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SJCOE Welcomes Troy Brown as Associate Superintendent

The San Joaquin County Office of Education (SJCOE) has selected Troy Brown to be the SJCOE's new associate superintendent of student programs and services. This selection follows a comprehensive search and interview process that resulted in a highly qualified and competitive group of applicants who participated in two rounds of intensive interviews.

"We are excited to welcome Troy Brown to the SJCOE team," San Joaquin County Superintendent of Schools James Mousalimas said. "As an educational leader, Troy has proven his commitment to students and to developing strong connections to families and the community. I am confident his passion for education and leadership will assist the SJCOE as we move forward in our mission to provide leadership, services and support to children, families, schools, districts and our community in San Joaquin County."

The associate superintendent supports and oversees the following SJCOE divisions: County Operated Schools and Programs, Special Education/SELPA, and Educational Services. Responsibilities for the position also include developing partnerships and collaboration with the education community, businesses, nonprofit organizations, public agencies, and other stakeholders in order to improve and support public education in San Joaquin County. The associate superintendent also oversees charter school applications, reviews, approvals, renewals, and appeals.

Brown comes to the SJCOE from Tracy Unified School District, where he has served as teacher, coach, assistant principal and principal since 2003. Most recently he was the district's director of student services and curriculum, a position he took after serving as the principal of Merrill F. West High School for four years.

Brown has received distinctions such as the FFA Administrator of the Year and the Tracy Chamber of Commerce Administrator of the Year.

Brown has a bachelor's degree in English and a master's degree in educational administration. He is currently pursuing a doctorate of education. He is a long-time resident of Tracy and has recently moved to Manteca, where he lives with his wife, Cindy, and four children. All of his children have attended Tracy Unified schools.



“My family and I are deeply grateful for the opportunities we enjoyed in the Tracy Unified School District. The time I had to serve and work with students, staff, families, and community members truly changed my life forever. I learned that every student has a story and that, as educators, it is important we do everything we can to help students share their story and support them on their journey. Every student should know that they matter and that there are people who care about them,” Brown said.

“I am thrilled about the new opportunities to serve as associate superintendent for the San Joaquin County Office of Education and to work closely with Superintendent Mousalimas. I am also excited to hear all the stories of the students that we serve in the SJCOE. I feel blessed, and I am thankful for this new adventure and hope that I can help students, staff, family and community members on their journey.”

About the San Joaquin County Office of Education:

San Joaquin County Office of Education (SJCOE) provides educational leadership, resources, and services to support schools throughout the county. With its highly regarded programs, innovative staff, and community partnerships, SJCOE ensures that every student in San Joaquin County has the opportunity of a quality education. For more information, visit www.sjcoe.org.