



**REGIONAL OFFICE OF EDUCATION #21**  
Franklin, Johnson, Massac & Williamson Counties  
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**Lorie LeQuatte**  
Regional Superintendent of Schools

## **Reports of Official Acts July 2022 – June 2023**

Pursuant to Article 3 of the Illinois School Code (105 ILCS 5/3-5)

	JULY – SEPT	OCT – DEC	JAN –MAR	APR -JUNE
<b>Regional Office of Education General Operations</b>				
# of ROE21 Employees	42 FTE / 9 PTE			
# of School Districts and Cooperatives	28			
# of School Buildings	58			
Square Mileage	1,410			
# of Students	19,443			
Administrators	119			
Professional Educators	Approx. 1300			
<b>Grant Programs</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• REACH Social Emotional Learning</li> <li>• Community Partnership Grant Pilot</li> <li>• Community Prevention Resources (CPR)</li> <li>• Elementary and Secondary School Education Relief I, II, III</li> <li>• ESSER Digital Grants</li> <li>• Franklin County Regional Delivery System of Support - CTE/Perkins Grants</li> <li>• Illinois Elevating Special Educators (IESE)</li> <li>• LEAD – Principal Mentoring</li> <li>• McKinney Vento Homeless</li> <li>• Partners Against Chronic Truancy (PACT)</li> <li>• STARQuest Academy Regional Safe School Program</li> </ul>				
McKinney Vento Homeless Children Served – ROE 21 / Area VI	Not yet available			

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	JULY - SEPT	OCT - DEC	JAN – MAR	APR -JUNE
Criminal Background and Fingerprinting <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Franklin</li> <li>Johnson</li> <li>Massac</li> <li>Williamson</li> </ul>	<b>Total - 621</b> 164 22 115 320			
Regional Board of School Trustees (RBST) Reorganization Hearings/Meetings	1 Annexation/ Detachment Hearing			
RBST Annexation/Detachment Hearings and Inquiries	49 Inquiries			
State/Regional/Local Meetings	81			
ROE 21 Administrator's Back to School Meeting	1 with 125 attendees			
ROE 21 Director Meetings	3			
ROE 21 Licensure Staff Meetings	2			
ROE 21 Annual Staff Meeting	1			
Social Emotional Learning Staff Mtg	5			
LEAD Principal Mentoring Mtgs	10			
Illinois Elevating Special Educators Mtgs	10			
Superintendent Meetings	1			
Principal Roundtable	1			
School Social Worker/Guidance Counselor Roundtables	1			
Curriculum Director Roundtable	1			
District Compliance / ROE Recognition of Schools (Public and Nonpublic)	23			
Home School Registrations	0/0/10/12			
Student Work Permits – Illinois Dept. of Labor	1/0/0/3			
Coats for Kids, Inc.	-			
Kids' Foundation	19			
<b>Licensure and Certification</b>				
Educator License Registered	293			
Licenses Registered	302			
Licenses Issues	1142			
Substitute Teacher Licenses Registered	101			
Endorsements Issued	41			
Paraprofessional Licenses Issued	74			
Teacher Retirement System Conferences	-			
Short Term Substitute Teacher Trainings	2			
Retired Teacher Return to Teaching Consultations / Approvals	2			
Substitute Teacher List	430			

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<b>Partners Against Chronic Truancy (PACT) Intervention Program</b>	<b>F/J/M/W</b>	<b>F/J/M/W</b>	<b>F/J/M/W</b>	<b>F/J/M/W</b>
Student Monitoring (Referrals Received)	38/13/4/124			
School Visits / Student Intervention Meetings	18/20/15/46			
Home Visits	9/2/2/7			
Truancy Review Board (TRB) Meetings w/ State's Attorneys, social service agencies, school personnel	0/1/0/2			
Court Hearings	0/2/1/19			
Student Intervention Correspondence (letters and phone calls)	71/25/8/230			
Project ECHO Junior High Program Referrals	3/0/0/8			
Students not progressing past Step 2	91.6%			
PACT Team Meetings	4			
<b>High School Equivalency Test (GED)</b>				
GED Tests Administered	14			
Successful Completion of a portion of GED	11			
Successful Completion / GED Certificate earned	2			
GED Transcripts Processed	12/1/8/19			
GED Certifications Processed	8/0/0/16			
GED 3 <sup>rd</sup> Party Verifications	23/0/14/23			
Constitution Tests Administered	0			
<b>Bus Driver Trainings</b>				
Initial Training / # participants	1 / 17			
Refresher Training / # participants	3 / 181			
<b>Health Life &amp; Safety</b>				
District Buildings inspected	15			
Building Permits Issued	7			
Occupancy Permits Issued	2			
Completion Permits Issued	4			
10-year Surveys Processed	0			
Maintenance Grants Processed	3			
Approved Health Life Safety Funds	4			
<b>Project ECHO Alternative School</b>				
Enrollment 9-12 Grade	71			
Enrollment 7/8 Grade	18			
Staff Employed	17			
Community Resources – <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Community Partnership Grant</li> <li>Stress &amp; Trauma Center Counseling</li> <li>SIU Care-A-Van Services</li> </ul>				

