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Dr. Dustin Saxton Appointed Principal at El Modena High School

May 10, 2013 (Orange, CA) - The Orange Unified School District is pleased to announce the appointment of Dr. Dustin Saxton to the position of El Modena High School Principal.

Saxton started his education career in 1991 as a mathematics teacher at a private school. Five years later, he began teaching Algebra, Geometry, Algebra II, and Calculus at San Bernardino High School, where he also coached varsity football, basketball, and baseball.

After serving as principal of a private K-12 school in Redlands, CA, Saxton moved on to Assistant Principal at the high school level in Alvord Unified, Upland Unified, and at Orange High School in Orange Unified School District. His responsibilities as a high school assistant principal included leadership of: Discipline and Attendance, the Math Department, the Summer School Program, the Adult Education program, the Special Education Department, Activities, and Athletics.

“I feel excited, honored, and privileged to be named the new principal at El Modena High School. El Modena has a rich tradition of excellence, and I am looking forward to working with the students, staff, and the El Modena community to build on that tradition,” remarked Saxton upon learning of his appointment.

Born in Illinois, Saxton is a graduate of Drury University, National University, and La Sierra University. He holds a Bachelor's degree in Business Administration, a Masters Degree in Instructional Leadership and a Specialist in Education degree (Ed.S.) in Administration and Leadership. He also received a Master's of Divinity (M. Div) and a Doctor of Divinity (D. Div.) from Dallas Theological Seminary.

Saxton is the proud father of two sons aged 18 and 20. His wife, Debra, has taught special education for 21 years.

The Orange Unified School District is located at 1401 North Handy Street in Orange, CA

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