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Staff at Vina High School

Brittany Fannell 6th grade teacher

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Tonyca Scott

I am a teacher of elementary students. I need high-speed Internet connection because I use the Internet in the classroom on a daily basis. Thanks.

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Franklin County Pre-K Director  
VHS Local Reading Specialist

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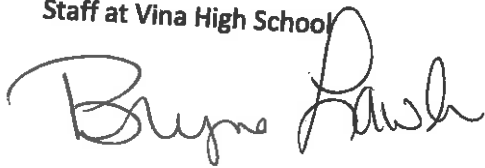
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*Monica Guir*  
*(First Grade Teacher)*

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Beckie McSee  
2nd Grade Teacher

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(Kindergarten Teacher)

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Ashley Easterling - STAFF



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Charfelle Shotts  
VHS Secretary

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*Patsy Swinney, Librarian*

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*Emily Langste*  
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Kendra James  
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Jessica Childers RN  
School Nurse

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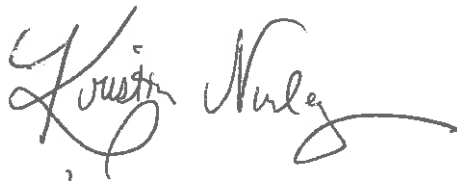
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Kristin Nunley  
Agriscience Teacher

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