

LODI UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
Personnel Office

BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING
June 3, 2025
Personnel Actions

CERTIFICATED

APPOINTMENTS

Employee	Assignment	Location
Alvarez-Pascual, Elodia Replacement	Psychologist Effective: 2025-2026 School Year	Psych Services – Student Support
Gould-Harrison, Cathy Backfill	Elementary Teacher (.60 FTE) Effective: 2025-2026 School year	Parklane
Swanson, Shyra Replacement	Secondary Teacher Effective: 2025-2026 School Year	Bear Creek
Mackey, Aaron Replacement	Special Education Teacher Effective: 2025-2026 School Year	Special Education
Madera, Cassandra Replacement	Elementary Teacher Effective: 2025-2026 School Year	Wagner-Holt
Mansu, Leo Replacement	Teacher CTE Effective: 2024-2025 School Year	Bear Creek
Palafox, Melissa Replacement	Elementary Teacher Effective: 2025-2026 School Year	Larson
Sawyer, Megan Replacement	Elementary Teacher Effective: 2025-2026 School Year	Davis
Shafer, Amy Backfill	Elementary Teacher Effective: 2025-2026 School Year	Parklane

39 MONTH RE-EMPLOYMENT LIST

Employee	Assignment	Location
Arlt, Ian 39 Month Re-employment	Special Education Teacher Effective: 05/22/25	Bear Creek

The following individuals are approved as on-call substitute certificated staff to be called on a day-to-day basis as needed for the school year:

*Baumback, Jordan

*Brady, Joseph

*Doddapaneni, Teja

*Drebinger Jr, John

*Field, Branden

*Hearn, Fred
*Malone, April
*Rangel, Thania
*Qazi, Hifsa
Sandstrom, Erik
*Stoian, Persida
To-Cowell, Van Ha

REVISION OF PERSONNEL ACTIONS:

Bartlam, Nadia, retirement Effective: 05/30/25 (approved for district early retirement health benefits LUSD/LEA)	Larson
Barton, Jana, retirement Effective: 05/30/25 (approved for district early retirement health benefits LUSD/LEA)	Woodbridge
Becker, Bruce, retirement Effective: 06/02/25 (approved for district early retirement health benefits LUSD/LEA)	Psych Services – Student Support
Chau, Hank, retirement Effective: 05/30/25 (approved for district early retirement health benefits LUSD/LEA)	Elkhorn
Crowley, Kathleen, retirement Effective: 05/30/25 (approved for district early retirement health benefits LUSD/LEA)	Lodi Middle
DeGrandmont, Todd, retirement Effective: 05/30/25 (approved for district early retirement health benefits LUSD/LEA)	Lodi High
Devine, Gregory, retirement Effective: 05/30/25 (approved for district early retirement health benefits LUSD/LEA)	Millswood
Fujihara-Sue, Patti, retirement Effective: 05/30/25 (approved for district early retirement health benefits LUSD/LEA)	Westwood
Hahn, Jeannie, retirement Effective: 05/30/25 (approved for district early retirement health benefits LUSD/LEA)	Woodbridge
Halligan, Kara, retirement Effective: 05/30/25 (approved for district early retirement health benefits LUSD/LEA)	Vinewood
Harrington, Todd, retirement Effective: 05/30/25 (approved for district early retirement health benefits LUSD/LEA)	Special Education

Jaeger, Phyllis, retirement Effective: 05/30/25 (approved for district early retirement health benefits LUSD/LEA)	Reese
Kannel, Scott, retirement Effective: 05/30/25 (approved for district early retirement health benefits LUSD/LEA)	Curriculum & Instruction
McCarty, Wendy, retirement Effective: 05/30/25 (approved for district early retirement health benefits LUSD/LEA)	Westwood
Ota, Karen, retirement Effective: 05/30/25 (approved for district early retirement health benefits LUSD/LEA)	Vinewood
Pfeifer, Shelly, retirement Effective: 05/30/25 (approved for district early retirement health benefits LUSD/LEA)	Curriculum & Instruction
Price, Carla, retirement Effective: 05/30/25 (approved for district early retirement health benefits LUSD/LEA)	Heritage
Schatz, Shelly, retirement Effective: 05/30/25 (approved for district early retirement health benefits LUSD/LEA)	Woodbridge
Swearingen, Denise, retirement Effective: 05/30/25 (approved for district early retirement health benefits LUSD/LEA)	Curriculum & Instruction
Turner, Melissa, retirement Effective: 05/30/25 (approved for district early retirement health benefits LUSD/LEA)	Lodi High
Vargas, Teresa, retirement Effective: 05/30/25 (approved for district early retirement health benefits LUSD/LEA)	Heritage
Woods, Denise, retirement Effective: 05/30/25 (approved for district early retirement health benefits LUSD/LEA)	Curriculum & Instruction
Woznick, Jane, retirement Effective: 05/30/25 (approved for district early retirement health benefits LUSD/LEA)	Lodi Middle

