

January 31, 2025

CELEBRATING EXCELLENCE IN TEACHING

Dear MUSD Parents,

Great news! This week, we recognized three outstanding educators who newly earned or renewed their **National Board Teacher Certification**, bringing the MUSD total to 24 NBCTs districtwide!

- 🌞 **Dr. Kristin Owczarzak**, Santa Cruz Elementary School
- * Staci Blaszkowski, Desert Wind Middle School
- * Denise Palmer, Pima Butte Elementary School

We believe great teachers shape great futures, and our National Board Certified Teachers exemplify the very best in education. If you are—or know—an educator looking for a district that supports growth, values expertise, and celebrates excellence, we're hiring! Learn more about joining our team at mused20.org/jobs.

Congratulations to our newest and renewed NBCTs! Your commitment to students and your craft makes a lasting difference.

Thank you for choosing MUSD.

Sincerely,

Dr. Tracey Lopeman, Superintendent

Maricopa Unified School District

