

## **Bullitt County Public Schools**

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**MEMO** 

TO: Jesse Bacon

From: Ed Oyler 240

Date: 11MAY2021

RE: Request to Paint a Wall Mural

Facilities and Grounds Department request BOE approval, for Lebanon Junction Staff. to alter a wall by painting a mural in the vicinity of front office area. The area where the wall is located, is often used to as a behavior de-escalation location for Special Education students. By painting the wall, the area for students, will be more esthetically comforting and assist in curbing inappropriate behaviors.

The mural will not alter the structure of the room and funding for the project will be less than \$200 at no additional expense to the district.

I recommend the Board approve this request. If you have questions, please feel free to contact me at (502) 639-3454.

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## Daniel Mullins, Principal

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Jami Willis, Counselor 10920 S. Preston HWY Lebanon Junction. KY 40150

**MEMO** 

To: Jesse Bacon, Superintendent

From: Daniel Mullins

Date: April 19, 2021

Board Agenda Item: (painting mural)

I am requesting that Lebanon Junction Elementary be granted permission from the board to paint a mural in an office area. The Counselor's outer office is a small space that used to be used for small groups and sensory objects, however, with increasing behaviors, this space is often used by special education staff to separate students from peers when they are escalated. As a result, all items had to be removed as they became objects to be destroyed or thrown by students during escalation prior to being retrained. Now, this outer office area is an empty white space. We would like to have our ART teacher paint a mural on these walls that depicts strategies for self-regulation and de-escalation. This would not only provide students with a visual reminder of the strategies they are taught by their teacher, but also ensure that this room is not viewed by students or adults as a "holding room" and maintains an instructional purpose. We are only asking to paint the walls of the room, and are not seeking to make structural changes, so this area could easily be painted or covered in the future.

Daniel Mullins, Principal