



BOARDROOM

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Superintendent's Report...

On behalf of the entire school board and administration, I extend my warmest wishes for a joyous and meaningful Thanksgiving.

Enrollments as of November 7, 2023

	<i>Morris Hills</i>	<i>Morris Knolls</i>	<i>Total</i>
Grade 9	249	388	637
Grade 10	319	339	658
Grade 11	298	344	642
Grade 12	289	350	639
SE Self-Contained	—	49	49
AMSE	180	—	180
APA	—	145	145
Adult HS	—	172	172
TOTAL	1335	1787	3122

Nicholas J. Norcia
Superintendent

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Authorized approving a monetary donation in the amount of \$3,000 from Tomi Prvulovic, M.D. to Morris Knolls High School.

Authorized approval of the 2024-2025 District Calendar

Authorized accepting the resignation of the following personnel:

Sylvester, David, Social Studies Teacher, MH, 12/29/2023

Sylvester, David, Assistant Wrestling Coach, MH, 12/29/2023

Sylvester, David, Assistant Boys Tennis Coach, MH, 12/29/2023

Fuhrmann, Deborah, Assistant Field Hockey Coach, MK, 11/30/2023

Martinez, Ryan, Assistant Ice Hockey Coach, MK, 11/21/2023

Sylvester, David, Junior Class Advisor, MH, 12/29/2023

Authorized authorizing for the 2023-2024 school year the following leaves of absence:

Evans, Emma, Gifted & Talented Coordinator, MK, 8/28/23, 9/15/23, New: From: 12/8/23 To: Start of 24-25 SY

Authorized for the 2023-2024 school year a change of assignments and payment of salary for the following staff members:

Maione, Robert, From: Substitute Teacher To: Special Education, Staff Assistant, MK., 12/18/23 - 6/30/24

Rincon Marin, Diana From: Custodian 3rd shift, MK

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To: Custodian 2nd shift, MH, 12/1/23 - 6/30/24

Penkalski, Kaitlyn, From: , Junior Class Assistant

To: Junior Class Chairperson, 1/1/24 - 6/30/24

Wanamaker, Bryant, From: Assistant Boys Wrestling Coach To: Assistant Girls Wrestling Coach, MH, 12/1/23 - 3/15/24

Authorized for the 2023-2024 school year the appointment of staff and payment of salary of the following certified positions, subject to appropriate New Jersey Department of Education certification and required documentation:

Monsko, Tracey, School Nurse, MK, 1/2/24 - 6/30/24

Osso, Jovanna, School Psychologist, MK, 1/22/24 - 6/30/24

Della Torre, Gaetano, Teacher of Social Studies, MH, 1/22/24 - 6/30/24

Authorized for the 2023-2024 school year the appointment of staff and payment of salary of the following non-certified positions, subject to receipt of required documentation:

Alvarado-Guichay, Ivan, Boiler License Stipend, MH, 11/16/23 - 6/30/24

Hani, Rasit, Bus Driver-Full run, Dist., 11/27/23 - 6/30/24

Brady, Jennifer, Girls Assistant, Indoor Track Coach, MK, 12/1/23 - 3/15/24

Pauls, Sean, Boys Assistant Basketball Coach, MK, 12/1/23 - 3/15/24

Jack, Michael, Assistant, Wrestling Coach, MK, 12/1/23 - 3/15/24

Crothers, Dennis, Assistant Ice Hockey Coach, MK, 12/1/23 - 3/15/24

Turner, Eric, Boys Assistant Basketball Coach
MH, 12/1/23 - 3/15/24

Stackhouse, Samuel, Boys Assistant Basketball Coach, MH, 12/1/23 - 3/15/24

Smolinski, Benjamin, Boys Assistant Wrestling Coach, MH, 12/1/23 - 3/15/24

Turner, Evan, Boys Assistant Lacrosse Coach, MH, 3/16/24 - 6/30/24

Weisz, Jaclyn, Boys Assistant Tennis Coach, MH,

3/16/24 - 6/30/24

Escobar, Alina, Play Unified Special Olympics Soccer Coach, MK, 9/1/23 - 11/30/23

Authorized for the 2023-2024 school year the appointment of the following Substitute employees:

Jones, Jane, Long-Term Substitute Teacher, 11/13/23 - 2/9/24, Teacher Certificate

DeLos Angeles, Michael, Substitute Teacher, 11/21/23 - 6/30/24

County Certificate

Rieger, Robert, Substitute Teacher, 11/21/23 - 6/30/24, County Certificate

McHugh, Eileen, Substitute Teacher, 11/21/23 - 6/30/24, County Certificate

Authorized for the 2023-2024 school year, the appointment of staff and rate of pay for the following federal grant ARP ESSER III Beyond the School Day funded position:

Mandel, Rachel, PM Extra Help - ELA, MK, 10/30/23 - 6/14/24, As needed

Authorized for the 2023-2024 school year, the appointment of staff and rate of pay for the following STEM Grant Teacher for Morris Catholic, as follows:

Doyle, Iwona, Teach STEM Classes, Morris Catholi,
23-24 School Year, STEM

Authorized for the 2023-2024 school year the appointments of staff and payment of stipends for the following Course of Study revisions:

Zadlock, Keriann, AP Language & Composition

Edelstein, Laura, AP Literature & Composition

Petrosino, Tracy, English 9 CP

Miller, Jenna, English 9H/Academy 1H

Amicucci, Deborah, English 10 CP

Cordero, Meaghan, English 10 H/Academy 2H

Lakatos, Sara, English 11

Russo, Cara, English 12

Diaz, Andres, English 12: Expos/Creative Writing

Ansaldi, Gloria, Geometry

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Skutnik, Amy, Bridges to Success Math

