



**Kevin McDermott**  
**Howe HS / BMHS Educators**  
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**Class of 2025**

A dedicated educator whose influence spanned generations, Kevin McDermott devoted 35 years to shaping young minds at Billerica Memorial High School. Beginning his teaching career in 1970, Mr. McDermott became a cornerstone of the English Department, where he not only taught with passion but also elevated the educational experience by implementing Advanced Placement coursework.

Though his roots began in Somerville, Massachusetts, Mr. McDermott chose to plant his family in Billerica, where he and his wife raised their two children, Kevin Jr. and Bridget, both of whom would later graduate from the very halls where their father taught. This personal connection to the community deepened his commitment to educational excellence.

Mr. McDermott's contributions extended beyond the classroom. As Assistant Department Chair for the English Department, he helped shape curriculum and mentored fellow educators. His leadership qualities were further demonstrated in his role as the Boys Varsity Basketball coach and as President of the Billerica Federation of Teachers, where he advocated for both students and faculty.

Throughout his career, Kevin McDermott was known for his unwavering passion for teaching and his ability to inspire both students and colleagues alike. His legacy continues through the countless lives he touched and the educational standards he helped establish at Billerica Memorial High School.



