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Patrick Holladay Named Principal of Carroll High School

Southlake, Tx. - Carroll ISD is pleased to announce the appointment of Patrick Holladay as the new principal of Carroll High School. Mr. Holladay brings over 25 years of experience in education, including an extensive background in secondary instruction and campus leadership across several North Texas districts.

Mr. Holladay most recently served as the principal of Johnson Elementary School, where he has led the district's oldest and largest elementary campus with a steady focus on academic excellence, student well-being, and parent partnership. During his tenure, Johnson Elementary continued to thrive as a supportive and high-achieving learning environment for Dragons in their foundational years.

While Mr. Holladay has made a lasting impact at the elementary level, his teaching roots are firmly planted in secondary education. He taught high school mathematics for two decades, inspiring students in classrooms across Richland High School, Newman Smith High School, DeSoto High School, and more. In addition to his classroom work, he also served as a coach and department chair, helping shape both academic and extracurricular programs.

Prior to joining Carroll ISD, he served for six years as an assistant principal at Mansfield ISD's Donna Shepard Intermediate Leadership Academy and Tarver-Rendon Elementary School, where he supported instruction, teacher development, and student growth.

"Mr. Holladay is a strong instructional leader with a proven track record in secondary education," said Superintendent Dr. Jeremy Glenn. "His depth of experience, calm leadership, and wholehearted commitment to students make him an excellent fit to lead Carroll High School forward."

Throughout his career, Holladay has been recognized for his work in instructional support, master scheduling, campus safety, student discipline, and academic data analysis. He holds a Master of Education in Educational Administration from Tarleton State University and is a certified Texas Principal and T-TESS appraiser.

"I am honored and excited to serve the students, staff, and families of Carroll High School," said Holladay. "This opportunity to return to the secondary level within such a high-performing district is incredibly meaningful. I look forward to building on the legacy of excellence that defines Dragon Nation."

Please join us in welcoming Principal Patrick Holladay to his new role at Carroll High School!

