



Biography for Treva Jeffries

Currently the Executive Director of Equity, Diversity and Inclusion, Treva Jeffries has served in various capacities for the Toledo Public School District. Most recently Ms. Jeffries was the Assistant Transformational Leader of High Schools, following her eight year tenure as the Principal at Jesup W. Scott High School. A 1992 graduate of Jesup W. Scott High School, Ms. Jeffries received her B.S. in Biology from Kentucky State University in 1997 and M. Ed in Curriculum, Instruction and Professional Development from Bowling Green State University in 2000. Ms. Jeffries has studied as a doctoral student at Bowling Green State University in Educational Administration & Leadership Studies. While attending Kentucky State University Ms. Jeffries was a member of the Thorobred volleyball team and served as Miss Kentucky State University 1996. As a teacher at Scott High School, Ms. Jeffries was the Cheerleading Coach as well as Head Volleyball Coach. After her tenure as a teacher, she served as the Science Curriculum Director for Toledo Public Schools. Realizing her passion was direct involvement with the students, in 2008, she returned to Scott High School as the Director of Small Schools. During her first year as Director, she coordinated and implemented the plan for a smooth

transition for her staff and students to a “swing space” while the full renovation of Scott High School took place.

Two notable moments in her career have been hosting President Barack Obama’s visit to Jesup W. Scott High School on Labor Day 2012 and serving as the Centennial Principal of Scott High School, of which she was influential in the planning of the primary events and the culminating centennial celebration. Furthermore, Ms. Jeffries has consistently devoted her time and effort to her community and school district. In addition to dedication to her career, she is proud of her daughters Blake, currently a Junior at Bethune Cookman University, and her adopted daughter Antionette, a civilian employee at Fort Benning in Georgia and enjoying her 6 month old son Zachary. Ms. Jeffries is a member of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. and The National Sorority of Phi Delta Kappa, Inc. Finally, Ms. Jeffries has conducted school improvement and cultural competency workshops and seminars for organizations and events including the UT3 program, the University of Toledo urban education program for pre-service teachers, High Schools That Work and the Mid-Ohio Educational Service Center.

Ms. Jeffries has received honors such as The Blade *Teacher of the Week*, the Maumee Bay Club “2012 Unsung Hero” Award, 2014 Twenty Under Forty Award and 2014 African American Legacy Project Emerging Leader Award. Ms. Jeffries works tirelessly to uphold high standards and expectations. Education is truly her passion.