



## GRANT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 3

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### **PRESS RELEASE**

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## *Grant School District #3 Announces Incoming Elementary Principal*

*Rhonda McCumber*

*March 12, 2026*

Grant School District #3 is pleased to announce the selection of Rhonda McCumber as the incoming Elementary Principal serving both Humbolt and Seneca schools. The Board of Directors unanimously approved her appointment during the regularly scheduled board meeting on March 11, 2026.

Ms. McCumber brings extensive experience and a deep understanding of public education to the role. Over the course of her career, she has served in a wide range of positions including cook, custodian, instructional aide, special education teacher, volleyball coach, special education director, elementary principal, and superintendent. Her diverse background and commitment to student success will be valuable as the district continues implementing its strategic plan to provide high-quality service to students and families.

Superintendent-select **Rebecca Nordtvedt**, who led the hiring committee, shared her enthusiasm for the selection, stating, “Rhonda leads with a servant’s heart and a genuine commitment to supporting others. Her leadership reflects a belief that strong schools are built through relationships, service, and collaboration, and I am confident she will provide steady, thoughtful leadership for Humbolt Elementary for many years to come.”

Incoming elementary principal Rhonda McCumber shared the following statement, “I have a long history with Grant School District 3, and I’m truly honored and excited to return and serve the Humbolt and Seneca Elementary communities. I look forward to working alongside our staff and families to support our students and continue the strong traditions of the school.”

Board Chair Will Blood added, “I am very excited to welcome Rhonda to Humbolt Elementary and our district’s administration team. Rhonda rounds out our second administrative change going into the 26/27 school year, along with new Superintendent Beccy Nordtvedt. With Shanna Northway already established and doing great things at Grant Union, solid, proven, and reliable leadership is in place in the three most critical positions of Grant School District #3 for years to come. I anticipate all three of these outstanding leaders will be integral in the success of our district in the coming years, especially as it relates to developing the next three years of our strategic plan, and the continuous commitment to seeing every student in Grant School District #3 succeed. “

**Rhonda McCumber** will officially start her duties as the Principal of Humbolt and Seneca Elementary Schools August 1, 2026.

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