

**COBB COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT  
HUMAN RESOURCES**

**PATRICIA ALFORD, Ph.D.**

**RECOMMENDED FOR:** REASSIGNMENT

**TO:** PRINCIPAL, DODGEN MIDDLE SCHOOL

**FROM:** PRINCIPAL, DURHAM MIDDLE SCHOOL

**EFFECTIVE:** JULY 1, 2019

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**EDUCATION:**

B.A., University of Georgia

M.Ed., Kennesaw State University

Ed.S., University of West Georgia

Ph.D., University of Southern Mississippi

Graduate, 2007-2008 Cobb County School District  
Leadership Academy I for Prospective Administrators

Graduate, 2011-2012 Cobb County School District Leadership  
Academy III for Aspiring Principals

SRL 7 Educational Leadership Certificate

**EXPERIENCE:**

2014-Present, Principal, Durham Middle School

2011-2014, Assistant Principal, Dickerson Middle School

2010-2011, Assistant Administrator, Dickerson Middle School

2008-2010, .5 Assistant Administrator/.5 Teacher, Dickerson Middle  
School

2004-2008, Teacher, Dickerson Middle School

2001-2004, Teacher, East Cobb Middle School

1999-2001, Associate/Human Resources Consultant, Zweig, White,  
and Associates, Inc., Atlanta, GA