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North Sub

South Sub

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West Sub

Northern

South Sub

Southeast

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South Sub

Jan Masterson principal
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725 Main Street
Lino Lakes, MN 55014
651-982-8850
East Sub

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Sharon Kauth Schultz, principal
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Northern

2008-2009

Darren Schuler, principal
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Central

Dr. Fatima Lawson, principal
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Paul Meyer, principal
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West Sub

Joan Maland, principal
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West Sub

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952-681-6000

S.G. (Sam) Skaaland, principal
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Audubon, MN 56511
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Western

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Pinewood Elementary School
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Mounds View, MN 55112
763-784-4006
East Sub

Joey Page, principal
Sheridan Hills Elementary School
6400 Sheridan Avenue South
Richfield, MN 55423
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West Sub

Paul Helberg, principal
Valley View Elementary School
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Bloomington, MN 55420
952-681-5700
West Sub

Jon Millerhagen, principal
Washburn Elementary School
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West Sub

2007-2008

Sally Berg, principal
Murray County Central Elementary
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Southwest

Tim Cadotte, principal
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Rolf Carlsen, principal
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North Sub

Jonathan Clark, principal
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Central

Michael Conner, principal
Nyquist Elementary School
Central

730 5 th Avenue South Isle, MN 56342 320-676-3494		Ridgeview Elementary School 9400 Nesbitt Avenue South Bloomington, MN 55438 952-806-7100	
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Randy Pederson, principal Red Lake County Central Elementary 628 Minnesota Avenue Plummer, MN 56748 218-465-4222	Northern	Donna T. Cadenhead O.H. Anderson Elementary School 666 Warner Avenue South Mahtomedi, MN 55115 651-407-2301	East Sub
Rosalind Robbins, principal Hiawatha Community School 4201 42 nd Avenue South Minneapolis, MN 55406 612-668-4610	Minneapolis	Paula M. Foley Clearview Elementary School 7310 Highway 24 SE Clear Lake, MN 55319 320-743-2241	Central
2006-2007 John P. Ahern, principal Edgerton Elementary School 1929 Edgerton Street Maplewood, MN 55107 651-772-2565	East Sub	Jolene Landwer Greenway Elementary Schools 300 Cole Avenue Coleraine, MN 55722 218-245-2510	Northeast
Kathy Carl, principal Northview Elementary School 965 Diffley Road Eagan, MN 55123 651-683-6820	South Sub	2004-2005 Cheryl Bjerk Fairview Elementary School 707 McLean Street Mora, MN 55051 320-679-6260	Central
Wayne LePard, principal Hawley Elementary School 915 7 th Street Hawley, MN 56549 218-483-4635	Western	Karen Coblenz Dassell Elementary School 131 William Avenue East P.O. Box 368 Dassell, MN 55325 320-286-4100, ext. 1500	Central
Diane Moeller, principal Kennedy Elementary School 124 1 st Avenue South St. Joseph, MN 56374 320-363-7791	Central	Matthew Dorschner Moose Lake Elementary School 413 Birch Avenue Moose Lake, MN 55767 218-485-4834	Northeast
John Piotraschke, principal Hayes Elementary School 615 Mississippi Street NE Fridley, MN 55432 763-502-5201	North Sub	Cathy Engler Riverside Elementary School 220 NW 3 rd Street Brainerd, MN 56401 218-829-3631	Northern
Karla Thompson, principal Plymouth Creek Elementary School 16005 41 st Avenue North Plymouth, MN 55446 763-745-5800	West Sub	Lorene Force Cokato Elementary School 200 5 th Street SW P.O. Box 1300 Cokato, MN 55321	Central
2005-2006 Steven K. Abrahamson	West Sub		

