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Adam Carlin Appointed as New Principal at Turtleback Elementary School

San Diego (CA) – The Poway Unified School District is pleased to announce new leadership at Turtleback Elementary School, located in the Rancho Bernardo area. Mr. Carlin was approved to serve as the new principal by the Board of Education at the December 19, 2019 meeting. Mr. Carlin will transition into the new role on January 6, 2020, following the retirement of Principal Ann Auten.

Mr. Carlin is making a return to the Poway Unified School District after starting his teaching career at Turtleback Elementary in 2006. He is an experienced administrator, previously serving as principal of Kate Sessions Elementary School in the San Diego Unified School District. At Kate Sessions, Mr. Carlin worked in collaboration with the learning community to provide high quality international enrichment opportunities, and supported teachers in being named a California Distinguished School in 2018.

Prior to San Diego Unified, Mr. Carlin was an assistant principal at Stone Ranch Elementary School in Poway Unified for three years. Mr. Carlin said Turtleback Elementary has always held a very special place in his heart, and he looks forward to “leading an inclusive, student-centered environment to create a positive learning experience of endless opportunity.” Congratulations, Mr. Carlin!



Adam Carlin

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