

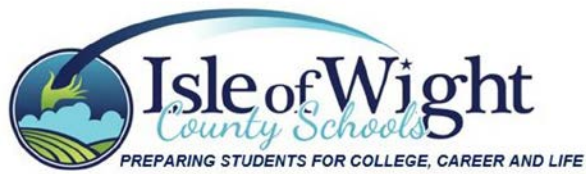
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## **Isle of Wight County Schools Announces Changes to Strengthen School Leadership**

**Isle of Wight Co., VA – May 25, 2018:** Isle of Wight County Schools announces additional administrative changes in preparation for the 2018-2019 school year. All of these changes will take effect July 1.

- Dawn Carroll has been named Assistant Principal at Windsor High School. She is currently in her first year as Assistant Principal with Carrollton Elementary School.
- Kristy Buggs has been named Assistant Principal at Carrollton Elementary School. Buggs has served in the same role at Windsor Elementary since 2015.
- Erin Luck is moving to Windsor Elementary School as the new Assistant Principal. Luck has been a teacher at Hardy Elementary since 2016.
- Danielle Hewitt and Jeffrey Christiansen have been named Assistant Principals for Smithfield High School. Hewitt comes from Westside Elementary where she has served as a sixth grade teacher since 2008. Christiansen has been an Assistant Principal at Georgie Tyler Middle School for the past two years.
- Jason Wheeler has been named Assistant Principal at Westside Elementary School. Wheeler comes to Isle of Wight from Craig County Public Schools where he served as a Middle School Coordinator and Social Studies Teacher.
- Stephanie Andrus has been named Assistant Principal at Hardy Elementary School. She is a Reading Specialist with Newport News Public Schools.
- Kristen Wilkins has been named Assistant Principal at Georgie Tyler Middle School. She currently serves as the Instructional Coach at the same location.
- Instructional Coach Margaret Harris will be moving from Smithfield High School to fill the Instructional Coach vacancy at Georgie Tyler Middle School.
- Darnelle Carr will be moving from Instructional Coach at Smithfield High School to the same position at Carrsville Elementary School.
- Christine Brett, the current Instructional Coach at Carrsville Elementary School, will become the Reading Coach at Carrsville.
- Haley Coopridger, the current Reading Coach at Windsor Elementary School, will become an Instructional Coach for the division.



“Our goal is to establish a leadership team at each school that will most directly benefit our students and teachers,” said Superintendent Dr. Jim Thornton. “The strengths of each school administrator or instructional coach will complement their team and, together, move our schools forward as we prepare our students to be college, career and life ready.”

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