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Madeira's New Staff Orientation

A tradition at Madeira City Schools, the district's annual New Staff Orientation was held on August 9 to welcome the newest members of the Madeira school family.

After coffee and bagels, the day began with an introduction and overview of the district's goals, mission and vision by Superintendent Kenji Matsudo and Assistant Superintendent Dave Bergan. The new employees were then introduced to cash handling and purchasing policies by Treasurer/CFO Emily Hauser, followed by introductions on procedures by Administrative Assistant to the Superintendent Lora Graziani, Public Relations Director Diane Nichols, and Student Services Director Jessica Hunter. After a tour of the city and schools in Madeira, the new employees were treated to lunch before returning for meetings with classroom teachers and mentors. The orientation was held courtesy of the Board of Education.



2023-2024 New Madeira Staff (l to r) Row 1: Hayley Baker (Middle School Special Ed EA), Sarah Kiefer (Middle School STEAM), Cody Delk (High School Science), Katie Dunn (Elementary School STEAM), Jennifer Wagner (Middle School Special Ed EA), Christin Bohrofen (Elementary School Counselor), Tiare Saylor (Elementary School Grade 2), Megan Miller (Preschool half time teacher), Crystallyn Howlett (Elementary School Special Ed EA). **Row 2:** Kim Janning (Preschool half time aide), Sam Rust (CCHMC), Taylor McNally (Elementary School Music), Kathryn Thomas (Elementary School Grade 1), Casondra Mobley (High School Administrative Assistant), Elizabeth Ragland (Elementary School First Grade teacher), Sara Gehring (Elementary School Assistant Principal), Jennifer Hesselbrock (High School Nurse), Crystal Smith (Preschool Aide), Seana Whapham (Board Office Accounts Payable), Linda Otero Mendoza (Preschool Aide), Jairlyn Paugh (Middle School /High School Speech Language Pathologist), Terri Murdock (Middle School Special Ed EA), and Rachel McDonald (Elementary School Grade 5 Math). **Not pictured:** Amy Miller (preschool Aide), and Justin Chafe (Elementary School Aide).