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Cristina Frazzano
Principal of Ladson Elementary School

Cristina Frazzano Named Principal of Ladson Elementary School

Charleston, SC - Charleston County School District (CCSD) is pleased to announce that Cristina Frazzano has been named the next principal of Ladson Elementary School (Grades 1–5), effective July 7, 2025. Janet Brown will remain on the same campus to serve as the principal of the new primary school for the Child Development (Pre-K) and Kindergarten grades, maintaining the successful dual-campus leadership model that supports the unique developmental needs of early learners and upper elementary students.

Frazzano brings more than 25 years of experience in elementary education and school leadership. She most recently served as an elementary school principal in the Morris School District in Morristown, NJ, where her leadership resulted in strong academic performance and consistent gains in student achievement. She is known for building strong school communities, focusing on instruction, and connecting to families. She is also bilingual in English and Spanish, allowing her to communicate even more effectively with the diverse school community members.

In addition to her role as a principal, Frazzano also served as the district's Multilingual Coordinator, where she led curriculum development, supervised academic programs, and provided leadership coaching to school administrators. Her work has contributed to measurable growth in student performance and teacher effectiveness across the district.

"Cristina Frazzano is a results-driven leader with a deep knowledge of instruction and a strong record of supporting staff and students," said Anita Huggins,

Superintendent of Schools. "We are confident her experience and leadership will benefit the Ladson Elementary community."

Frazzano holds multiple education certifications and has presented at regional leadership conferences on school improvement strategies and instructional design. She earned her Master of Arts in Administration and Supervision from Montclair State University and her undergraduate degree in Elementary Education from Saint Joseph's University.

CCSD looks forward to welcoming Cristina Frazzano and continuing the strong partnership between the primary and elementary school-level programs to ensure a successful experience for all students.

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About the Charleston County School District

Charleston County School District (CCSD) is a nationally accredited school district committed to providing equitable and quality educational opportunities for all its students. CCSD is the second-largest school system in South Carolina and represents a unique blend of urban, suburban, and rural schools spanning 1,300 square miles along the coast. CCSD serves approximately 50,000 students in 88 schools and specialized programs.

CCSD offers a diverse portfolio of educational options and specialized programs delivered to the students of CCSD through neighborhood, magnet, IB (international baccalaureate), Montessori, and charter schools and programs. Rich educational opportunities for students include programs in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM); music and other creative and performing arts; career and technical preparation programs; military; dual credit; and many more.