WOODBRIDGE SCHOOL DISTRICT



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Vonda J. Tencza - Superintendent

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Dear Beecher Road School Community,

I am pleased to share that at our July 17th Board of Education meeting last evening, the Board appointed Mrs. Cheryl Tafel as Assistant Principal of Beecher Road School. Cheryl joins our strong administrative team of Principal – Analisa Sherman, Assistant Principal – Jimmy Sapia, and Director of Special Services – Carrie Borcherding.

Cheryl comes to us with many years of special education teaching experience in a variety of elementary and middle school grade levels. Cheryl has a BA in Special Education/Elementary Education, a MA in Teaching, and a 6th Year in SEAL (Social, Emotional and Academic Learning) for Social Justice Leadership from Sacred Heart University. Most recently, Cheryl served in the Fairfield Public Schools as an Elementary Program Facilitator, conducting many of the same responsibilities she will have as our Assistant Principal. The interview committee was impressed with Cheryl's expertise, friendly approach, value of relationships, and focus on what is best for children.

Cheryl officially starts with us on August 1, 2023. With this amazing leadership team in place, we are excited to see what great things happen this school year. We look forward to welcoming everyone back on our first day of school on August 28, 2023.

Sincerely,

Vonda J. Tencza Superintendent