

Mankato Area Public Schools Mentors/Field Experience Coordinators

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SECONDARY MENTORS:

Julie Larkin-Spies
Kari Welter

K-12 MENTOR:

Jen Frazee

SPECIAL EDUCATION MENTOR:

Mari Considine

ELEMENTARY MENTORS:

Kristin Moore
Jody Rittmiller

NEW MENTOR:

Brian Eggersdorfer



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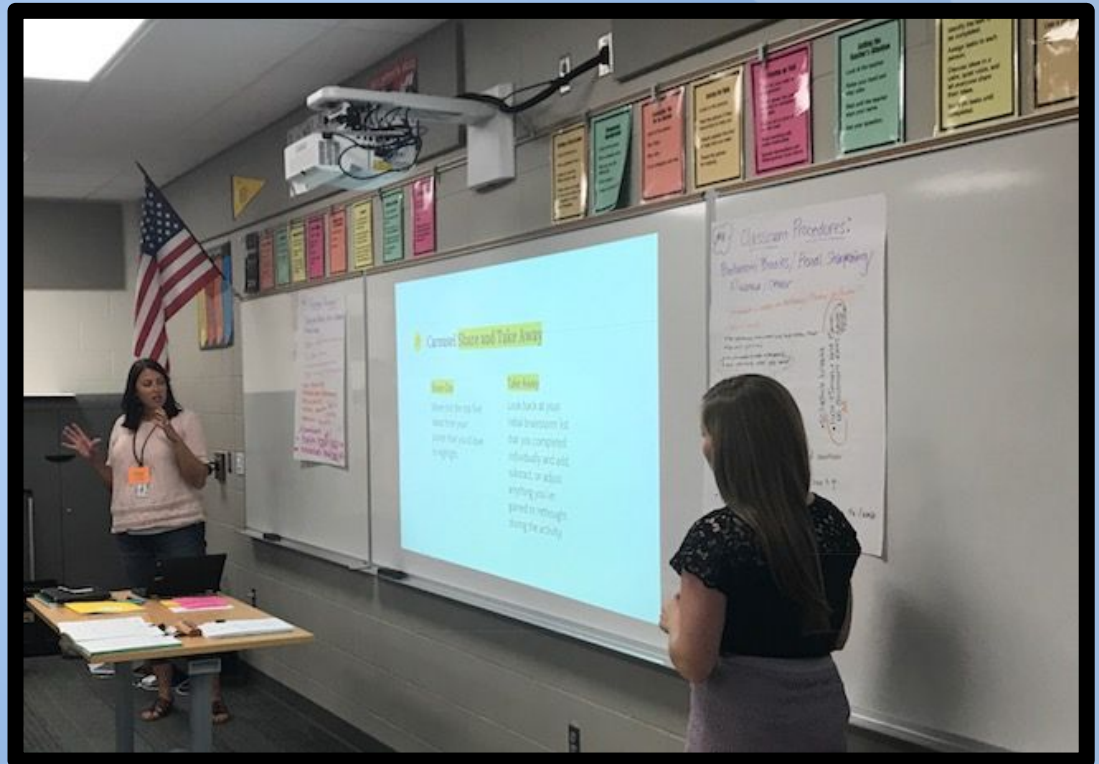
MAPS Strategic Road Map

- A. Student learning and engagement
- B. Developing district culture and practices of partnership and connectedness
- C. Increase readiness for all students to ensure options for life
- D. Needs-based resource allocation
- E. Developing staff capacity, accountability and skills to implement our Strategic Directions



Induction Program Update

*Together We
Make a
Difference!*



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Minnesota Education Partnerships

- Professional Development
- Attending Monthly PDS Meetings
- Communicating about Workshops
- Serving as a Liaison between MSU,M and MAPS
- Teachers of Tomorrow
- Fellows





Coordinating and Supervising Field Experiences - MSU,M

Fall 2017: 367 Field Placements = 22,077 hours
 17 Teacher Candidates

Spring 2018: 302 Field Placements = 24,967 hours
 27 Teacher Candidates

Total Placements Hours: 47,044 Hours



Supporting Equity and Access

- “Seeing the Racial Waters,” with Dr. Robin DiAngelo
- Leading Courageously Through Racial Equity Summit
- Life Journey: Racial and Cultural Relevance
- MSU-M’s Teachers of Tomorrow Program



Additional Field Experiences

- Gustavus Adolphus College: 97 Placements
- Bethany Lutheran College: 23 Placements
- MAPS Teacher Cadets: 10 Placements
- Other: 20 Placements





Highlights & Celebrations

- New Staff Orientation
- Year Long Induction Program
 - New Teacher Academy
 - Year 1,2 & 3 Mentee Support
- Focused Partnerships with MSU,M through a collaborative approach



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From Our Mentee End-Of-The-Year Survey...

"I appreciate the positive outlook on everything, the day to day advice, and the fact that she truly wanted me to be my best!"

"She was always there to offer me support, new ideas, and offer solutions to any problems that I was having. She always offered me reassurance and helped me stay grounded during my first year."

"What I appreciated the most was the genuine support I felt I had as well as the way they made me feel valuable, valid, and part of a team."

"I appreciated the insight in writing IEP's and understanding due process."

"I appreciated the quick response to my questions and the reassurance she provided throughout the school year."

Thank you !

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Questions?