



Buford City Schools

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Buford High School Names Interim Principal

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January 20, 2020 – The Buford City Schools (BCS) Board of Education has accepted the resignation of Buford High School (BHS) principal, Lindsey Allen. Mr. Allen has stepped down from this position for personal reasons.

Buford Academy Assistant Principal Scott Chafin will serve as the interim BHS through the remaining school year as the district carries out the hiring process to select a permanent principal. Mr. Chafin was a highly-regarded educator and principal at Worth County High School before taking a role as a Program Manager at the Georgia Department of Education. He has deep connections in our community and a reputation for developing strong and supportive relationships with students and staff at all levels.

"Mr. Allen was pivotal in the opening of our new high school last year," Buford City Schools Superintendent Dr. Robert Downs said. "We appreciate all that he gave to our school during a time of extensive transition. I wish him the best in his future endeavors." Dr. Downs added, "We are grateful for Mr. Chafin's willingness to serve in this capacity for the remainder of the school year as we begin the search for a permanent high school principal. His extensive administrative experience coupled with his ties to our community make him an ideal candidate for this transition."