

**East Aurora School District 131  
Personnel Report**

**August 10, 2026**

**1 RESIGNATIONS**

| <u>NAME</u>         | <u>BUILDING/POSITION</u>                     | <u>REASON</u> | <u>DATE</u>  |
|---------------------|----------------------------------------------|---------------|--------------|
| 1 Anahi Baeza       | ECC-Preschool Teacher                        | Personal      | Eff. 5/29/26 |
| 2 Mayte Castellanos | AC-EL Data Technician                        | Personal      | Eff. 7/24/26 |
| 3 Lisa Conte        | SMS-Mathematics Teacher                      | Personal      | Eff. 5/29/26 |
| 4 Cara Denaley      | GA-Special Education Teacher Assistant       | Personal      | Eff. 5/29/26 |
| 5 Cheryl Fauth      | WMS-Family and Consumer Science Teacher      | Personal      | Eff. 5/29/26 |
| 6 Ashlyn Flood      | BA-Special Education Resource Teacher        | Personal      | Eff. 5/29/26 |
| 7 Jody Hart         | AC-Dog Handler                               | Personal      | Eff. 5/29/26 |
| 8 Timothy Krings    | BGC-Maintenance Mechanic                     | Personal      | Eff. 8/9/26  |
| 9 Elizabeth Loving  | CMS-Special Education Resource Teacher       | Personal      | Eff. 5/29/26 |
| 10 Tiffany Martinez | BA-Dual Language (English) 3rd Grade Teacher | Personal      | Eff. 5/29/26 |
| 11 Diego Matilla    | EAHS-Bilingual Mathematics Teacher           | Personal      | Eff. 5/29/26 |
| 12 Melissa Ochoa    | GA-Special Education Teacher Assistant       | Personal      | Eff. 5/29/26 |
| 13 Anisa Qadri      | CMS-Science Teacher                          | Personal      | Eff. 5/29/26 |
| 14 Maribel Robinson | WMS-Secretary-Records                        | Personal      | Eff. 5/29/26 |
| 15 Jamie Yarbrough  | RO-Dual Language (English) 3rd Grade Teacher | Personal      | Eff. 5/29/26 |

**2 APPOINTMENTS**

| <u>NAME</u>               | <u>BUILDING/POSITION</u>                                                                                                          | <u>FUNDING SOURCE</u> | <u>START DATE/SALARY</u>                |
|---------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------------------------|
| <b><u>Certified</u></b>   |                                                                                                                                   |                       |                                         |
| 1 **Tom Jackson           | AC-Director of Communications<br>BS-University of Illinois                                                                        | District              | Eff. 8/24/26<br>\$155,000.00/year       |
| <b><u>Certified</u></b>   |                                                                                                                                   |                       |                                         |
| 1 **Benjamin Bohanek      | FRMA-Guidance Counselor<br>BS-University of Missouri<br>MS-Northern Illinois University<br><b><u>Pending ISBE Credentials</u></b> | District              | Eff. TBD<br>\$64,004.00/year            |
| 2 **Michelle Calhoon      | EAHS-Speech Language Pathologist<br>BS-Northern Illinois University<br>MS-Illinois State University                               | District              | Eff. TBD<br>\$89,764.00/year            |
| 3 **Marina Cosme          | BA-Dual Language (English) 2nd Grade Teacher<br>BS-Aurora University                                                              | District              | Eff. TBD<br>\$53,000.00/year            |
| 4 Dana Draper             | EAHS-Reading Teacher<br>BS-Eastern Michigan University<br>MS-Southern New Hampshire University                                    | District              | Eff. TBD<br>\$72,344.00/year            |
| 5 **Sam Fortuna           | CMS-Music Teacher<br>BS-Illinois State University                                                                                 | District              | Eff. TBD<br>\$53,000.00/year            |
| 6 **Elizabeth Gerhard     | SMS-Mathematics Teacher<br>BS-Loyola University<br>MS-American College of Education                                               | District              | Eff. TBD<br>\$66,592.00/year            |
| 7 **Allison Kapitanoff    | SMS-Academic Behavior Interventionist<br>BS-University of Illinois<br>MS-Aurora University<br>MS-National Louis University        | District              | Eff. TBD<br>\$89,764.00/year            |
| 8 **Evan Kocsis           | AL-Dual Language (English) 4th Grade Teacher<br>BS-Aurora University<br>MS-National Louis University                              | District              | Eff. TBD<br>\$61,758.00/year            |
| 9 **Sean Kohrt            | BA-Special Education Instructional Teacher<br>BS-Lewis University                                                                 | District              | Eff. TBD<br>\$53,000.00/year            |
| 10 **Abigail Menter       | AL-Sheltered/GenEd 4th Grade Teacher<br>BS-Aurora University<br>MS-American College of Education                                  | District              | Eff. TBD<br>\$64,779.00/year            |
| 11 **Vanessa Ramirez      | EAHS-Family and Consumer Science Teacher<br>BS-Illinois State University                                                          | District              | Eff. TBD<br>\$53,000.00/year            |
| 12 **Sabrina Zbylut       | BA-Sheltered/GenEd 5th Grade Teacher<br>BS-North Central College                                                                  | District              | Eff. TBD<br>\$53,000.00/year            |
| <b><u>Department</u></b>  |                                                                                                                                   |                       |                                         |
| 1 **Anquetetta McReynolds | HE-School Behaviorist                                                                                                             | District              | Eff. TBD<br>\$52,500.00/year (Prorated) |
| <b><u>Office</u></b>      |                                                                                                                                   |                       |                                         |
| 1 **Jennifer Kaminski     | JO-Clerical Assistant                                                                                                             | District              | Eff. TBD<br>\$22.00/hour                |
| 2 **Sholonda Smith        | WMS-Secretary-Records                                                                                                             | District              | Eff. TBD<br>\$22.00/hour                |