320-286-4100, ext. 1304		515 Granite Street Cloquet, MN 55720 218-879-3308	
Tanya Schull Jefferson Elementary School 318 South Payne Street New Ulm, MN 56073 507-359-8460	Southwest	Neal J. Fox Columbus Elementary School 17345 Notre Dame Street Forest Lake, MN 55025 651-982-8902	East Sub
2003-2004 Thomas Barker Hilltop Elementary School 3201 East 68 th Street Inver Grove Heights, MN 55076 651-306-7401	South Sub.	Julie Millerbernd Howard Lake Elementary School Winsted Elementary School 801 8 th Avenue Howard Lake, MN 55349 320-356-7346	Central
William Bjorum Valley Crossing Community School 9900 Park Crossing Woodbury, MN 55125 651-702-5700	East Sub	Nancy Stucky (Mary S. Baier) Triton Primary School 813 W. Highway Street Dodge Center, MN 55927 507-374-2258	Southeast
Patricia Driscoll Mary MacDonald Elementary School 99 Edison Boulevard Silver Bay, MN 55614 218-226-4455, ext. 8151	Northeast	Jeanne Eisenbarth Willow Lane Elementary School 3375 Willow Avenue White Bear Lake, MN 55110 651-773-6170	East Sub
Mary Jenatscheck Waseca Elementary School 605 7 th Street NE Waseca, MN 56093 501-835-2248	Southeast	2001-2002 Connie Grumdahl Forest Elementary School 6800 47 th Avenue North Crystal, MN 55428 763-504-7900	West Sub
RaNae Nelson Pearson Elementary School 710 4 th Avenue North Wheaton, MN 56296 320-563-8191	Western	Dr. Janet K. Palmer Forest View Elementary School 620 SW Fourth Street Forest Lake, MN 55025 651-982-8201	East Sub
Dr. Gail Swor Poplar Bridge Elementary School 8401 Palmer Avenue South Bloomington, MN 55437 952-681-5400	West Sub	Terry L. Cottingham Harriet Beecher Stowe Elementary School 715 101 st Avenue West Duluth, MN 55808 218-626-4500	Northeast
Maxine Werner Stevenson Elementary School 6080 East River Road Fridley, MN 55432 763-502-5301	North Sub	Kathleen R. Baldrice Indian Mounds Elementary School 9801 11 th Avenue South Bloomington, MN 55420 952-948-2082	West Sub
2002-2003 Jean Weis-Clough Albany Elementary School 410 Avon Avenue North Avon, MN 56310 320-356-7346	Central	Rob Nudell (Tom Hoffman) Parkside Elementary School 207 Third Street NE Buffalo, MN 55313 763-682-8519	Central
David J. Wangen Churchill Elementary School	Northeast		

Wendie M. Anderson Trailview Elementary School 200 East 9 th Street Mora, MN 55051 320-679-6240	Central	1999-2000 Judy Davis Rollingstone Community School 5100 Ninth Street Winona, MN 55987 507/454-9555	Southeast
Cindy A. Solberg WestWood Elementary School 5370 West Wood Drive SE Prior Lake, MN 55372 763-447-2178	South Sub	Kathryn House Sunny Hollow Elementary School 8808 Medicine Lake Road New Hope, MN 55427 763/504-7500	West Sub
2000-2001 Susan Abrahamson Middleton Elementary School 9105 Lake Road Woodbury, MN 55125 651/832-6624	East Sub	Dr. Margaret McKernan North Trail Elementary School 5580 170th Street Farmington, MN 55956 651/460-1804	South Sub
Marsha Groth Kasson-Mantorville Elementary School 604 16th Street NE Kasson, MN 55944 507/634-1234	Southeast	Helen Merchant Chanhassen Elementary School 7600 Laredo Drive Chanhassen, MN 55317 952/934-5246	South Sub
Jill Schafer Linwood Elementary School 21900 Typo Creek Drive NE Wyoming, MN 55092 651/982-1900	East Sub	James Miller Chaska Early Childhood Center 110600 Village Road Chaska, MN 55318 952/556-6400	South Sub
Patricia Driscoll North Shore Elementary School 5926 Ryan Road Duluth, MN 55804 218/525-6614	Northeast	1998-99 Donna Cadenhead Dover-Eyota Elementary School 27 Knowledge Road Eyota, MN 55934 507/545-2632	Southeast
Jon Millerhagen Washburn Elementary School 8401 Xerxes Avenue S Bloomington, MN 55431 952/984-2008	West Sub	Harry Grammond Grey Eagle Elementary School 304 State Street Grey Eagle, MN 56366 320/285-5300	Central
Steven Stansberry Lincoln Elementary School 747 Havana Road Owatonna, MN 55060 507/444-8100	Southeast	James Lehman Zumbrota-Mazeppa Middle School 425 Chestnut Street Mazeppa, MN 55956 507/843-2165	Southeast
Stephanie Heilig Piedmont Elementary School 2827 Chambersburg Avenue Duluth, MN 55811 218/733-2184	Northeast	Dr. Anne Lyons Lakeview Elementary School 20500 Jacquard Avenue Lakeville, MN 55044 952/469-7260	South Sub
Pamela Olson Cass Lake-Bena Elementary School Route 3 Box 4 Cass Lake, MN 56663 218/335-2201	Northern	Byron Schwab Pilot Knob Elementary School 1436 Lone Oak Road	South Sub

