



Explore! 2023-2024 Staff Directory

Leadership Team			
Name	Position	Email	Room
Cameron Gish	Executive Principal	CGish@explore.school	A07
Jessica Talbot	Principal (K-4)	JTalbot@explore.school	A08
Kalee Barbis	Principal (5-8)	KBarbis@explore.school	223
TaBoya Holman	Director of Culture	THolman@explore.school	121
Jessica Fabrizio Sawyer	Director of Exceptional Education	JFabrizio@explore.school	133
Colleen Cummings	Director of Operations	CCummings@explore.school	A02
TBD	Dean of Academics (K-1)	TBD	130
Zachary Williams	Dean of Academics (2-4)	ZWilliams@explore.school	
Kara Semtner	Assistant Principal (5-8)	KSemtner@explore.school	131
Tamara Grant	Dean of Mathematics (5-8)	TGrant@explore.school	124
Alysha Profeta	Dean of Culture (K-4)	AProfeta@explore.school	221
Ty Garth	Dean of Culture (5-8)	TGarth@explore.school	231
Melinda Harvey	RTI Coordinator (K-4)	MBascom-Harvey@explore.school	206
Brooke Daugherty	RTI Coordinator (5-8)	BDaugherty@explore.school	229
Rachael Williams	EL Coordinator (K-8)	RWilliams@explore.school	116
Marisa Frank	Related Arts Coordinator (K-8)	MFrank@explore.school	115/201

Operations Team			
Leader Point of Contact: Colleen Cummings			
Name	Position	Email	Room
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Levi Dillard	Operations Manager	LDillard@explore.school	Office
Carrie Hogan-Mays	Nurse	CHoganMays@explore.school	Office
Kyle Campey	Facilities	KCampey@marthaobryan.org	MOBC

Counseling Team			
Leader Point of Contact: TaBoya Holman			
Name	Position	Email	Room
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Alissa White	Counselor	AWhite@explore.school	

Related Arts Team				
Leader Point of Contact: Marisa Frank				
Grade	Name	Position	Email	Room
K-8	Whitney Ferris	Art	MFerris@explore.school	118
K-8	Marisa Frank	Music	MFrank@explore.school	115/201
K-8	Arlene Hernandez	Spanish	AHernandez@explore.school	208
K-8	Tony Campbell	Fitness	TCampbell@explore.school	Gym
K-4	Melia Arnold	Garden	MArnold@explore.school	Garden
K-4	Cortney McAdams	Garden	CMcadams@explore.school	Garden
K-8	Erica Stenstrom	Librarian	EStenstrom@explore.school	Library
7-8	Sofia Janelle	Jazz Empowers		115



K-4 Teachers and Staff

Principal - Jessica Talbot

Deans of Academics - TBD (K-1) and Zachary Williams (2-4)

Dean of Culture - Alysha Profeta (K-4)

RTI Coordinator - Melinda Bascom-Harvey (K-4)

EL Coordinator - Rachael Williams (K-8)

Grade	Name	Position	Email	Room
K	Madeline Prokop	Lead Teacher	MProkop@explore.school	102
K	Charlotte Williams	Associate Teacher	CWilliams@explore.school	102
K	Jocelyn Titus	Lead Teacher	JTitus@explore.school	103
K	Abbie Hall	Associate Teacher	AHall@explore.school	103
K	Mollie Sullivan	Lead Teacher	MSullivan@explore.school	104
K	Ellen Walls	Associate Teacher	EWalls@explore.school	104
1	Cara Bishop	Lead Teacher	CBishop@explore.school	107
1	Autumn Knight	Associate Teacher	AKnight@explore.school	107
1	Molly Roth	Lead Teacher	MRoth@explore.school	108
1	Tracey Clay	Associate Teacher	TClay@explore.school	108
1	Jasmine Jimenez	Lead Teacher	JJimenez@explore.school	109
1	Nakita Pruitt	Associate Teacher	NPruitt@explore.school	109
2	Hannah Junod	Lead Teacher	HJunod@explore.school	203
2	Giada Wren	Associate Teacher	GWren@explore.school	203
2	Victoria Schnaufer	Lead Teacher	VSchnuafer@explore.school	204
2	Emily Zumack	Associate Teacher	EZumack@explore.school	204
2	Rachael Courtney	Lead Teacher	RCourtney@explore.school	205
2	Jessica Malenga	Lead Teacher	JMalenga@explore.school	205
3	Janice Shelton	Science	JShelton@explore.school	211
3	Julia Kaufman	Math	JKaufman@explore.school	212
3	Elizabeth Scott	ELA	EScott@explore.school	213
3	Laina Dearman	Associate Teacher	LDearman@explore.school	212
4	Jennifer Knight	ELA	JKnight@explore.school	301
4	Johnetta Bennett	Associate Teacher	JBennett@explore.school	301
4	Abiola Williams	Science	AWilliams@explore.school	302
4	Casidy Simonis	Math	CSimonis@explore.school	303
Grade	Name	Position	Email	Room
K-4	Brittany Brown	Interventionist (ELA)	BBrown@explore.school	206
K-4	Elizabeth Westlake	Interventionist (Math)	EWestlake@explore.school	206
K-4	Treon Cooper	Interventionist (Interim)	TCooper@explore.school	206
K-4	Michaela Roberts	EL Teacher	MBergin@explore.school	116
K-4	Antoinette Walker	Behavior Interv	AWalker@explore.school	117
K-4		Behavior Interv.		117



