

December 16, 2019

Mr. Denk and USD 434 BOE,

It is with mixed emotions I write this letter to inform you that I will be retiring at the end of the 2019-2020 school year. This district has been my home for 28 years and I owe the BOE and these communities many thanks for entrusting me with the education of so many students. Many of these students have gone on to become teachers who I am thrilled to work with as well as follow their careers in other districts.

Thank you from the bottom of my heart for 28 wonderful years of teaching, coaching, mentoring and growing as an educator. My future plans include working for Kansas Corn in their Seed to STEM program as a lead teacher. I hope to be able to come back to the district elementary classrooms as a guest speaker providing STEM lessons on the topic of corn and its role in Kansas.

Sincerely,

Shelly Robinson