

**MARYLAND STATE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION  
PERSONNEL APPROVALS FOR THE January 26-27, 2010 BOARD MEETING**

**I. Appointments Grade 19 and above:**

<u>NAME</u>	<u>POSITION</u>	<u>SALARY GRADE</u>	<u>DIVISION/OFFICE</u>	<u>DATE OF APPOINTMENT</u>
Best, Clayton M.	Education Program Specialist II, Local Accountability Coordinator Liaison	22	Accountability and Assessment	TBD
Perrigan, Allen L.	Education Program Specialist II, Policy and Resource Specialist	22	Special Education/Early Intervention Services	TBD

**II. Appointments Grade 18 and below:**

<u>NAME</u>	<u>POSITION</u>	<u>SALARY GRADE</u>	<u>DIVISION/OFFICE</u>	<u>DATE OF APPOINTMENT</u>
Babatunde, Olalekan K.	Teacher, Special Education	IEPP	Career and College Readiness, Juvenile Services Education Program	12/16/2009
Corbin, Michael R.	Teacher, Academic	IEPP	Career and College Readiness, Juvenile Services Education Program	12/16/2009
Dobie-Lewis, Sharon M.	Teacher, Academic (Art)	IEPP	Career and College Readiness, Juvenile Services Education Program	01/27/2010
Fox, Fredrick T.	Teacher, Academic	IEPP	Career and College Readiness; Juvenile Services Education Program	12/16/2009
Ghalami, April Y.	Teacher, School Guidance Counselor	IEPP	Career and College Readiness, Juvenile Services Education Program	02/10/2010
Turner-Mixon, Jacquelyn F.	Teacher, Special Education	IEPP	Career and College Readiness, Juvenile Services Education Program	12/02/2009

**III. Other Actions:**

<u>NAME</u>	<u>POSITION</u>	<u>SALARY GRADE</u>	<u>DIVISION/OFFICE</u>	<u>DATE OF APPOINTMENT</u>
None				





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### BOARD LIST

The following professional appointment is submitted for approval by the State Board of Education:

**Name:** Allen L. Perrigan  
**Position:** Education Program Specialist II, Policy and Resource Specialist  
**Division:** Special Education/Early Intervention Services  
**Salary Grade:** 22 (\$58,783 - \$94,388)  
**Effective Date:** TBD

### JOB REQUIREMENTS:

#### **Education:**

A Master's Degree or equivalent 36 credit hours of post-baccalaureate course work in Education, Special Education, Education Policy or a closely related field.

#### **Experience:**

Five (5) years of administrative or teaching experience in, or affiliated with, special education programs or services. Professional experience developing interpreting, implementing and communicating education policies and procedures and supervision of professional staff are desirable.

### NOTES:

Two additional years of experience directly related to the position may be substituted for the Master's Degree. 2. Possession of a Doctorate in a field related to the position may be substituted for one year of the required experience.

### DESCRIPTION:

This is a professional position responsible for serving as the Lead Technical Specialist for policy development and review, product development, cross-divisional technical assistance activities of the Division to public agencies to carry out federal and State regulations, and complying and participating in the Maryland State Performance Plan (SPP) and Annual Performance Report (APR).

**Qualifications:**

**Education:**

College of Notre Dame (Baltimore, Maryland) 2002 – Master of Arts in Administration and Supervision

Frostburg State University (Frostburg, Maryland) 1994 – Bachelor of Science in Social Science

**Experience:**

Regional Institute for Child and Adolescents - RICA (Baltimore, Maryland)

2007 - Present: Principal

New Directions Academy (Baltimore, Maryland)

2004 – 2007: Principal

Montgomery County Public Schools (Rockville, Maryland)

1999 - 2004: Special Educator, Emotional Disturbances Cluster Program

Baltimore City Public Schools (Baltimore, Maryland)

1997 – 1999: Special Educator

**Employment Status**

New Hire



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**Name:** Clayton M. Best  
**Position:** Education Program Specialist II, Local Accountability Coordinator Liaison  
**Division:** Accountability and Assessment  
**Salary Grade:** 22 (\$58,783 - \$94,388)  
**Effective Date:** TBD

### JOB REQUIREMENTS:

#### **Education:**

A Master's Degree or equivalent 36 post baccalaureate credit hours of course work in Education, Education Policy, Communication or a related area. Experience working with K-12 student assessment is desirable.

#### **Experience:**

Five years of administrative or teaching experience in, or affiliated with, an education program, including two years of experience coordinating or administering an education program. Professional experience interpreting, implementing and communicating education policies and procedures is desirable.

### JOB DESCRIPTION:

This is a professional position serving as the Local Accountability Coordinator Liaison (LACL) responsible for providing coordination and technical assistance to local education agencies, Accountability Coordinators, other local school system personnel, and the general public regarding policies, procedures and guidelines for implementing Maryland Assessment and Accountability programs.

**Qualifications:**

University of Maryland College Park (College Park, Maryland) 1982 – Ph.D. in Physical Education

Dalhousie University (Halifax, Nova Scotia) 1975 – Master of Science Degree in Physical Education

Sonoma State University (Rohnert Park, California) 1972 – Bachelor’s Degree in History and Sociology

**Experience:**

American Institutes for Research (Washington, D.C.)

1999 – 2009: Principal Research Analyst (Assessment Program)

1990 – 1999: Senior Research Analyst (Education Research)

The Washington Consulting Group (Washington, D.C.)

1998 – 1990: Programmer/Analyst

Westat, Incorporated (Rockville, Maryland)

1986 – 1988: Systems Analyst

Orkand Corporation (Silver Spring, Maryland)

1984 – 1986: Staff Consultant

Econometric Research, Incorporated (Washington, D.C.)

1982 – 1984: Researcher

Opportunity Systems (Washington, D.C.)

1980 – 1981: Research Assistant

**EMPLOYMENT STATUS:**

New Hire