



# Media Release

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## **Jodie Mattia Appointed as Principal of Norwood Elementary School**

Wetaskiwin Regional Public Schools (WRPS) is very pleased to announce that Jodie Mattia has been appointed as Principal of Norwood Elementary School.

Jodie joined the school division in 1994 and has taught in elementary, junior high and special education programs. She worked as a school counselor at two schools and was the Vice Principal at Norwood School prior to being appointed Acting Principal at Rosebrier Community School in 2011. Jodie received her Master's degree in Educational Psychology from the University of Alberta in 2005.

Randy Risto, Associate Superintendent of Schools stated, "We are extremely pleased that Mrs. Mattia accepted the position. She brings a wealth of experience and a high level of skill in the many areas for which she will be responsible."

Jodie stated: "I look forward to continuing my work with the Board and the Division in this new role. I appreciate the confidence that the Division has demonstrated in me and look forward to working with the staff, students and the parents of Norwood School."

Mrs. Mattia will assume the Principal of Norwood Elementary School duties and responsibilities effective August 1<sup>st</sup>, 2012.

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