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Dr. Kristi-Lee Arrington Selected as Outstanding New Special Education Director



HOUSTON COUNTY, GA – The Georgia Council of Administrators of Special Education has selected Dr. Kristi-Lee Arrington as the 2024 Outstanding New Special Education Director. This award is given to a director within their first three years of administering special education programs or services who demonstrates exemplary leadership and service.

Dr. Arrington has worked in the Houston County School District for the past 22 years, serving as a teacher, Itinerant Autism Specialist and a Program Specialist. She currently serves as the Director of Student Services and has been in this role for two years. During this time, Dr. Arrington has led the initiative to add Sensory Rooms in various locations throughout the District, has championed the efforts of the Lindsey Student Support Center, and continues to foster positive relationships with students, parents, school administrators and community members.

“It is an honor to be selected for this award,” said Dr. Arrington. “I am thankful for the opportunity to serve Houston County School District in this capacity. I will continue to advocate for the students and families of Houston County to receive the services necessary to thrive now and in the future.”

For more information about the program and services provided through the Student Services Department, visit www.hcbe.net/student-services.

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