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**Per Diem**

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| 1 | **Melissa Cepeda    | BA-Noon Hour  | District | Eff. TBD<br>\$18.00/hour |
| 2 | **Nuvia Herrera     | ECC-Noon Hour | District | Eff. TBD<br>\$18.00/hour |
| 3 | **Brianna Rammirez  | HE-Noon Hour  | District | Eff. TBD<br>\$18.00/hour |
| 4 | **Danielle Sullivan | AL-Noon Hour  | District | Eff. TBD<br>\$18.00/hour |

**Support**

|           |                           |                                                                                    |          |                          |
|-----------|---------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------|--------------------------|
| 1         | **Ahmed Ali               | AL-Special Education Bilingual Teacher Assistant-Arabic                            | District | Eff. TBD<br>\$22.00/hour |
| 2         | **Liliana Alvarez Jimenez | ECC-Special Education Teacher Assistant                                            | District | Eff. TBD<br>\$22.00/hour |
| 3         | **Stephanie Aube          | GA-Special Education Teacher Assistant<br><b><u>Pending ISBE Credentials</u></b>   | District | Eff. TBD<br>\$22.00/hour |
| 4         | **Kimberly Buckles        | TBD-Special Education Teacher Assistant                                            | District | Eff. TBD<br>\$22.00/hour |
| 5         | **Jackelyn Duarte         | EAHS-Special Education Teacher Assistant<br><b><u>Pending ISBE Credentials</u></b> | District | Eff. TBD<br>\$22.00/hour |
| Delete 6  | **Camryn Friedman         | OD-Special Education Teacher Assistant                                             | District | Eff. TBD<br>\$18.23/hour |
| 7         | **Eduardo Guerra          | EAEC-Pupil Personnel Assistant                                                     | District | Eff. TBD<br>\$22.00/hour |
| 8         | **Marquis Isom            | EAHS-Special Education Teacher Assistant<br><b><u>Pending ISBE Credentials</u></b> | District | Eff. TBD<br>\$22.00/hour |
| 9         | **Ryan Jones              | TBD-Special Education Teacher Assistant                                            | District | Eff. TBD<br>\$22.00/hour |
| 10        | **Paul Linden             | GA-Special Education Teacher Assistant                                             | District | Eff. TBD<br>\$22.00/hour |
| 11        | **Samary Luna             | ECC-Special Education Teacher Assistant                                            | District | Eff. TBD<br>\$22.00/hour |
| 12        | **Jasmine Mann            | OD-Special Education Teacher Assistant<br><b><u>Pending ISBE Credentials</u></b>   | District | Eff. TBD<br>\$22.00/hour |
| Delete 13 | **Melissa Nash            | RO-Health Assistant RN                                                             | District | Eff. TBD<br>\$31.75/hour |
| 14        | **Ligia Neri              | ECC-Special Education Teacher Assistant                                            | District | Eff. TBD<br>\$22.00/hour |
| 15        | **Elizabeth Navarro Rojas | GA-Special Education Teacher Assistant<br><b><u>Pending ISBE Credentials</u></b>   | District | Eff. TBD<br>\$22.00/hour |
