

# **SOUTHLAND C-9 SCHOOL DISTRICT**

## **PRESS RELEASE 2019**



The Southland School District Board of Education has named Mrs. Misty Galloway as the next superintendent of schools starting July 1, 2020, to succeed Mr. Thomas Gotsch who is retiring at the end of the school year. Mrs. Galloway is currently The Director of Academics at Southland.

Mrs. Galloway intends to carry forward the vision of the District. Her track record of driving academic excellence at Southland over the past two years, along with her passion for working with students and families of our community, demonstrates her capability to succeed in this new role.

Mrs. Galloway completed the coursework in the doctoral program in Educational Leadership from William Woods University, and is now working on her dissertation. Prior to obtaining her Specialist degree, Mrs. Galloway earned a Master of Arts in Curriculum K-12 along with a Masters in Educational Administration.

“I believe incredible things can happen in a school where students are challenged, they have choices about their education and they get feedback to correct the course of their choices”. Galloway said. “For this to happen, districts need leadership that is willing to take risks and put the energy and enthusiasm into their work to let the kids know how important their education is. “I’m excited to lead this journey with Southland and I hope to bring a spirit of teamwork and a commitment to our students.”

“I am honored to have been chosen for this position,” said Mrs. Galloway. “I am grateful to serve in this capacity. I will work collaboratively, with an emphasis on teamwork and a “students first” mindset, to continue moving our district in a positive direction and improving the educational outcomes for all of our students.”

