

Acrobat,

walking a tight rope,
juggling many things at the same time.

Also...

Assembly Organizer,
Accountability Officer,
Advice Giver and Advice Taker,
Amnesty Granter and Answer Giver,
Advocate for Children and for Teachers,
Accomplishment Recognizer,
Anticipator of Obstacles,
AV Specialist, and
Award Giver.

Big-Picture Watcher,

losing site of no detail,
keeping it all in perspective at all times.

Also...

Brainstormer,
Brownie Baker,
Business Partnership Developer,
Budget Maker and Budget Balancer,
Building Supervisor and Building Contractor,
Book Reader and Best Practice Leader,
Boo-Boo Kisser, and
Bubble-Gum Scraper.



rime Solver,

weighing the evidence,
contemplating clues and catching culprits.

Also...

Custodian,
Crisis Manager,
Communicator,
Crossing Guard,
Class-List Maker,
Cafeteria Worker,
Character Builder,
Compliment Giver,
Community Involver,
Commitment Keeper,
Catalyst and Change Agent,
Complaint Department Manager,
Collaborator and Consensus Builder,
Customer Service Manager,
Crowd Control Expert,
Curriculum Leader,
Cafeteria Worker, and
Chief Cheerleader.

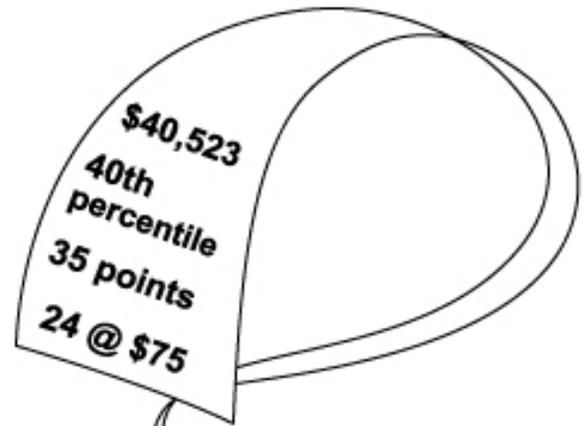


Data-Driven Decision Maker,

studying statistics and noodling numbers;
eying equations and searching for solutions.

Also...

Delegator,
Diagnostician,
Dance Organizer,
Direction Planner,
Detention Officer,
Detective and Diplomat,
Deadline Maker and Deadline Keeper,
Decision Maker and Difference Maker
Disciplinarian and Disciple,
Drill Sergeant, and
Dreamer.

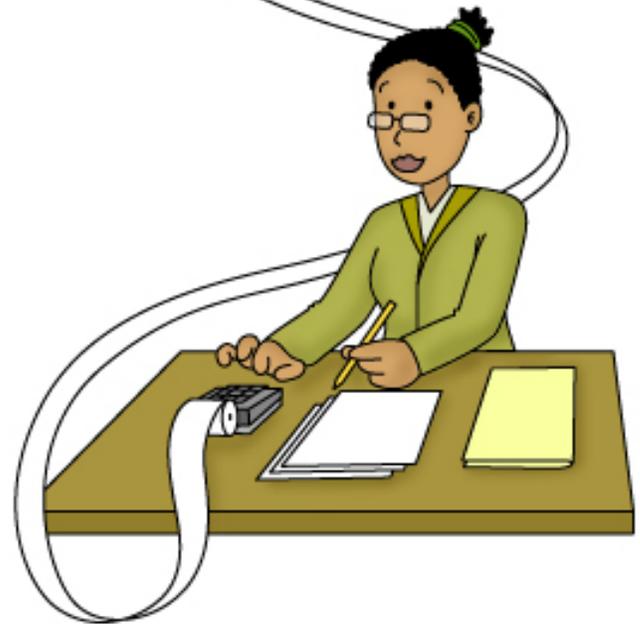


Efficiency Expert,

managing time and resources,
preaching preciseness and productivity.

Also...

Editor,
Example Setter,
Educational Leader,
Enthusiasm Sharer,
Encourager.
Exam Giver, and
Excellence Achiever.



Fund-Raiser,

counting coins and bundling bills;
stashing cash for special projects, budget gaps.

Also...

Faculty Advisor,
Furniture Mover,
Field Trip Coordinator,
Fairness Administrator,
Forgiver of Mistakes and Fresh-Start Giver,
Finance Director,
Fearless Leader, and
Friend.

Gardener,

growing talented teachers;
feeding and pruning them to flourish.

Also...

Game Organizer,
Grievance Settler,
Goodwill Ambassador,
Go-Getter and Goal-Setter,
Grant Writer and Groundskeeper,
Guidance Counselor, and
Good Sport.



Hallway Police Officer,

**traffic-stopper, principal copper,
as the masses pass between classes.**

Also...

