

To: Dr. Charles Johns  
Board of Education  
From: Mr. Brad Swanson  
Date: June 13, 2022  
Re: Appointments: Certified

**School Social Worker, Student Services - GBN  
Ms. Nikki Powell**

**Degrees:**

M.A., Social Work - University of Illinois, Chicago, IL  
B.A., Sociology - Illinois State University, Normal, IL

**Certifications:**

Secondary (School Social Worker)

**Professional Experience:**

Ms. Powell is currently a School Social Worker at Wilmette Junior High School. Some of her responsibilities include providing individual and group counseling to students, co-facilitating groups with a speech-language pathologist, presenting at staff meetings about Social Emotional Learning and student mental health, and conducting social development study interviews with parents and students. Previously, Ms. Powell completed her school social work internship at Glenbrook North High School. She helped write individualized educational plans, presented assessment findings to parents, teachers, students, and administrators, and conducted classroom observations. She was also a school social worker intern at PEER Services where she created a curriculum and co-facilitated life skills classes for high school students at Evanston Township High School.

**Salary: \$74,353 (MA, Step A, 1.0 FTE)**  
**Start Date: August 15, 2022**



**Teacher, Special Education - GBN**  
**Ms. Maureen Temple**

**Degrees:**

M.Ed., Social Work and Special Education - National Louis University, Chicago, IL  
B.A., English and Music - Eastern Illinois University, Charleston, IL

**Certifications:**

Secondary (Learning Behavior Specialist 1, English, Speech, Speech-Communication, and Speech/Theatre)

**Professional Experience:**

Ms. Temple is currently a permanent substitute at Glenbrook North High School. Some of her responsibilities include teaching lessons, assisting in classrooms, providing 1:1 coverage, and assisting with projects and data compilation. Ms. Temple has also served in the Glenbrook North musical and marching band and has also helped to coordinating the variety show. Previously, she was a Special Education teacher for Geneva Community Unit School District 304, Wheeling, and Huntley High Schools where she taught British literature, public speaking, and English, created curriculums, and managed a caseload of students with autism.

**Salary:** **\$82,091 (MA, Step F, 1.0 FTE)**

**Start Date:** **August 15, 2022**



**Teacher, Social Studies - GBS  
Mr. Daniel Ham**

**Degrees:**

B.S., Secondary Education and Broad Field in Social Studies, Marquette University,  
Milwaukee, WI

**Certifications:**

Secondary (Social Science - History, Social Science - Political Science, Social Science -  
Geography, Social Science - Psychology, Social Science - Economics, and Social Science -  
Sociology and Anthropology)

**Professional Experience:**

Mr. Ham is currently an Instructional Assistant at Glenbrook South High School.  
Some of his responsibilities include assisting classroom teachers in conducting a wide  
variety of learning activities, participating in meetings and professional development  
activities, and assisting classroom teachers in the evaluation of student learning.

**Salary:** \$19,217 (BA, Step A, 0.3 FTE)  
**Start Date:** August 15, 2022



**Teacher, Science - GBN**  
**Mr. John Nichols**

**Degrees:**

M.A.T., Secondary Education - Physical Science, National Louis University, Chicago, IL  
M.S., Architectural Sciences (Acoustics), Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Troy, NY  
B.S., Engineering Physics, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, IL

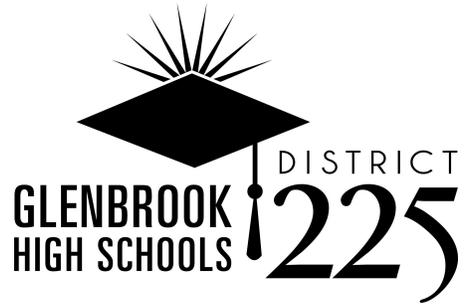
**Certifications:**

Secondary (Science-Physics, Science-Chemistry, and Technology Education)

**Professional Experience:**

Mr. Nichols is currently a physics teacher at Huntley Community School District 158. Some of his responsibilities include teaching AP Physics C, Honors Physics, and Electronics elective courses. Mr. Nichols also sponsors the Tabletop Games club while assisting in the Raider Aide in-school and after-school tutoring center. Previously, he served as a Senior Software Engineer at Knowles Corporation where he used graphical and text-based programming languages to design and write production test software integrated with a variety of measurement hardware.

**Salary:                   \$68,561 (MA+30, Step F, 0.8 FTE)**  
**Start Date:             August 15, 2022**



**Teacher, Fine Arts - GBS**  
**Ms. Shin-Shin Lin**  
**(Rehire)**

**Degrees:**

M.A., Art Education - University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Illinois  
B.S., Pharmacy - Taipei Medical College, Taiwan

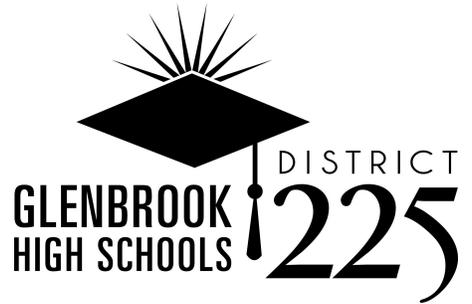
**Certifications:**

Secondary (Mandarin and Visual Arts)

**Professional Experience:**

Shin-Shin was recently a teacher at Glenbrook South High School where she teaches Mandarin Chinese Instruction. Previously, she served as a Chinese teacher at Fremd High School and taught Chinese/Mandarin 1, 2, 3, and AP Mandarin. During her time at Fremd High School, she developed a Chinese program by forming a Chinese club in which she served as the sponsor. In addition, Shin-Shin organized and led students on a trip to China.

**Salary:**                   **\$25,622 (MA, Step H, 0.3 FTE)**  
**Start Date:**           **August 15, 2022**



**Differential Extracurricular**

<u>Name</u>	<u>Bldg</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>CAT</u>	<u>Step</u>	<u>FTE</u>	<u>Start Date</u>	<u>Stipend Amount</u>
NONE							

**Discretionary Extracurricular**

<u>Name</u>	<u>Bldg</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>FTE</u> 1.0FTE = \$2,003	<u>Start Date</u>	<u>Stipend Amount</u>
NONE					

\*Revised from previously approved Board of Education document.