

4/20/21

Dear Henderson County Schools Board Members,

I would like to respectfully request an educational leave of absence for the 2021-2022 school year. I will be completing my third year in the Family Nurse Practitioner Program at Morehead State University. Until this point, the courses have primarily been online. The program requires that six hundred practicum hours be completed over the next three semesters. Beginning in August I will need to start the first of the three practicums. Continuing in my current position is not an option as I will need to complete these hours Monday through Friday.

I have been a Health Science teacher at Henderson County High School for the last fourteen years educating students to become future health care workers. I have greatly enjoyed the opportunity to educate others and have been compelled to further my own education with a Master's Degree in the Science of Nursing (MSN).

During this educational leave I am willing to be available to answer any questions that the Health Science Department may have. I am currently the only pre-nursing teacher at Henderson County High School and I realize some questions may need to be answered while I am on leave.

Thank you for considering an educational leave of absence to allow me to continue my education. It is truly apparent that Henderson County Schools is intentional in upholding the core values of inspiring human greatness, genuine relationships are the foundations of everything you do, and being the change agent.

Sincerely,

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

Ashley Bruner-Bailey