Eagan, MN 55121 651/405-2788		1995-1996 Gail Becker Caribou Lake Elementary School 6279 Industrial Road Saginaw, MN 55779 218/729-8802	Northeast
1997-98 Charles Anderson Southview Elementary School 225 West 4th Street Waconia, MN 55387 612/442-6620	Central		
Dr. Mary Endorf Orono Primary School 5050 Independence Maple Plain, MN 55359 763/479-1530	West Sub	Judy Betty Groveland Elementary School 3325 Groveland School Road Wayzata, MN 55391 952/401-5600	Suburban
Gary Heineman Paynesville Area Elementary School 205 West Mill Paynesville, MN 56362 320/243-3725	Central	Debra L. Bowers (non-member) Zachary Lane Elementary School 4350 Zachary Lane Plymouth, MN 55442 763/504-7300	Suburban
1996-97 John P. Beal McKinley Elementary School 423 14th Street NE Owatonna, MN 55060 507/451-6567	Southeast	Donna Montgomery (non-member) Gatewood Elementary School 14900 Gatewood Drive Minnetonka, MN 55345 952/988-5250	Suburban
Paula M. Foley Oak Hill Community School 2600 Co. Road 136 St. Cloud, MN 56301 320/251-7936	Central	Marilyn Opp Scandia Elementary School 14351 Scandia Trail North Scandia, MN 55073 612/433-2411	Suburban
Jerry E. Hanson Heart of the Lakes/Dent Elementary 810 2nd Avenue SW Perham, MN 56573 218/346-5437	Western	Michael D. Rogers South Elementary School 1405 South 7th Street St. Peter, MN 56082 507/931-2754	Southwest
Jolene Landwer Vandyke Elementary Box 570 Coleraine, MN 55722 218/245-2510	Northeast	James Unger Bendix Elementary School 655 East Park Street Annandale, MN 55302 320/274-8218	Central
Rosemary Lawrence McKinley School 1740 Constance Blvd. NE Ham Lake, MN 55304 612/434-6102	North Sub	Gregg Zender Lake Ripley Elementary School 100 West Pleasure Drive Litchfield, MN 55355 320/693-2436	Central
Sanford E. Nelson Washington Elementary 314 North Washington Avenue Detroit Lakes, MN 56501 218/847-4562	Western	1994-1995 Don Beach Blue Earth Elementary School 315 East 6th Blue Earth, MN 56013 507/526-3115	Southeast
		Ollen Church Ada Elementary School 209 6th Street West Ada, MN 56510	Western