Host,

Hugger,

Humor Dispenser,

Harmony Creator,

Handwriting Analyst,

Hang Man Expert,

High-Expectations Holder, and

High-Five Giver.

innovator,

**studying strategies, leading the way;
cutting teeth on the cutting edge.**

Also...

Impartial Observer,

Instructional Leader,

Integrator of Technology,

Interviewer and Interrogator,

Inventory Control Supervisor, and

Independent Thinker.

Jack of All Trades,

**covering the curriculum and guiding the grades;
a leader of leaders paving the road to success.**

Also...

Juggler,

Janitor, and

Junk-Food Eater.

(Who has time for lunch?)



K

id Lover,

**the king of principal traits;
the bottom line is that kids are tops.**

Also...

Kindness Provider,
Kindergarten Parent Nurturer, and
Knight in Shining Armor.

L

awmaker,

**reviewing rules, enforcing edicts;
safety is the principal's guiding principle.**

Also...

Listener,
Lifelong Learner,
Latchkey Landlord,
Lunchroom Supervisor, and
Leader of Leaders.



M

ulti-Tasker,

**one person, two hands;
a million and one things to do.**

Also...

Mentor,

Manner Modeler,

Materials Manager,

Mayor and Magistrate,

Maintenance Supervisor,

Minister of Special Needs,

Modeler of Best Practices,

Molder of Great Teachers,

Morale Booster and Motivator,

Mountain Mover,

Miracle Worker, and

Magician.

(Have you ever tried to quiet
500 kids in a cafeteria?)



N

avigator,

**guiding the ship over choppy waters;
sailing on to smooth seas and success.**

Also...

Nurse,

Negotiator,

Newsletter Editor,

New Idea Encourager,

No-Nonsense Businessperson,

Never-a-Dull-Moment Lover, and

No-Child-Left-Behind Leaver.



Optimist,

**setting goals to stretch teachers, students;
believing in everyone + focus = achievement.**

Also...

Organizer
Opinion Pollster,
Operations Manager
Order Taker and Order Giver, and
Open-Door Policyholder.



Public Relations Manager,

**pursuing PR possibilities;
an endless supply of good news to share.**

Also...

Persuader,
Psychologist,
Picture Taker,
PA Announcer,
Pursuer of Excellence,
Playground Supervisor,
Performer Under Pressure,
Peacemaker and Proofreader,
Parent Volunteer Appreciator,
Policies and Procedures Manager,
Praise Giver and Problem Solver,
Purchasing Agent, and
Pet Sitter.

(Who else is in school
during Spring Break?)



Quarterback,

**hiking up spirits and test scores;
building a team and leading it to victory.**

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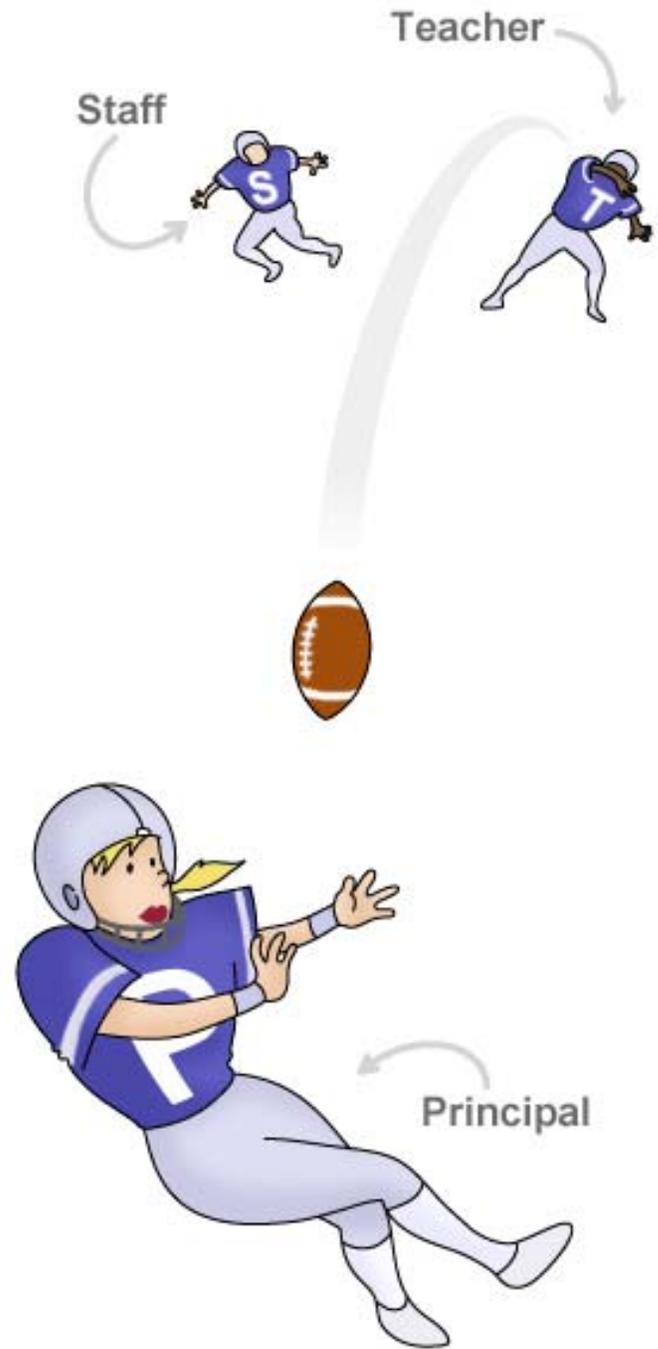
Questioner,
Quick Thinker,
Quality Assurance Manager, and
Quarrel Quasher.