5-8 Teachers and Staff

Principal - Kalee Barbis (5-8)
 Assistant Principal - Kara Semtner (5-8)
 Dean of Mathematics - Tamara Grant (5-8)
 Dean of Culture - Ty Garth (5-8)
 RTI Coordinator - Brooke Daugherty (5-8)
 EL Coordinator - Rachael Williams (K-8)

Grade	Name	Subject	Email	Room
5	CJ White	Math/Science	CWhite@explore.school	126
5	Shauna Chapman	ELA/Soc. St.	SChapman@explore.school	125
5	Melissa Saeedpour	Resident Teacher	BSaeedpour@explore.school	125
6	Kishayla Haygood	ELA	KHaygood@explore.school	310
6	Hope Lowe	Math	HLowe@explore.school	309
6	Jesse Mayeaux	Science/Soc. St.	JMayeaux@explore.school	311
7	William White	ELA	WWhite@explore.school	227
7	Madison Stacy	Math	MStacy@explore.school	226
7	Mistye Spencer	Science	MSpencer@explore.school	228
7	Brandon Minnini	Social Studies	BMininni@explore.school	218
8	Marvetta Norris	ELA	MNorris@explore.school	217
8	Tamara Grant	Math	TGrant@explore.school	216
8	Mistye Spencer	Science	MSpencer@explore.school	228
8	Brandon Minnini	Social Studies	BMininni@explore.school	218
Grade	Name	Subject	Email	Room
5-8	Joan Jagana	Interventionist	JJagana@explore.school	229
5-8	Jessica Bohannon	Interventionist	AMurray@explore.school	229
5-8	Abie Sloan	Behavior Interv.	ASloan@explore.school	222
5-8	Antonia Snowden	Behavior Interv.	ASnowden@explore.school	124

Exceptional Education

Director - Jessica Fabrizio

Grade	Name	Position	Email	Room
K-8	Krissy Lofland	SLP	KLofland@explore.school	101
K-1	Kate Bridges	Lead Teacher	KBridges@explore.school	114
1-2	Amanda Schlarmann	Lead Teacher	ASchlarmann@explore.school	209
3	Adrian Ford	Lead Teacher	AFord@explore.school	209
4	Ari Scrittorale	Lead Teacher	AScrittorale@explore.school	306
5	Richard Romeo	Lead Teacher	RRomeo@explore.school	127
6	Bethany Mills	Lead Teacher	BMills@explore.school	231
7	Alexa Klemm	Lead Teacher	AKlemm@explore.school	219
8	Stacy McIntyre	Lead Teacher	SMcIntyre@explore.school	219
K-4 RR	Kylie Wright	Lead Teacher	KWright@explore.school	208
5-8 RR	Skyler McAlister	Lead Teacher	SMcAlister@explore.school	210
K-8 RR	Alondra Aguirre-Mota	Associate Teacher	AMota@explore.school	210
K-8	Yolanda Prowell	Paraprofessional	AProwell@explore.school	202
K-8	Krista Riddle	Paraprofessional	KRiddle@explore.school	
K-8	Emmanuel Speal	Paraprofessional	ESpeal@explore.school	
K-8	Jimmy Reed	Paraprofessional	JReed@explore.school	
K-8	Lashonda Parks-Bailey	Paraprofessional	LBailey@explore.school	
K-8	Ashleigh Riddle	Paraprofessional	ARiddle@explore.school	
K-8	Cerrita Taylor	Paraprofessional	CTaylor@explore.school	



Related Service Providers

Contact Point - Jessica Fabrizio

Grade	Name	Position	Email	Room
K-8	Becca Gracey	Occupational Therapist	bgracey@thrivetherapiesgroup.com	101
K-8	Natalie Hall/Crenshaw	Physical Therapist	ncrenshaw@thrivetherapiesgroup.com	101
K-8	Alison Clougherty	Vision	aclougherty@blindearlyservices.org	101