<b>STARQuest Academy Regional Safe School Program (RSSP)</b>				
STARQuest Academy RSSP North Campus Enrollment - 6, 7, 8 grades	9			
STARQuest Academy South RSSP South Campus Enrollment - 6-12 grades	7			
Staff Employed	5			
<b>Project ECHO Juvenile Detention Center Education Program</b>				
Students Served	24			
Staff Employed	1			
<b>Professional Learning</b>				
Professional Learning Activities / # of Participants	15 / 906			
Administrator Academies / # of Participants	2 / 13			
ROE 21 Instructional Coaching Cohorts / # of Participants	4 / 120			
Needs Assessment / # of Participants	417			
Individual School Workshops / # of Participants	5 / 131			
Substitute Teacher Trainings / # of Participants	-			
PACT Trainings	2			
<b>Community Partnerships</b>				
SIU Care-A-Van Advisory Board				
SIU Aviation Technology Advisory Board				
Centerstone Building Compassionate Communities Grant Advisory Board				
Resilient Southern Illinois				
<b>Professional Associations</b>				
IARSS - Illinois Association of Regional School Superintendents – Association Secretary				
IASA – Illinois Association of School Administrators				
AASA – American Association of School Administrators				
IPA – Illinois Principal Associations				
IASBO- Illinois Association of School Business Officials				
ISBE – Illinois State Board of Education				

Date	Activities of the Regional Superintendent
7/5- 7/8/2022	Regional Board of School Trustees Board Meeting - Annexation / Detachment Hearing Meet @ ECHO Alt. School w/ Contractors Meet @ ECHO w/ Redemption Church and Hwy 37 Water Dept. Franklin Cty Supt. Breakfast mtg ISBE/IARSS Bi-Weekly Meeting
7/11 -7/15/2022	Finance Meeting Administrative Assistant Interviews IT Meeting IARSS Legislative Meeting ISP Webinar LEAD Coordination Meeting Strategic Planning Meeting Threat Assessment Policies Absenteeism and Truancy Policies Franklin County Board Meeting Social Emotional Hub Director Meeting RTI Specialist – Teacher Interview
7/18-7/22/2022	Franklin County Board Mtg. IARSS General Committee Meetings/Executive Meetings ECHO Alternative School Curriculum Team Work Day ISBE / IARSS Bi-Weekly Meeting
7/25 – 7/29/2022	Coats for Kids Golf Scramble Massac County School Board Meeting IARSS Area VI Meeting Technology Meeting Teacher’s Aide Interviews Dean of Students Interviews Installation of Surveillance systems – Alternative and RSSP Schools
8/1 – 8/5/2022 Review from other planner for corrections	ECHO Office staff return Dean of Students Interview ROE #21 Monthly Director’s Meeting Staff Evaluations County Board Meeting IARSS/ISBE Zoom Mtg
8/8 - 8/12/2022	ROE #21 All Staff Back to School Meeting Franklin County Juvenile Detention Center Meeting – Education LEAD Ed Meeting Youth Mental Health First Aid Training for ECHO/STARQuest/JDC Staff Johnson County Board Meeting – Introduce new Administrative Assistant Subs for Subs Event Meeting with Bi-County for a grant Franklin County Supt. Mtg SEL Hub Area Director Meeting Website Meeting
8/15 – 8/19/2022	County Board Meeting Work at Alternative School Technology Meeting Community Partnership Grant Meeting Communications Director Meeting Interviews IARSS / ISBE Student Records Training FOIA Training Open Meetings Act Training

	Update Policies per new laws
8/22 – 8/26/2022	ECHO Curriculum Team Meeting SEL Hub REACH Year 2 Meeting
8/29 -9/2/2022	Occupancy Permit Alternative School Begin collection of Annual Financial Reports and Treasurer's Bonds from districts Begin ROE 21 Annual Audit ROE 21 Superintendent Meeting Annual Safety Review and Threat Assessment – Johnston City Schools IARSS / ISBE Zoom Meeting Suicide and Crisis Prevention Plan meeting w/ Alternative School Administrator Academy – Power of Positive Teams Communications Meeting
9/5 – 9/9/2022	County Board Meeting IASA Shawnee Meeting @ JALC Community Partnership Grant Meeting Annexation Dissolution Hearing Preparation Alternative School Meeting
9/12 – 9/16/2022	Suicide Awareness & Prevention Policy Meeting ROE 21 Director Staff Meeting Technology Training Annexation Dissolution Hearing Preparation Subs for Subs Training Student Information System Training Johnson County Cabinet for Child and Youth IARSS/ISBE Zoom Meeting
9/19 -9/23/2022	LEAD Grant Updates Alternative School Meetings County Board Meeting Partners Against Chronic Truancy Staff Meeting IARSS General and Executive Meetings in Springfield Audit Interview Franklin County Regional Delivery System Board of Control Meeting Technology Meeting County Budget Meeting Instructional Cohort Training

