

# MEET THE CANDIDATES FOR SECOND VICE PRESIDENT



## Jonathan Hilliard



Jonathan is currently the Second Vice President of the Brevard Federation of Teachers. While in this position he has been a part of the team of release officers that have increased overall membership to 64%. During his tenure in this position, he has had the opportunity to visit nearly all of the schools in the district. This was evident in BFT's successful millage campaign that raised veteran teacher pay.

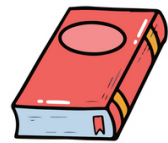
He has taught fourth grade at Apollo Elementary, and sixth grade at South Lake Elementary. He has the unique experience of having both classroom experience coupled with leadership experience. He has been a Title 1 Coordinator, Testing Coordinator, CPI and B.E.S.T. trainer. He is looking to continue to be your Second Vice President for another term to finish the fight for teacher pay, safe working conditions, affordable health care, and the right for our union to exist.



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**Kevin  
Howkins**



Kevin Howkins is a proud husband and father of two children who has dedicated the last 22 years to Brevard Public Schools as an Exceptional Student Educator, BFT Building Representative for Golfview Elementary, and Central Area Director on the Union's Executive board. Kevin's multifaceted experience comes from being a teacher of students with disabilities along with being a volunteer for summer camp at his church. After 22 years of prioritizing the impact of a great teacher in the classroom setting, Kevin has decided to put the years of experience he has gained through the union board towards elevating student education at the county level.

For over two decades Kevin has been teaching hands on and high energy lessons in a Self-Contained Supported Level Varying Exceptional Education class at Golfview Elementary Magnet School. Former students and their families continue to emphasize the wonderful experience and education that was provided for their children. Kevin is excited to run for your Second Vice President of the Brevard Federation of Teachers. Kevin's goals if elected will include the desire to grow membership to 70% and higher through a focus on increasing the participation opportunities of schools with a low density of members, continue to improve legislation for the diverse range of students in our county and provide the best service to the teachers that belong to the Brevard Federation of Teachers. Please vote for your next Second Vice President Kevin Howkins.