

Joe Luce

DIRECTOR OF WHITKO CAREER ACADEMY

Joe Luce is currently in his 27th year of working in public education, including 16 years as a high school administrator. After 14 years of working primarily with high school discipline, Joe began working with high school CTE programs and was named the principal of the Jeffersonville Engineering and Manufacturing Academy in 2017. As a result of the great success of the Engineering and Manufacturing Academy at Jeffersonville, he was offered the job of developing and creating Whitko Career Academy in 2019. Joe officially became Director of Whitko Career Academy in August of 2020.

Joe is married to Karrie Luce. They are the proud parents of seven children: Mason, Tommy, Jake, Kelsey, Kylee, Gracey, and Alyvia, and one granddaughter, Layla.

"Creating and developing the vision of Whitko Career Academy has been my biggest professional accomplishment." - JOE LUCE



FAST FACTS:

- 27 years in public education.
- 16 years as a high school administrator.
- Head high school basketball coach for 20 years (Fountain Central HS, Benton Central HS, Marion HS, Richmond HS, and Jeffersonville HS).
- Basketball coaching record of 338-145.
- Recipient of ten total "Coach of the Year Honors".
- Named 2015 USA Today Indiana Coach of the Year.