School Service Volunteer

Gary Temple has been volunteering in classes at Earle B. Wood Middle School since 2011, as part of the American Association for the Advancement of Science’s Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math (STEM) Volunteer Program. The program has 73 volunteers in 55 elementary, middle and high schools in MCPS, supporting almost 100 teachers to bring the real world of STEM to more than 10,000 students every week. With a degree in chemistry, a medical doctor degree, an internship in internal medicine and a post-doctoral fellowship in molecular biology, Dr. Temple has done an outstanding job of enhancing STEM education at Wood, and has also had a hand in developing and enhancing the middle school biology curriculum in MCPS. Dr. Temple is in Wood’s science classes on a regular basis, helping students, co-teaching lessons, preparing labs, and leading science investigations, in addition to helping with STEM Expo Night.