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Assistant principal named for Oxford Middle

Longtime educator Tracy Copeland has been named the new assistant principal at Oxford Middle School. She is replacing Steven Heinauer who was named principal at Indian Valley Elementary. Copeland began her teaching career in Kirksville, Missouri and comes to Blue Valley after teaching for six years in Frisco, Texas.

“I truly believe that my philosophy of education embraces the Blue Valley signature phrase of, *Education Beyond Expectations*,” Copeland said. “I bring with me a Texas-sized amount of enthusiasm and passion for the educational process and I look forward to being “Knighted” as the next assistant principal at Oxford Middle School. I feel extremely fortunate to be continuing my education profession in the Blue Valley School District.”

Copeland received her bachelor’s degree from Northern Illinois and her master’s in educational leadership from Dallas Baptist University.

“While this will be Tracy’s first administrative position, we are excited about the potential she demonstrated in her interviews,” said Al Hanna, deputy superintendent. “We believe she has a great future in Blue Valley.”

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