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**Lexington One names Rocky Creek Elementary principal**

LEXINGTON, S.C. — Today Superintendent Karen C. Woodward announced that at the Tuesday, Sept. 15, 2009 meeting of the Lexington County School District One Board of Trustees, the board named Lynn Boyleston principal of Rocky Creek Elementary School. This move is effective July 1, 2010.

Boyleston currently serves as principal of Lake Murray Elementary School in Lexington County School District One and has more than 33 years of experience in public education.

The new Rocky Creek Elementary School, located on Calks Ferry Road, opens next year and construction is underway on the more than 117,000-square-foot building.

Boyleston began her career as a special education teacher at Wren High School in Anderson in 1976. In 1979 she moved to Kelly Edwards Elementary School in Williston. She joined Lexington One in 1989 as a fourth-grade teacher at Lexington Elementary School.

She was promoted to the position of assistant principal in 1992 and moved to Lake Murray Elementary School when it opened in 1999. She became principal there in 2002.

Boyleston holds bachelor's and master's degrees from Clemson University. She is a member of the South Carolina Association of School Administrators, Columbia Area Reading Council, State Council of the International Reading Association, and the South Carolina Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development.

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