

Montgomery Township School District

Creating confident, compassionate, and successful learners

Date: May 2, 2024

Subject: Welcoming Our New Director of Special Services

Dear Montgomery Township School Community,

Following a comprehensive search, the Montgomery Township School District is excited to welcome Ms. Michele Deremer as our new Director of Special Services. Ms. Deremer has an extensive background in special education and has served in various roles as an administrator throughout her successful career.

Ms. Deremer comes to Montgomery with experience as a Director of Special Services, overseeing all aspects of special education and health services. She restructured the mental health services provided to students while expanding and defining the district's post-graduation transition program. Ms. Deremer's responsibilities included evaluating all child study team members, related service staff, and instructional aides. Additionally, she managed the special services budget while providing support to all staff in the district.

Before her most recent position, Ms. Deremer was a Supervisor of Special Education, overseeing the child study team, related service providers, consultants, special education teachers, and assistants. She crafted professional development programs for staff members, submitted state grants, and was actively involved in legal cases on special education and related issues. Ms. Deremer worked closely with the school community as a collaborative member of the district's Special Education Parent Teacher Organization (SEPTO). In addition to supervising multiple departments (special education, guidance, nursing, gifted and talented), she was in charge of 504 Plans while serving as the district's coordinator for testing, anti-bullying, and inclusive preschool.

Ms. Deremer will begin as the Montgomery Township School District Director of Special Services on July 1, 2024.

A special thank you to the staff members and parents who provided valuable participation in the interview process for this position.

Welcome, Ms. Deremer. We look forward to working with you!

Sincerely,

Mary E. McLoughlin | Superintendent of Schools