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**Subject:** Letter of Resignation

June 29, 2023

Decatur Public Schools #61 101 West Cerro Gordo Street Decatur, IL 62523

To Whom It May Concern,

Please accept this letter as notice of my resignation from Decatur Public Schools #61 effective June 30, 2023.

Please understand that this has nothing to do with my students, families, and staff at Garfield Learning Academy. I thought I had found my forever school. In fact, it is very difficult for me to leave because of the love I have for my students, staff, and the heavy guilt I feel for my children and staff being negatively impacted by this in any way: emotionally or academically.

However, I have accepted another principal position elsewhere.

Sincerely,

Kelley Morrison