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FJUHSD Board of Trustees Selects

Steve McLaughlin, Ed.D. as

Superintendent

The Fullerton Joint Union High School District Board of Trustees is pleased to announce that **Dr. Steve McLaughlin** has been selected as the new superintendent, pending Board approval at the June 22, 2021 Board Meeting. Dr. McLaughlin will join FJUHSD having served as an educator for over 20 years. During that time, his roles have included teaching history, PE, and AVID, serving as a high school activities director and administrator, middle school principal, and Director of Secondary Curriculum and Instruction. For the past six years, Dr. McLaughlin has served as the Assistant Superintendent of Educational Services with the Fountain Valley School District.

Over the course of his career, Dr. McLaughlin has been involved in all aspects of the educational system where he has led high school teachers in the implementation of the Common Core Standards, expanded social and emotional supports for students, cultivated a wide variety of community partnerships, developed targeted reading intervention programs, overseen the expansion of Career Technical Education pathways, and most recently was a key contributor to successfully leading through the ever-changing complexities of the COVID-19 pandemic.

Over the past several months, the Board of Trustees executed an extensive input and recruitment process, engaging stakeholders from across the district. In selecting Dr. McLaughlin, not only did his vast experience stand out, but also his ability to communicate effectively, build successful teams, connect with stakeholders, always with a focus on helping all students be successful. Following the interviews, Board President Marilyn Buchi, and Board Clerk Lauren Klatzker conducted a visit to the Fountain Valley School District where they met with various stakeholders.

Dr. McLaughlin earned a Bachelor's Degree from the University of San Diego, a Master's Degree from California State University San Marcos, and a Doctorate from the University of Southern California.

Dr. McLaughlin will succeed Dr. Scott Scambray, who is retiring as Superintendent effective June 30, 2021 after six years in that role.