Risk Taker,

**trying new things, no fear of failure;
without risk, there is no chance for success.**

Also...

Referee,
Recruiter,
Researcher,
Role Model,
Respecter of All,
Relationship Builder,
Reflector and Reformer,
Responsibility Delegator,
Results-Oriented Leader
Read-Aloud Reader,
Record Keeper, and
Retirement Party Planner.



Super Hero,

achieving tall standards with a single goal;
it's a bird... it's a plane... it's Super Principal!

Also...

Shepherd,
Storyteller,
Sex Educator,
Staff Developer,
Schedule Maker,
Shared-Decision Maker,
Shoulder-to-Cry-On Provider,
Salesperson and Speechmaker,
Social Worker and Social Director,
Spreadsheet Expert,
Strategist, and
Secret Keeper.



Talent Scout,

casting the best teacher for each role;
creating a school with an all-star cast.

Also...

Trainer,
Tolerance Teacher,
Technology Leader,
Teacher of Teachers,
Tough-Love Dispenser,
Transportation Manager,
Task Master and Tear Wiper,
Toilet Unplucker and Tattle Unraveler,
Test Score Analyst,
Trusted Friend, and
Thermos Opener.



Umpire,

refereeing kickball games and quarrels;
teaching cooperation and good sportsmanship.

Also...

Unity Builder,
University Liaison,
Utility Player, and
Unsung Hero.

Visionary

goals and a mission;
the very first steps to success.

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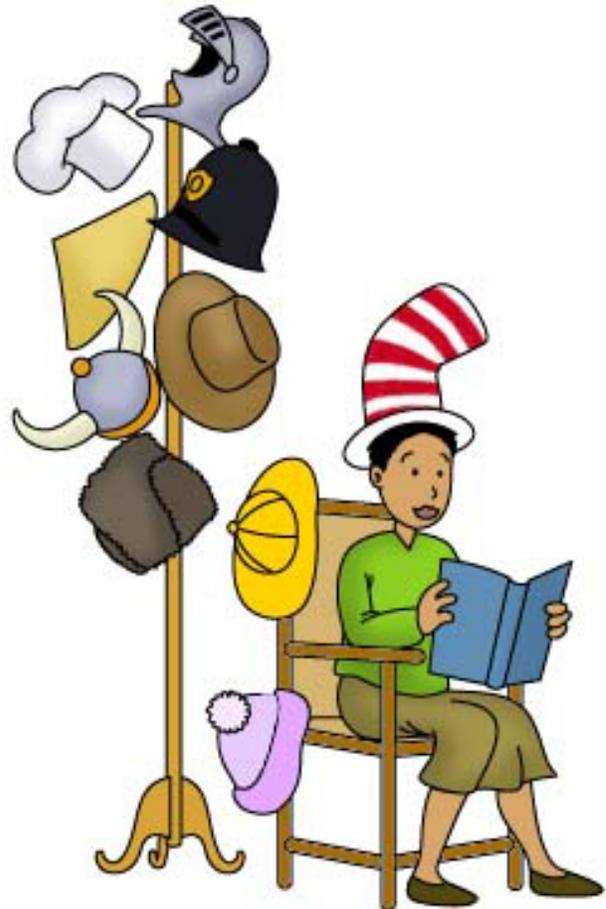
Values Teacher,
Violence Control Expert, and
Voracious Reader.

Wearer of Many Hats,

keeping your head at all times
requires patience, humor, a style all your own.

Also...

Warden,
Watchdog,
Weather Watcher,
Wisdom Dispenser,
Wish-List Filler and
Whatever-It-Takes Giver,
Wizard, and
Workaholic.



Xtreme Learner,

reading Senge, Gardner, Kohn;
always open to new ideas, approaches.

Also...

Xcellence Striver,
Xperienced Listener,
X-Ray Vision Holder, and
Xanax Distributor.

Youth Leader,

teaching the joys of lifelong learning;
an investment with a guaranteed return.

Also...

Yearner for Better,
Yearbook Coordinator, and
Youngster at Heart.



Zipper Puller-Upper,

ensuring students feel warm, secure;
readying them for the cold, cruel world.

Also...

Zealot for Students, and
Zookeeper.