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Mr. Luna Mishoe The New Face of Global Studies at Northeast

Northeast School takes pride in our Global Studies magnet. As a community, we all have a responsibility to contribute to who our children become as global citizens. At Northeast, you can count on us to expose students to world geography and culture while infusing lessons on acceptance, tolerance and respect. I'm sure we all agree that this is not a simple task. To facilitate this mission, Northeast charges one educator, in the role of Global Studies Coordinator. This year Northeast welcomes a new Global Studies Coordinator, Mr. Luna Mishoe.



Mr. Mishoe is a seasoned and committed educator who has a rich background. A native of New Jersey, Mishoe was born in Piscataway and raised in East Orange. He attended St. Benedict's Prep and earned a B.A. in Political Science from Delaware State University.

Not only is Mishoe an educator, but he also owns a small business, "Uncle Lu's BBQ" which offers southern style barbeque... sounds tasty! At home, Luna is happily married to his wife Dana and is the proud father of his son, Luna Mishoe IV.

Luna's dedication to education took root in 1996 when he began his teaching journey in the Baltimore City Public Schools. His desire to make a difference in the lives of his students led him to Newark Public Schools in 2000, where he continued to shape young minds until 2016.

From 2017 to 2023, Luna brought his expertise to the Educational Services Commission of Essex County (ERESC), where he was instrumental in teaching at an alternative middle and high school. It was here that his dynamic approach as an educator was challenged to reach all students. His teaching repertoire encompassed all subjects, but his favorites are Science and History.

With over two decades of teaching experience under his belt, Luna Mishoe continues to inspire students with his enthusiasm and commitment to education.

Northeast Elementary School is lucky to have Mr. Mishoe onboard and I'm sure you will all join me in giving him a warm welcome to our family and helping to make him feel at home.



To help me with this introduction I had the assistance of two 5th grade budding journalists, Guy Ronen and Esha Nair. Both Guy and Esha sat Mr. Mishoe down for an interview. Here are some of their questions.

Q: What is your favorite subject to teach?

A: I enjoy teaching science and history.

Q: Do you have any pets? If so, how many?

A: One dog named Tiger.

Q: What's your favorite sport?

A: American Football.

Q: How long have you been teaching?

A: Over 20 years!

Q: How long do you plan to teach?

A: As long as I can!

Q: What college or university did you attend?

A: Delaware State University.

Q: What is(are) your favorite color(s)?

A: Black, Gold, Orange and Blue.

Q: What was your interest to teach?

A: I have always felt like an educator. It runs in my family.



Northeast PTA Film on the Field (Tonight)

October 27th 6:30pm

Northeast PTA Car Wash

October 28th 9:00am – 12:00pm Northeast

Halloween Cast of Characters Parade

October 31st 1:30pm School Closed November 7th

November 9th

November 10th