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Employee	Assignment	Location
Hackworth, Misty 1.0 FTE Leave of Absence	Special Education Teacher Effective: 04/15/25 – 05/02/25	Plaza Robles/Liberty

SEPARATIONS

Employee	Assignment	Location
Bach, Yvonne Retirement	Secondary Teacher Effective: 05/30/25	Lodi High
Cabaccang-Plares, Amber Resignation	Secondary Teacher Effective: 05/30/25	McNair
Chapman, John Retirement	Secondary Teacher Effective: 05/30/25	Tokay High
Chevrier, Wendy 39 Month Re-employment List	Elementary Teacher Effective: 05/21/25	Larson
Cline, David Retirement	Secondary Teacher Effective: 12/01/25	Elkhorn
Garcia Hernandez, Fernando Resignation	Secondary Teacher Effective: 05/30/25	Delta Sierra
Haas, Deborah Retirement	Elementary Teacher Effective: 05/30/25	Wagner-Holt
Kiaser, Megan Resignation	Secondary Teacher Effective: 05/30/25	Lodi Middle
Kindred, Tenise Resignation	Elementary Teacher Effective: 05/30/25	Creekside
Lew, Tara Resignation	Elementary Teacher Effective: 05/30/25	Creekside
McMorris, Georgia Resignation	Elementary Teacher Effective: 05/30/25	Victor
Nguyen, Nhung Resignation	Preschool Teacher Effective: 05/30/25	Creekside
Randall, Maryella Resignation	Elementary Teacher Effective: 05/30/25	Davis
Scarbrough, Georgina Retirement	Secondary Teacher Effective: 05/30/25	Tokay High
Unpingco, Elizabeth Resignation	Secondary Teacher Effective: 05/30/25	Bear Creek
Zhao, Wenjing Resignation	Secondary Teacher Effective: 05/30/25	Delta Sierra

MANAGEMENT**SEPARATIONS**

Employee	Assignment	Location
Renjult, Sonja Resignation	Elementary Principal Effective: 06/05/25	Needham

CLASSIFIED

APPOINTMENTS

Employee	Assignment	Location
*Afzal, Madeeha New	Paraeducator- General (6 hours) Effective: 04/22/25	School Readiness & Preschool
Frias, Gabriela Promotion (From Paraeducator- Bilingual (Spanish))	Library Media Assistant (7 hours) Effective: 04/28/25	Curriculum & Instruction
*Galeno, Nancy Replacement	School Playground & Cafeteria Monitor (1 hour) Effective: 05/02/25	Heritage
*Gamez, Daniel Replacement	Custodian (8 hours) Effective: 05/06/25	Bear Creek
*Garcia, Guadalupe Replacement	Payroll Assistant (8 hours) Effective: 05/12/25	Payroll
Gonzalez, Carla Reclassification (From Instructional Materials Center Assistant)	Purchasing Technician (8 hours) Effective: 07/01/24	Instructional Media Services
*Gonzales, Isla Replacement	PAAS (6 hours) Effective: 04/28/25	Special Education
Heitzman, Frances Reclassification (From Instructional Materials Center Assistant)	Purchasing Technician (8 hours) Effective: 07/01/24	Instructional Media Services
Khan, Nazia Promotion (From Mental Health Therapist I)	Mental Health Therapist II (8 hours) Effective: 03/03/25	Special Services- Mental Health
Neal, Hannah Promotion (From Mental Health Therapist I)	Mental Health Therapist II (8 hours) Effective: 03/13/25	Special Services- Mental Health
Khan, Zoia Rehire Replacement	Bridge Program Site Leader (8 hours) Effective: 05/07/25	Intervention & Supplemental Programs
*McClung, David Replacement	Custodian (Night) (8 hours) Effective: 05/13/25	Bear Creek
Neal, Hannah Promotion (From Mental Health Therapist I)	Mental Health Therapist II (8 hours) Effective: 03/13/25	Special Services- Mental Health
*Ortega, Mary Replacement	Paraeducator- Behavior Specialist (6 hours) Effective: 05/15/25	Special Education

