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**DATE:**  
July 10, 2023

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## *Candidate Selected for* **LaGrange Elementary School Principal Position**

At a Special Board Meeting held on July 5th, the Tomah Area School District Board of Education took action to approve Mrs. Melissa McKittrick as the new Principal of LaGrange Elementary School. Since then, Mrs. McKittrick has officially begun the duties as Principal.

### **Credentials & Experience:**

Mrs. McKittrick received her Bachelor of Arts Degree in Education and Spanish from the University of Wisconsin-Madison in 2006. In the years that followed, she taught 1st through 6th grades for the Waterloo Area School District, the Viroqua Area School District, and the School District of La Crosse. In 2020, she completed her Master's degree in Educational Leadership from the University of Wisconsin-Superior and began serving as the Elementary Principal at Norwalk-Ontario-Wilton Elementary School during the 2021-22 school year.






*"I am excited to join the team at LaGrange Elementary School this fall! As an educator of 17 years in a variety of environments, I've had the chance to work with kids and their families at every stage of development. Working with kids, teachers, families, and the community to provide top-notch learning for all kids keeps me motivated to keep growing and learning myself. I am fully committed to leaning into these experiences as our LaGrange staff work together toward the T ASD mission of high quality student learning - every child, every day."*  
*-Mrs. Melissa McKittrick*



*"We're very excited to have Mrs. McKittrick bring her leadership gifts and talents to the Tomah Area School District! Mrs. McKittrick will champion powerful educational opportunities for all LaGrange Elementary School students, families, and faculty through her deep instructional leadership experiences; commitment to grow the strong Professional Learning Community at LaGrange Elementary School; and her dedication to impact our community of learners through servant leadership."*  
*-Dr. Hanson, District Administrator*

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