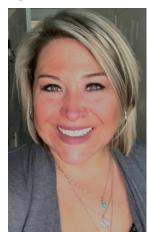


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Cornwall Consolidated School Welcomes a New Principal

Cornwall, Connecticut - The Cornwall Board of Education is pleased to announce the appointment of Leanne Maguire as the new Principal at the Cornwall Consolidated School. Ms. Maguire's appointment is the result of a search conducted by the 18-member Principal Search Committee, consisting of the Cornwall Board of Education, staff and parents and led by Lisa Carter, the Region 1 Superintendent.

Ms. Maguire was chosen from a pool of five candidates, narrowed down from a pool of 22 candidates in total. She comes to Cornwall Consolidated School with 20 years of experience in the Torrington School District, including that of an elementary and middle school classroom teacher as well as experience as an assistant principal in middle and high school. She holds a B.S. in Psychology and Special Education from Marist College, an M.S. in Elementary Education from Central Connecticut State University and a Sixth Year certificate in Educational Leadership from Central Connecticut State University.

Superintendent Carter expressed that she is excited to welcome Ms. Maguire as the new leader of the Cornwall Consolidated School and as part of the Region 1 administrative team. "Ms. Maguire's positive energy and enthusiasm, coupled with her belief in successful learning outcomes for all students and her commitment to community is a wonderful fit for CCS.". Emilie Pryor, the Chairperson of the Cornwall Board of Education stated "We are all extremely happy to have found Leanne Maguire to lead our school. She will be a positive and thoughtful principal who will support teachers and students, and embrace the entire community. Thanks to everyone on the search committee who spent so much time devoted to this process."

When asked about her new role Ms.Maguire said, "It is a privilege and honor to be selected as the next principal of Cornwall Consolidated School. As I continued to learn about this community as a whole, I fell further and further in love. The pride in self, school, and community is inspiring. Cornwall is a special place in which to learn and grow up. I cannot wait to join this community."

Ms. Maguire will begin her work at Cornwall Consolidated School on July 1, 2023.