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**St. Johns Public Schools
Michigan Leadership Institute
Superintendent Search
News Release
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The St. Johns Public Schools Board of Education is excited to announce the selection of its next Superintendent of Schools to replace Mr. Mark Palmer. The replacement process began in February 2023.

After multiple interviews the Board of Education is pleased to enter into contract negotiations with Dr. Anthony Berthiaume to lead the St. Johns Public Schools.

Dr. Berthiaume has served as Superintendent of New Lothrop Area Public Schools since 2014. Prior, he served as Principal at New Lothrop Junior/High School from 2010-2014.

The Board of Education continues to sincerely thank Mark Palmer for his 24 dedicated years of service to the St. Johns Public Schools. His leadership has set up our new leader, and district, for continued success. The process has been facilitated by the Michigan Leadership Institute.

Together, we succeed.