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Dale Edwin Margheim has served as an elementary school principal in Virginia for 20 years. Additionally, he has worked throughout the elementary and middle school grades as a teacher in regular education and special education, and he has served as a coordinator of gifted education.

Mr. Margheim holds a bachelor's degree in English from the University of Houston and a master's degree in curriculum and instruction from Virginia Tech. He holds state certification in English, learning disabilities, emotional disturbances, reading, and elementary education.

Mr. Margheim has a longstanding interest in the welfare and program needs of unique populations of students, including those who are at-risk due to disabilities or family poverty. He is interested in the power of the principal-teacher relationship to improve the quality of education for students.

Mr. Margheim is an avid outdoorsman who enjoys canoeing, fishing, motorcycling, hiking, and camping. He lives near the Virginia Tech campus with his wife, Lynn, and his children, Chance and Hannah.

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