Tulare County Office of Education

Tim A. Hire, County Superintendent of Schools

Office of the Superintendent of Schools Organizational Chart 2026-2027

Voters of Tulare County

Tulare County Board of Education

Tony Rodriguez, President	Trustee Area 7
Mike Waters, Vice President	Trustee Area 5
Felipe Martinez	Trustee Area 1
Ruben Macareno	Trustee Area 2
Judy Coble	Trustee Area 3
Tom Link	Trustee Area 4
Chris Reed	Trustee Area 6

Tulare County Superintendent of Schools
Tim A. Hire

Administrative Assistant to the Superintendent
Jaime Burnitzki and Jennifer Fisher

California Friday Night Live Partnership
Nani Dodson, Director

CHARACTER COUNTS!
Zoty Briceño, Coordinator

Communications
Robert Herman, Director

Planetarium and Science Center
Conan Palmer, Coordinator

Theatre Company
Bethany Rader, Director

Executive Cabinet

Business Services
Fernie Marroquin, Ed.D., Assistant Superintendent

- **External Business Services**
  Sarah Smigiera, Senior Director
- **General Services**
  Jeff Ramsay, Director
- **Information Systems**
  Gilbert Hernandez, Director
- **Internal Business Services**
  Jody Arriaga, Senior Director
- **Maintenance & Operations**
  vacant

Human Resources
Dedi Somavia, Assistant Superintendent

- **California Center on Teaching Careers**
  George Rodriguez, Ed.D., Administrator
- **Credentials and Retirement**
- **New Teacher & Leadership Development**
  George Rodriguez, Ed.D., Administrator
- **Personnel and Hiring**
- **Risk Management**
  Amanda Richard, Ed.D., Administrator II

District Support Services
Chris Meyer, Assistant Superintendent

- **College & Career Readiness**
  Tulare-Kings College + Career Collaborative (TKCCC)
  Bill Davis, Administrator
- **Educational Resource Services**
  Instructional Consultants/Specialists
  Library/Media Services
  Samantha Tate, Administrator
- **Leadership Support Services**
  Charter School Oversight
  Local Control and Accountability Plans (LCAP)
  Mid State Collaborative
  State and Federal Programs
  Universal and Targeted Assistance
  Martin Frolli, Ed.D., Administrator
- **Migrant Education Program**
  Shantall Porchia, Administrator
- **Student *Future Ready* Events**

Special Services
Tammy Bradford, Assistant Superintendent

- **Academic Collaborative for Exceptional Learners (AcCEL)**
  Sarah Hamilton, Administrator II
  - **AcCEL Sites**
  - **Bright Future Program**
  - **Bright Start Parent/Infant Programs**
- **Alternative Achievement Program**
  Tammy Bradford, Assistant Superintendent
- **Behavioral Health Services**
  Behavioral Health Services Clinic
  Child Youth Behavioral Health Initiative
  Angela Gomez, Assistant Director
  Educationally Related Mental Health
  Rebecca Nace, Assistant Director
- **Court/Community Schools**
  Sarah Hamilton, Administrator
- **Foster Youth/Homeless Education**
  Joe Martinez, Administrator
- **Intervention Resource Classrooms**
  Joe Martinez, Administrator
- **Mild/Moderate Programs**
  Jennifer Reimer, Administrator
- **Preschool Program**
  Joe Martinez, Administrator
- **Positive Behavior Intervention Support**
  Joe Martinez, Administrator
- **Related Services**
  Adapted Physical Education,
  Deaf and Hard of Hearing Program,
  Occupational and Physical Therapy,
  and Visually Impaired Services
  Brooke Parbst, Program Manager
  Assistive Technology, and
  Speech and Language Services
  Cyndi Yoshida, Program Manager
- **School Psychologists**
  Joe Martinez, Administrator
- **SELPA Compliance**
  CalPADS, Parent Liaisons, and Program Specialists
  Tammy Bradford, SELPA Director
  Kevin Jesse, SELPA Compliance Officer
- **Workability Program**
  Cyndi Yoshida, Program Manager II

Student Support Services
Julie Berk, Assistant Superintendent

- **California Community Schools Partnership Programs**
  John Davis, Administrator
- **CHOICES Programs**
  After School and Prevention/Intervention
  Bob Mayo, Administrator
- **Early Childhood Education Program**
  Alex Elliott, Ed.D., Administrator
- **Educational Options**
  La Sierra Military Academy
  University Preparatory High School
  Julie Berk, Assistant Superintendent
- **Region VII System of Support for Expanded Learning**
  Virginia Sepeda, Project Coordinator II
- **School Health Programs**
  Christina Rodriguez, Program Manager
- **School Safety**
  Bob Mayo, Administrator
- **SCICON**
  Dianne Shew, Administrator
- **Universal PreKindergarten**

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