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## Media Release

### **Principal of North Charleston High School Stepping Down**

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**Charleston, SC** — Principal Bob Grimm of North Charleston High School submitted his resignation effective today, Monday, August 22, 2016.

Mr. Grimm requested to be released from his contract due to urgent family health matters, which require him to relocate to Ohio.

Mr. Grimm apologized to his staff at North Charleston High School for the inconvenience associated with his departure during this time of year.

Charles Benton, who currently works in the District office, will be temporarily reassigned to assist at North Charleston High School while the District determines how to best fill the position.

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#### **About the Charleston County School District**

Charleston County School District (CCSD) is the second largest school system in South Carolina representing a unique blend of urban, suburban, and rural schools that span 1,000 square miles along the coast. CCSD serves more than 50,000 students in 86 schools and several specialized programs. With approximately 6,100 employees district-wide, CCSD is the fourth largest employer in the region.

CCSD offers a diverse, expanding portfolio of options and specialized programs, delivered through neighborhood, charter, magnet, IB (international baccalaureate), and Montessori schools, and is divided into three Learning Communities led by associate superintendents. Options include specialized programs in science, engineering and mathematics; liberal arts; music and other creative and performing arts; career and technical preparation programs; and military and other public service enterprises.