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Michelle Doane-Beeler selected as Principal of Dade Middle School

Today, during a Called Board Meeting, the Dade County Board of Education hired Michelle Doane-Beeler as the Principal for Dade Middle School effective March 11, 2020. Ms. Doane-Beeler is coming from Calhoun City Schools, where she served as the Assistant Principal for Calhoun City Middle School. She holds a Georgia Certificate in Educational Leadership, English 6-12, Gifted In-Field, Middle Grades Language Arts, Reading, Social Studies (4-8), and Reading Endorsement 6-12.

Ms. Doane-Beeler earned a Bachelor of Science degree from the University of Georgia, a Master of Education degree from Berry College, and an Educational Specialist degree from Lincoln Memorial University. Ms. Doane-Beeler has served as an Assistant Principal, PBIS District Coordinator, Academic Team Coach, Intervention Specialist, and Teacher.

Ms. Doane-Beeler came highly recommended to us by the Superintendent of Calhoun City Schools Dr. Michelle Taylor. She stated, “Ms. Doane-Beeler is a leader in her district and seen as an excellent communicator. She has the capacity to listen, empathize, and connect with individual students, parents, and teachers. She models the traits of a leader to her peers and those in which she supports and supervises. Ms. Doane-Beeler is decisive and confident, seeking guidance when needed and forging ahead when appropriate to positively meet the needs of boys and girls under her care.”

Superintendent Harris said, “At this time, I am delighted to welcome Principal Michelle Doane-Beeler to Dade County. Ms. Doane-Beeler possesses all the sterling qualities we are seeking in this key leadership position. I am confident she will be a tremendous asset to the Dade County School System.”