

APRIL 2022



# The District Scoop



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**INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT 2142**

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**ST. LOUIS COUNTY SCHOOLS**

*St. Louis County Schools' Staff Monthly Newsletter*

## **In case you missed it!**

Do you need a password reset for your work email, ESS or Student Portal? Please contact Angelia Baasi directly for assistance at [abaasi@isd2142.k12.mn.us](mailto:abaasi@isd2142.k12.mn.us) or Ext 1100.

## JOB OPPORTUNITIES

Apply @ [www.isd2142.net](http://www.isd2142.net)

- We're hiring Bus and Van Drivers! Wanna Drive? Refer a friend today! Free training available!  
Van \$16.34/hr  
Bus \$27.53-\$30.69/hr
- Custodial opportunity is available at South Ridge School, Monday-Friday
- Early Childhood ECFE and Preschool openings available! Hours and days vary! Preschool Paraprofessional openings available at South Ridge.
- Food Service opportunity available at South Ridge School Monday – Friday 7 a.m.-2 p.m. \$15.30 - \$17.55/hr.
- \$500 Sign-On Bonus Paraprofessional Opportunities at Cherry \$16.35-\$19.42/hr
- Teaching Opportunities for the 22-23 School Year are being posted for review!

*ISD2142 is an equal opportunity employer*

## HR METRICS

### Average Employee Totals

Part-time Staff & Faculty: 238

Full-time Staff & Faculty: 350

### New Hire Announcements

We're excited to welcome new faces to our teams across the district! A big thank you to those who have joined our district's team over this past school year, we're happy to have you on board!

## A FEW QUICK UPDATES

**We will no longer be using** the clocking in/out system called "Veritime". \*\*\***Please take care not to confuse this system with Aesop. We will continue using the Aesop system, please continue entering your absence requests for sick and personal time as normal.** If you have been using your key fob to clock in/out for your work day at our school kiosks, you can stop doing so effective immediately. This update effects the following departments: Clerical, Custodial, Food Service, Health Services, Indian Education, Paraprofessionals, Library Assistants, and Teachers Assistants. \*\*Paychecks are **not** processed from the clocking in/out system; as a result, **no** change will take place to your payroll. We are looking into better alternatives to use moving forward.

**Important Travel Tracker Reminders** when submitting a Trip Request, please be watchful to select the proper funding source. The funding source pertains to the funding of transportation costs only. Please provide additional details of the funding source, for example if its indicated "Student Activity Account," "Multiple Sources" or "Other" as show below, please add notes under "Budget Code" regarding who to bill for reimbursement, or the name of the student activity account, etc. For questions please contact Nicole Ayres in Accounting at [nayres@isd2142.k12.mn.us](mailto:nayres@isd2142.k12.mn.us) or Ext 1111.

### **Example Below:**

**Funding Source:** "Other"

**Budget Code:** *description of funding source (Please add notes here to describe the funding source)*

**Reminder, the employee referral program** is a great way to refer a friend to work in our schools! Refer a friend to our full or part time job opportunities and receive a \$300.00 referral award if they are hired! For more details, please read page 10 of our Employee Handbook on our website at [www.isd2142.net/staff-resources/employee-handbook](http://www.isd2142.net/staff-resources/employee-handbook).

## DEPARTMENT SHOWCASE



Alicia Isom, MSW, LGSW  
Project AWARE Coordinator

This month we'd like to showcase our new Project AWARE Coordinator for our school district, Alicia Isom. Alicia has worked as a Social Worker in many different capacities such as in county child protection social work, hospital social work, outpatient therapy, and school social work. Alicia will be working with the Department of Education to build a Comprehensive Mental Health System to serve the needs of the students within our communities. In addition, she'll be working directly with students, school staff, families and stakeholders to provide education on how trauma directly impacts school relationship and learning. In her work she prioritizes relationships and strives to be a calming, regulated presence for students and families.

A little more about Alicia, in her free time she enjoys spending time with her family and two young boys, ages seven and two and a half who keep her very busy. She also enjoys running, hiking, skating, biking and anything outdoors. Alicia is very excited to be a part of this district and serve the students, families and communities.

*"Believe you can, and you're half way there"*

- Theodore Roosevelt

### Comments, Questions, Ideas?

Have some ideas or feedback you want to share with us about the newsletter? Send a note to [mcarter@isd2142.k12.mn.us](mailto:mcarter@isd2142.k12.mn.us)

Thank you!