| 16        | **Kimberly Perez          | BSA-Special Education Teacher Assistant                                            | District | Eff. TBD<br>\$22.00/hour |
| 17        | **Dayanna Sanchez         | KR-Bilingual Assistant                                                             | District | Eff. TBD<br>\$22.00/hour |
| 18        | **Hanna Snider            | OD-Special Education Teacher Assistant                                             | District | Eff. TBD<br>\$22.00/hour |
| 19        | **Rowan Snyder            | GA-Special Education Teacher Assistant<br><b><u>Pending ISBE Credentials</u></b>   | District | Eff. TBD<br>\$22.00/hour |
| 20        | **Diana Pinon-Villeda     | GCC-Special Education Teacher Assistant<br><b><u>Pending ISBE Credentials</u></b>  | District | Eff. TBD<br>\$22.00/hour |
| 21        | **Angela Valenzuela       | BA-Special Education Teacher Assistant<br><b><u>Pending ISBE Credentials</u></b>   | District | Eff. TBD<br>\$22.00/hour |
| 22        | **Aldrianna Wilson        | GA-Special Education Teacher Assistant                                             | District | Eff. TBD<br>\$22.00/hour |

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| 23 | **Susan Wolf    | GA-Special Education Teacher Assistant                                      | District | Eff. TBD<br>\$22.00/hour |
| 24 | **Jeissa Wooten | EAHS-Special Education Teacher Assistant<br><u>Pending ISBE Credentials</u> | District | Eff. TBD<br>\$22.00/hour |

**\*\*Pending successful completion of all legally required background checks.**

**3 ADJUSTED APPOINTMENTS**

|   |                |                                                                 |                                  |
|---|----------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| 1 | Galilea Huerta | From: OP-Bilingual Preschool Assistant<br>TO: OP-Parent Liaison | Eff. 8/17/26<br>\$23.50/hour     |
| 2 | Yaremi Machuca | From: GCC-Preschool Assistant<br>TO: ECC-Preschool Teacher      | Eff. 8/17/26<br>\$53,000.00/year |

**4 LEAVES**

|   |                      |                                                               |                      |
|---|----------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------|
| 1 | Juana Nicasio        | BE-Special Education Teacher Assistant<br>FMLA                | Eff. 8/17/26-TBD     |
| 2 | Yesenia Padilla-Pola | ECC-Bilingual Preschool Assistant<br>MLOA                     | Eff. 8/17/26-TBD     |
| 3 | William Rood         | AC-Data and Information Systems Analyst<br>MLOA               | Eff. 7/17/26-8/4/26  |
| 4 | Alison Sperando      | BA-Dual Language (English) 5th Grade Teacher<br>FMLA          | Eff. 8/17/26-TBD     |
| 5 | Migdalia Torres      | AC-Receptionist/Human Resources Services<br>Intermittent FMLA | Eff. 7/13/26-7/13/27 |
| 6 | Erika Zamudio Nino   | BA-Bilingual Assistant<br>FMLA                                | Eff. 10/06/26-TBD    |

**5 RETIREMENTS**

**Service Staff**

|   |                |  |              |
|---|----------------|--|--------------|
| 1 | Stewart Tesnow |  | Eff. 8/21/26 |
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