*ROE #21 Staff – 49 Staff – 42 FTE/7 PTE (8 County Funded/41 Grant Funded)*

FRANKLIN COUNTY OFFICE		
NAME	COUNTY	POSITION
Lorie LeQuatte	All	Regional Superintendent
Alison Cross	Franklin	Accounting/Internal Control
Michelle Sears	Franklin	Administrative Assistant
Heather Russell	Franklin	Administrative Assistant
Luke Saeger	Franklin	Partners Against Chronic Truancy Interventionist
Pam Walden	Franklin	LEAD Hub Coordinator
Jan Farkus	Franklin	Career and Technical Education Vocation System Director – PTE
Nancy Kinsey	Franklin	Career and Technical Education Assistant Director - PTE

JOHNSON COUNTY OFFICE		
NAME	COUNTY	POSITION
Emmalee McPheron	Johnson	Clerical PTE

MASSAC COUNTY OFFICE		
NAME	COUNTY	POSITION
Janice Barrett	Massac	Clerical PTE
Steve Karraker	Massac	Bus Driver Trainer PTE

WILLIAMSON COUNTY OFFICE		
NAME	COUNTY	POSITION
Lorie LeQuatte	Williamson	Regional Superintendent
Mandy Horn	Williamson	Assistant Regional Superintendent
Johna Schullian	Williamson	Comptroller / McKinney Vento Homeless Program Director
Lisa Drury	Williamson	McKinney Vento Homeless Regional Liaison
Jeff Bink	Williamson	Heath Life & Safety Coordinator / Partners Against Chronic Truancy Interventionist
John Cox	Williamson	Partners Against Chronic Truancy Interventionist
Crystal Newcomb	Franklin	School Social Worker
Brittany Grove	Williamson	Regional Communications Manager
Kenlee Smith	Franklin	Assistant Grant Coordinator
Dr. Christine Wiggs	Williamson	Professional Development Coordinator
Roxanna Alldredge	Franklin	Illinois Elevating Special Educators Program Advisor – Area V
Amanda Spannagel	Williamson	Illinois Elevating Special Educators Program Specialist – Area V
Dr. Terry Ryker	Williamson	LEAD Principal Coach
Dr. DeAnn Schnautz	Williamson	LEAD Principal Coach
Dr. Kristin Ing	Franklin	LEAD Principal Coach
Chad Milburn	Williamson	Network Specialist
Karen Wolfe	Jackson	IT Coordinator
Kate West	Williamson	Community Prevention Resources Director
Samantha Lampley	Williamson	Community Prevention Resources Project Manager
Michaela Hesteness	Williamson	Administrative Assistant
Kinsey Vanwey	Williamson	Administrative Assistant

PROJECT ECHO ALTERNATIVE SCHOOL	
NAME	POSITION
Cortney Hale	Principal
Jason Spannagel	Assistant Principal
Deanna Morris	Student Services Director
Michaela Stanley	School Social Worker
Lisa Stanton	Family and Community Engagement Specialist
Julie Hilliard	Administrative Assistant / Teacher's Aide
Donica Melvin	School Secretary
Jim Toms	High School Instructor
Gina Grant	High School Instructor
Sarah Dubach	High School Instructor
Brice Evans	High School Instructor
Renee Lowe	Junior High Instructor
Tammy Atkins	Junior High Instructor
Caitlin Spiller	RTI Specialist
Cathy Gude	Teacher's Aide
Mario Allois	Custodian (PTE)
Don Eldridge	Custodian / Maintenance

STARQUEST ACADEMY REGIONAL SAFE SCHOOL	
NAME	POSITION
Cortney Hale	Director
Deanna Hamilton	Instructor North Campus
Jeremy Holley	Assistant Director South Campus
Molly Stephens	Teacher's Aide South Campus

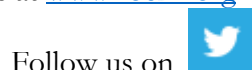
PROJECT ECHO JUVENILE DETENTION CENTER EDUCATION PROGRAM	
NAME	POSITION
Jeff Hammonds	Lead Instructor

### Have questions about anything in this report?

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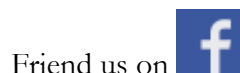
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**ROE #21 covers Area VI for grants as well as  
ROE's 45 and 50 for the Elevating Special Educators Grant**