Shubert, Joseph, College Math Topics

Caruso, Theresa, Precalculus (split position)

Hudak, Michele, Precalculus (split position)

DiStasio, Marissa, Algebra 1 (split position)

Taddeo, Nicole, Algebra 1 (split position)

Hobson, Christina, Algebra 2

Zirkel, Jennifer, ESL Newcomer

☑ Authorized for the 2023-2024 school year, the appointment of staff and rate of pay for the following positions:

Hansen, Rachel, Translation Services, MK, 10/17/23 - 6/30/24, As needed

Trollinger, Adam, Magnet & IB Testing Proctor, MK, 11/18/23

Diamond, Kristi, Magnet & IB Testing Proctor, MK, 11/18/23 & 12/2/23, Snow date 12/9/23

Escobar, Alina, Magnet & IB Testing Proctor, MK, 11/18/23 & 12/2/23, Snow date 12/9/23

Conti, Constance, Magnet & IB Testing Proctor, MK, 11/18/23 & 12/2/23, Snow date 12/9/23

Fundora, Martha, Magnet & IB Testing Proctor, MK, 11/18/23 & 12/2/23, Snow date 12/9/23

Doltz, Tiffany, Magnet & IB Testing Proctor, MK, 11/18/23 & 12/2/23, Snow date 12/9/23

Williams, , Michael, Magnet & IB Testing Proctor, MK, 11/18/23 & 12/2/23, Snow date 12/9/23

Roman, Christopher, Magnet & IB Testing Proctor, MK, 11/18/23 & 12/2/23, Snow date 12/9/23

Pelosi, Nicholas, Magnet & IB Testing Proctor, MK, 11/18/23 & 12/2/23, Snow date 12/9/23

Schilens, Samara, Magnet & IB Testing Proctor, MK, 11/18/23 & 12/2/23, Snow date 12/9/23

Weissensee, Monika, Magnet & IB Testing Proctor, MK, 11/18/23 & 12/2/23, Snow date 12/9/23

Di Paolo, Nicholas, Magnet & IB Testing Proctor, MK, 11/18/23 & 12/2/23, Snow date 12/9/23

White, Joy, Magnet & IB Testing Proctor Sub & Check-In, MK, 11/18/23 & 12/2/23, Snow date 12/9/23

Castaneda, Ingrid, Magnet & IB Testing Check-In, MK, 11/18/23 & 12/2/23, Snow date 12/9/23

Schweizer, Shannon, Magnet & IB Testing Check-In MK, 11/18/23 & 12/2/23, Snow date 12/9/23

Pepperman, Alicia, Extended Library Hours MH, 11/21/23 - 6/30/24, Mon. & Wed. for 1.5 hours per day

Tulloch, Laura, Extended Library Hours, MK, 11/21/23 - 6/30/24, Mon. & Wed. for 1.5 hours per day

Johnson, Debra, Homebound Tutor, Dist., 11/20/23 - 6/30/24, As needed

Peluso, Lisa, APA Auditions, Dance, MK, 1/13/24 (snow date 1/20/24)

Klinck, Tammy*, APAAuditions, Dance, MK, 1/13/24 (snow date 1/20/24)

Robinson, Michelle*, APA Auditions, Dance, MK, 1/13/24 , (snow date 1/20/24)

Dunn, Lindsay, APAAuditions, Theatre, MK, 1/13/24 (snow date 1/20/24)

Gogo, Stacie, APA Auditions, Theatre, MK, 1/13/24 (snow date 1/20/24)

Johnson, Debra, APAAuditions, Theatre, MK, 1/13/24 (snow date 1/20/24)

Di Paolo, Nicholas, APA Auditions, Theatre, MK, 1/13/24 , (snow date 1/20/24)

Adessa, Jodie, APA Auditions, Vocal Perf., MK, 1/13/24 , (snow date 1/20/24)

Markowski, Kristen, APAAuditions, Vocal Perf., MK, 1/13/24, (snow date 1/20/24)

Obra, Rusty, APAAuditions, Vocal Perf., MK, 1/13/24 , (snow date 1/20/24)

Izsa, Brett, APAAuditions, Vocal Perf., MK, 1/13/24 , (snow date 1/20/24)

Beck, Krystal, APAAuditions, Check-In, MK, 1/13/24 , (snow date 1/20/24)

McClure, Pamela, APA Auditions, Check-In, MK, 1/13/24 , (snow date 1/20/24)

Schweizer, Shannon, APA Auditions, Vocal Perf.,

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MK, 1/13/24 , (snow date 1/20/24)

Shaffer, Ryan, APAAuditions, Vocal Perf., MK, 1/13/24,
(snow date 1/20/24)

Fuhrmann, Deborah, Homebound Tutor, Dist., 11/20/23
- 6/30/24, As needed

Abad, Richard, Homebound Tutor, Dist., 11/20/23 -
6/30/24, As needed

Authorized for the 2023-2024 school year the appointment
of a volunteer coach and advisor as follows:

Martinez, Ryan, Volunteer Ice Hockey Coach, Morris
Knolls

Williams, Michaels, Volunteer African Culture Club
Advisor, Morris Hills

Patel, Mansi, Volunteer Indian Cultural Club Co-advisor,
Morris Hills

Authorized for the first reading the following revised

Policy 8500 Food Services , Revised

Authorized for the second reading the following Policies:

Policy 1540 Administrator's Code of Ethics, New

Policy 8420 Emergency and Crisis Situations, Revised

Authorized for the abolishment the following Regulation:

Regulation 5460.02 Bridge Year Pilot Program, Abolish