

SURRY COUNTY SCHOOLS

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Surry County Schools CTE Team Member Earns Regional Honor

Wednesday, July 20, 2022 was a great day for Career and Technical Education (CTE) in Surry County! Mrs. Paula Brinkley, CTE Instructional Management Coordinator for Surry County Schools, was chosen to represent the Piedmont-Triad as Curriculum and Instruction Management Coordinator of the Year during the 2022 CTE Summer Conference.

Brinkley received her Bachelor of Science degree from the University of Greensboro before attending Appalachian State University and receiving her Masters in Instructional Technology.

Brinkley first entered the classroom as a substitute teacher with Surry County Schools, serving in various schools before becoming the Business teacher at East Surry High School. She transitioned from the classroom to her role as Career Development Coordinator and Special Populations Coordinator at East Surry High School. Now, Brinkley serves as the CTE Curriculum and Instructional Management Coordinator/Special Populations Coordinator for the district.

Mrs. Brinkley resides in Surry County with her husband Jeff, and their two daughters.



(l-r) Neil Atkins, Surry County Schools Director of Accountability, Student Services, and Career & Technical Education, Paula Brinkley, Dr. DeAnne Danley, Assistant Superintendent, and Dr. Travis L. Reeves, Superintendent.