

March 17, 2015

Mr. Jesse Steiner, Superintendent of Schools
585 E. Livingston St
Celina, Ohio 45822

Mr. Steiner:

Please accept my resignation as Music Teacher at Celina Elementary and Celina Intermediate schools. It is my intention to retire at the end of the 2014-15 school year.

I have enjoyed my years of serving the students of Celina in many capacities: teaching 2nd -6th gifted students, assisting with high school marching band, teaching 5th grade science and language arts, and most recently K-4 general music and 5th /6th beginning band, but feel it is time for me to pursue other interests.

At the current time, I am fascinated with recent research linking music and early brain development. I'm looking forward to having the time to investigate this relationship with my grandchildren and perhaps, if the opportunity arises, with preschool children in the area. As a retired teacher, I plan to stay involved with important issues facing our community and schools in the coming years. I remain a strong advocate of continuing and expanding both visual and performing arts for all students, inspiring the creativity and innovation so important for the future.

Thank-you.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Kay Klopffleisch". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the printed name.

Kay Klopffleisch

CC: Dan Pohlman, Cory Ahrens