218/784-5353		620 S.W. 4th Street Forest Lake, MN 55025 651/982-8201	
Richard Cook South Terrace Elementary School 530 Stine Drive Carlton, MN 55718 218/384-4728	Northeast	Gordon R. Nelson Garlough Elementary School 1740 Charlton Street West St. Paul, MN 55118 651/405-2673	Suburban
Terry Cottingham Ordean School 301 North 40th Avenue East Duluth, MN 55804 218/525-1913	Northeast	Pamela J. Peterson Cedar Creek Community School 21108 Polk Street NE Cedar, MN 55011 763-753-7150	Suburban
Richard Nicoli Shirley Hills Primary School 2450 Wilshire Boulevard Boulevard Mound, MN 55364 612/472-0321	Suburban	Gerald E. Saisa Roosevelt Elementary School 415 5th Avenue Virginia, MN 55792 218/741-2884	Northeast
Deb Sauter Birchwood Elementary School 1504 Swan Lake Road Duluth, MN 55811 218/722-1431	Northeast	Paul M. Schullo Hilltop Primary School 5700 Game Farm Road Mound, MN 55364 952/491-8501	Suburban
1993-1994 Carole Fargo O. H. Anderson School 666 South Warner Road Mahtomedi, MN 55155 651/407-2300	Suburban	1991-1992 Charles A. Anderson Maple Lake Elementary School Box 680 Maple Lake, MN 55358 320/963-3024	Central
William G. Gallagher Andover Elementary School 14950 Hanson Boulevard N.W. Andover, MN 55304 763/506-1700	Suburban	Michael G. Athmann Cokato Elementary School 6th & Jackson Cokato, MN 55321 320/286-4100	Central
1992-1993 Phillip A. Carlson North Shore Elementary School 5926 Ryan Road Duluth, MN 55804 218/525-6614	Northeast	William D. Hoffman Winterquist Elementary School Highway 61 Esko, MN 55733 218/879-3361	Northeast
Terry L. Cottingham Willow River Elementary School 8142 Pine Street Willow River, MN 55795 218/372-3131	Northeast	Dr. Anne Lyons Kennedy Elementary School 21240 Holyoke West Lakeville, MN 55044 952/469-7251	Suburban
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Gerald A. Lunde Forest View Elementary School	Suburban	Donald R. Moore	Suburban

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Martha W. Ward Jacobson Elementary School 95 South Harte Rush City, MN 55069 320/358-4724	Central	Sanford E. Nelson Onamia Elementary School Onamia, MN 56359 320/532-4176	Central
Grace H. Young, Principal William B. Book, Associate Principal Earle Brown Elementary School 5900 Humboldt Avenue North Brooklyn Center, MN 55430 763/561-4480	Suburban	Dr. David M. Prescott (non member) Sibley Elementary School 1501 Front Street Albert Lea, MN 56007 507/373-5080	Southeast
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Donna J. Montgomery Mendota Elementary School 1979 Summit Lane Mendota Heights, MN 55118 651/404-2850	Suburban	1988-1989 Paul R. Anderson Halverson Elementary School 707 10th Street Albert Lea, MN 56007 507/373-8071	Southeast
Marvin D. Schubbe Watertown-Mayer Elementary School 301 State Watertown, MN 55388 952/955-0266	Central	H. Eugene Baland Linwood Elementary School 21900 Typo Creek Drive NE Wyoming, MN 55092 651/982-4900	Suburban
1989-1990 Dr. Michael S. Kirkeby, Elem Director Donald E. Hartzell, Elem Principal North Branch Elementary School 1108 1st Avenue North Branch, MN 55056 651/674-1200	Central	Irene Jelacic North End Elementary School 27 East Geranium St. Paul, MN 55117 651/293-8795	St. Paul
Robert D. Maas Garfield Elementary School 320 Garfield North Mankato, MN 56001 507/387-4400	Southwest	Larry Noble West Elementary School 117 11th Avenue Worthington, MN 56187 507/376-3107	Southwest
Mary E. Mattson Chandler-Lake Wilson School Lake Wilson, MN 56151	Southwest	Ronald E. Machacek Five Hawks Elementary School 16620 Five Hawks Avenue SW Prior Lake, MN 55372 612/447-4139	Suburban
		1987-1988 Kermit Bensen Pinewood West Elementary School	Central

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