Orejel, Delfina Promotion (From Paraeducator- Severely Handicapped)	High School Secretary I (8 hours) Effective: 04/21/25	Lodi High
Plascencia Martinez, Rosa Promotion (From Adult Crossing Guard & School Playground / Cafeteria Monitor)	Cafeteria Assistant I (6 hours) Effective: 05/06/25	Borchardt
*Rosas Contreras, Romina Replacement	Bus Attendant (6 hours) Effective: 04/28/25	Transportation
Salazar, Ivy Promotion (From Attendance Technician)	High School Secretary I (8 hours) Effective: 05/02/25	Lodi High
*Singh, Hieu Replacement	Paraeducator- Physically Impaired (7 hours) Effective: 05/05/25	Special Services- Health
*Smith, Kristi New	Typist Clerk II (4 hours) Effective: 05/07/25	Larson
*Sarmiento, Mariela Replacement	School Playground & Cafeteria Monitor (1 hour) Effective: 04/21/25	Heritage
*Siordia Avalos, Jasmin Replacement	HVAC Technician (8 hours) Effective: 04/23/25	Maintenance & Operations
Vasquez, Gabriela Promotion (From Instructional Media Services Supervisor)	Administrative Assistant to Associate Superintendent (8 hours) Effective: 06/03/25	Associate Superintendent's Office

TRANSFERS

Employee	Assignment	Location
Cervantes, Gloria Voluntary Transfer Replacement	Cafeteria Assistant I (7 hours) Effective: 05/07/25	Lawrence
Mierkey, Lesli Voluntary Transfer Replacement	Head Custodian (8 hours) Effective: 05/19/25	Sutherland

SUBSTITUTES

Employee	Assignment	Location
*Bloxsom, Rory	After School Bridge Program Site Leader Effective: 05/08/25	Substitute
*Chavis, Amya	Cafeteria Assistant Effective: 05/08/25	Substitute
*Ford-Burns, Damian	Paraeducator Effective: 05/15/25	Substitute

Rojas, Bellanira	Cafeteria Assistant Effective: 05/07/25	Substitute
Rosales Cen, Karina	Cafeteria Assistant Effective: 05/15/25	Substitute
*Sosa, Rebecca	Cafeteria Assistant Effective: 05/08/25	Substitute

SEPARATIONS

Employee	Assignment	Location
Cruz, Guadalupe Resignation	School Playground & Cafeteria Monitor Effective: 05/01/25	Larson
Flannery, Kelley Retirement	Cafeteria Assistant I Effective: 05/30/25	Washington
Hannah, Shelli Retirement	School Bus Driver Effective: 05/30/25	Transportation
Her, Julie 39-Month Re-Employment List	Personnel Assistant Effective: 05/17/25	Personnel
Hill, Clifford 39-Month Re-Employment List	Maintenance II Effective: 05/21/25	Maintenance & Operations
Khan, Zoia 39-Month Re-Employment List	Bridge Program Site Leader Effective: 04/26/25	Intervention & Supplemental Programs
King, Danielle Resignation	Operations Supervisor Effective: 06/06/25	Nutrition Services
Razaq, Nagina Resignation	School Playground & Cafeteria Monitor Effective: 04/29/25	Nichols
Reynoso, Glenna Retirement	School Bus Driver Trainer Effective: 05/06/25	Transportation
Sierras, Jessie Resignation	School Playground & Cafeteria Monitor / Adult Crossing Guard Effective: 05/13/25	McAuliffe
Smith, Kristie Resignation	Typist Clerk II Effective: 05/08/25	Larson
Sorich, Charles Retirement	Maintenance III Effective: 05/01/25	Maintenance & Operations

*New Employee