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## Media Release



**George R. White**  
Interim Principal of Morningside Middle

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## **New interim principal named at Morningside Middle**

**Charleston, SC** – Charleston County School District (CCSD) is proud to announce George R. White as interim principal at Morningside Middle School. White has served as an assistant principal at Morningside since 2012.

An accomplished educator and administrator, White boasts experience in curriculum development and implementation, educational leadership and supervision, and school operations. He excels in creating and sustaining innovative instructional strategies to help increase student academic performance and fostering meaningful and effective relationships with community partners and families.

“Having made significant positive impacts on the students and families at Morningside during his tenure there as an assistant principal, we knew Mr. White was a great fit to step into this interim role mid-year,” said Deputy Superintendent Anita Huggins.

White began his career in CCSD in 2004 as a teacher assistant. He became a classroom teacher at the beginning of the 2006-2007 school year and served in that capacity for six years. Having demonstrated excellent instructional skills and leadership in the classroom, White was selected to become an assistant principal in the district in 2012. He has served in his role for the past 11 years.

“We are excited to have Mr. White as principal and to be able to provide continuity for our scholars and staff with the placement of a strong and

familiar leader for the school,” said Associate Superintendent for Acceleration Schools Jackie Haynes.

White earned his Bachelor of Arts in English from Benedict College and his Master of Arts in Education/Administration and Supervision from the University of Phoenix. He completed the South Carolina Alternative Certification Program for Teaching Licensure.

For more information, contact the Office of Communications at (843) 937-6303.

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#### **About the Charleston County School District**

Charleston County School District (CCSD), a nationally-accredited school district, is the second largest school system in South Carolina representing a unique blend of urban, suburban, and rural schools spanning 1,300 square miles along the coast. CCSD serves more than 50,000 students in 87 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.