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TUSD Names West High School Assistant Principal

(TRACY, CA) – The Tracy Unified School District has announced that Jay Fishburn will join the assistant principal team at West High School, starting in the 2026-2027 school year.

Fishburn began his career with TUSD in 1995 as a substitute teacher and became a permanent employee in 1997. During those years, he taught History in the Ag/Science Academy as well as the International Baccalaureate program at Tracy High School; was the Lead Teacher for Excel which was a program at Tracy High; and taught in the One Program for San Joaquin County Office of Alternative Education.

Recently, Fishburn was named Athletic Director of Kimball High School. Fishburn also proudly served 16 years in the United States Army Reserve where he participated in Operation Joint Forge and Operation Iraqi Freedom. He coached Freshman and JV Football and Track and Field, both at Tracy High School and looks forward to continuing to positively impact students in this administrative role.

Fishburn earned his Bachelor of Arts Degree in History from California State University, Chico and his Master's in Educational Administration with a Preliminary Services Credential from National University, San Diego.

Jay Fishburn has dedicated nearly three decades to serving Tracy Unified students, families, and staff with integrity, commitment, and a passion for education," said Superintendent Dr. Rob Pecot. "His extensive experience as a teacher, coach, athletic director, and military veteran has prepared him well for this leadership role. We are excited to welcome Jay to the West High School administrative team and look forward to the positive impact he will continue to make in the lives of our students."

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