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### ***Jeffco Public Schools Hires Chief Academic Officer***

**GOLDEN, Colo. (May, 2016)** – Jeffco Public Schools is pleased to announce that Matt Flores has been hired as the district’s new Chief Academic Officer. He brings vast school experience to this position. He has served as a classroom teacher, an elementary principal, a middle school principal, and a high school principal. He also has served four years in the district’s central office, most recently as the Executive Director of Curriculum and Instruction. In addition, Flores has been a member of several district advisory committees and system improvement teams.

“It is an honor and a pleasure to serve in this new role. In partnership with our talented colleagues, I am happy to support teaching and learning throughout Jefferson County Public Schools,” said Flores.

As the Chief Academic Officer, Flores will be directly responsible for the programs that support teaching and learning in our district. He will help to support our schools with the tools and resources needed to ensure impactful learning for our students. Matt Flores will collaborate directly with Chief Student Success Officer Kevin Carroll and Chief School Effectiveness Officer Terry Elliot, and will report directly to Superintendent Dan McMinimee.

### **About Jeffco Public Schools**

Jeffco Public Schools has been providing educational excellence for more than 60 years. Approximately nine percent of all the K-12 students in Colorado attend a Jeffco School. Our mission is to provide a quality education that prepares all children for a successful future. The district has 154 schools on 168 campuses. Additional information about Jeffco Public Schools can be found at [JeffcoPublicSchools.org](http://JeffcoPublicSchools.org).

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