

New Assistant Principal Named at Ritenour Middle School

June 24, 2009 – The Ritenour School District is pleased to announce the appointment of Julia Burnside as an Assistant Principal at Ritenour Middle School effective July 1, 2009. Burnside joins the district from the Meramec Valley R-3 School District, where she served as an assistant principal at Pacific High School for the past year. Her administrative experience also includes two years (2006-2008) as an assistant principal in the Kingston K-14 School District in Cadet, Mo. Burnside began her educational career as a science teacher in the Washington (Mo.) School District from 1994-2000 before moving to Pacific High School (2000-2006), where she taught science and served as science department chair. Burnside earned her undergraduate degree in biology from Stephens College (Columbia, Mo.) in 1990 before acquiring a teaching certificate from Webster University in 1994. She went on to earn her master's degree in science from Webster in 1997. Burnside is certified in both elementary and secondary education administration.

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