several years as CCSD's science curriculum coordinator, Moore has played an integral role in bringing STEM (science, technology, engineering, and math) education into the classroom across all grade levels and enhancing students' educational experience through project- and problem-based learning (PBL) in conjunction with local community partners.

Moore began his career in CCSD as a middle school science teacher at Drayton Hall [Middle] in 1991. Nearly seven years later, Moore transitioned to become a physics and physical science instructor at Middleton High, during which time he also served as an adjunct professor at The Citadel and on the state's Palmetto Area Achievement Test Committee and Educational Oversight Committee.

In the early 2000's, Moore joined CCSD's administrative team, taking his instructional talents and applying them to curriculum and professional development for the district. As an elementary and middle school learning specialist, Moore was instrumental in the coordination, development, and modeling of best practices and strategies for science teachers, and the writing of high school physical science and biology curriculum. He also coordinated all science curriculum activities and provided guidance and supervision to all science teachers within the district.

In 2007, Moore was led back to serving children at the school-level and took the position of assistant principal at James Island Middle. The following year, he became the principal of Angel Oak Elementary where he remained until rejoining district administration as the science curriculum coordinator in 2013.

"Congratulations to Rodney Moore, a proven CCSD leader whose service has included work as a building administrator and district science coordinator, on being selected as principal of Jane Edwards Elementary School," said Gerrita Postlewait, CCSD Superintendent of Schools. "We are excited about the expertise and leadership skills Mr. Moore will bring the school."

Moore is an accomplished educator, academic, and professional having authored several publications, presented at numerous state and national conferences and institutions, and received state and district honors such as the CCSD Star Principal Award, the CCSD Innovating School Award, the South Carolina Department of Education Palmetto Gold and Silver School Award, and Drayton Hall Middle School's Teacher of the Year Award.

Moore holds a Bachelor of Science in Education from the State University of New York at Brockport, a Master of Education in Administration and Supervision from Charleston Southern University, and numerous post graduate study hours from The Citadel, Charleston University, Furman, and the University of South Carolina.

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About the Charleston County School District

Charleston County School District (CCSD) is the second largest school system in South Carolina representing a unique blend of urban, suburban, and rural schools that span 1,000 square miles along the coast. CCSD serves more than 50,000 students in 86 schools and specialized programs. With approximately 6,100 employees district-wide, CCSD is the fourth largest employer in the region.

CCSD offers a diverse, expanding portfolio of options and specialized programs, delivered through neighborhood, charter, magnet, IB (international baccalaureate), and Montessori schools, and is divided into three Learning Communities. Options include specialized programs in science, engineering and mathematics; liberal arts; music and other creative and performing arts; career and technical preparation programs; and military and other public service enterprises.