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Stuart Brochu-Ward Named Assistant Principal at Oneida Middle School

The Schenectady City School District is pleased to announce the appointment of Stuart Brochu-Ward as the new Assistant Principal of Oneida Middle School.

Brochu-Ward is a deeply familiar face to the Oneida community, having previously served the building as a Health Education Teacher. During his tenure at Oneida, he was heavily involved in driving school culture through the Building Leadership Team (BLT), the PBIS Committee, restorative practices, and school improvement initiatives. Most recently, he completed a graduate leadership internship within the Schenectady City School District, working directly alongside building and district administrators to support school operations, instructional leadership, student discipline, family engagement, and co goals.



Originally from Australia, Brochu-Ward has lived and worked across educational systems in Australia, the United Kingdom, Ireland, and the United States. His extensive leadership background includes serving as the Principal of Tiwi College in Australia's Northern Territory, a remote Indigenous boarding school serving students from kindergarten through high school. He also served as the Director of the Arethusa Sports Academy in Brisbane, Australia, leading an alternative education program designed to support students with diverse academic, behavioral, and social-emotional needs.

Having led students across traditional public schools, remote Indigenous education, and alternative settings, Brochu-Ward brings a profound understanding of how to meet the diverse needs of students, families, and school communities. He is a New York State certified School Building Leader who holds a Bachelor of Education and is in the final stages of completing a Master of Science in Educational Leadership at Manhattanville University.

Passionate about creating positive, inclusive learning environments, Brochu-Ward's leadership approach centers on culturally responsive leadership, trauma-informed care, and robust PBIS and restorative practices. He firmly believes that the best schools are built on strong relationships, high expectations, and an unyielding commitment to ensuring every student feels supported, challenged, and valued.

Outside of school, Mr. Brochu-Ward enjoys fishing, staying active, tackling home renovation projects, and spending quality time with family and his puppy, Rooley.

Please join us in congratulating Mr. Brochu-Ward as he transitions into his new role as Assistant Principal.