

WEST OSO INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

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WEST OSO ISD ANNOUNCES

MR. JOSEPH RUPP

AS THE PRINCIPAL OF

WEST OSO ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

West Oso Independent School District is proud to announce Mr. Joseph Rupp as the new Principal of West Oso Elementary School, effective for the 2026–2027 school year.

Mr. Rupp is an experienced educational leader with a strong record of enhancing community engagement, facilitating professional learning communities, and leading initiatives that improve student participation and academic achievement across diverse student populations.

With a broad range s of experience serving as an assistant principal at the elementary, middle, and high school levels, Mr. Rupp brings a wealth of knowledge and a proven commitment to building strong, student-centered school communities.

He is dedicated to fostering a positive elementary school environment where academic excellence, student growth, and character development are equally valued. His leadership is rooted in high expectations, meaningful relationships, and a clear vision for empowering both students and staff to achieve success.

Mr. Rupp earned a Bachelor of Science degree from Texas A&M University Corpus Christi and a Master of Science in Educational Administration from Lamar University.

“I am truly honored and excited to serve as Principal of West Oso Elementary School. I look forward to working alongside our dedicated teachers, staff, students, and families to build a positive, supportive learning environment where every child feels valued, challenged, and encouraged to reach their full potential. Together, we will create a school culture centered on high expectations, meaningful relationships, and student success,” said Mr. Joseph Rupp.

“We are excited to welcome Mr. Joseph Rupp as the new principal of West Oso Elementary School,” said Superintendent Kimberly Moore. “His leadership reflects innovation, collaboration, and a steadfast commitment to student success. He brings creative ideas, strong instructional leadership, and a student-centered vision to the campus. By combining innovative thinking with a data-driven approach to instruction, he will work alongside staff, students, and families to build a culture of continuous improvement and ensure every student has the opportunity to grow, achieve, and excel.”

West Oso ISD is excited to welcome Mr. Joseph Rupp to his new role and looks forward to the leadership, dedication, and vision he will bring to West Oso Elementary School. The district is confident that, together with students, staff, families, and the community, Mr. Rupp will continue to build a culture of excellence where every child is empowered to learn, grow, and succeed.



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