## NORTH HUNTERDON HIGH SCHOOL



## **Department of Special Services**

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Dear North Hunterdon Community,

My name is <u>Robert Pellechio</u> and I am the Assistant Principal of Special Services at North Hunterdon High School. The purpose of this letter is to inform you of the personnel changes in the Child Study Team and introduce myself.

This year, we welcome two new School Psychologists to the North Hunterdon Child Study Team. Case management letters were mailed out on August 3rd so parents are aware of their child's case manager.

My responsibility at North Hunterdon High School is to oversee everything that pertains to Special Services. I oversee the Child Study Team, the Special Education Department teachers and aides, and all Special Education Programs in the building.

The 2023-2024 school year marks the start of my 15th year in education. I began my career in the Morris School District where I spent nine years as a teacher and an administrator. I taught in fifth-grade classrooms, high school classrooms and worked to develop a variety of special class programs. In 2017, I became one of the Assistant Principals of Morristown High School overseeing Special Education, the Child Study Team, and the Technology Education Department. In 2018, I was made aware of an administrative opening at my alma mater so I jumped at the opportunity. This will be the start of my 6th year at North Hunterdon High School and I am happy to be a part of the Lion Pride community.

As a lifelong learner myself, I strive to expand opportunities for all students and foster an inclusive culture, one that is built on understanding, compassion, and respect. My goal is to help students and their families reach their goals.

I understand it can be an overwhelming challenge to learn that your child may have a disability. I promise you that you couldn't be in a better school than North Hunterdon High School as it is a place that is filled with people who truly care. The staff members who work in the Special

Education Department are here because they have a passion and purpose in their lives to serve children and give back to the community.

Please know that you are supported and that your school, community, and I are ready to assist. Together we will overcome challenges, provide enriching education, and inspire the lives of children. I hope you and your families had an enjoyable summer. I am looking forward to an exciting 2023-2024 School Year.

Sincerely,

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