THE POSITION

The Buhler USD 313, Board of Education is seeking a highly qualified and fully licensed superintendent. Buhler Unified School District is accredited by the Kansas Department of Education.

Length of contract to be negotiated with salary based on qualifications and experience. A comprehensive benefit package is also included. USD 313 is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

DISTRICT INFORMATION

Financial Information

- General Fund $15,488,738 (20 mills)
- LOB Fund $4,751,849 (14.832 mills)
- Capital Outlay Levy: 8 mills
- Bond and Interest: 12.387 mills
- Total Mill Levy 55.219
- Assessed Valuation $166,207,943

Facilities, Staff and Students

- Total Enrollment – 2,367
- Buhler High School - 653
- Prairie Hills Middle School - 555
- Buhler Grade School- 262
- Union Valley Elementary School - 456
- Plum Creek Elementary School - 441
- Average Elementary Class Size - 21 students
- Percent free and reduced lunch - 34%
- Certified Staff - 173
- Support Staff - 179
- Member of the Reno County Education Cooperative for special education services
- Two former Kansas Teachers of the Year are on staff as well as several other finalists and semi-finalists and six Horizon Award Recipients

SELECTION TIMELINE

APPLICATION DUE: February 28, 2020
Screening Begins: March 9, 2020
Anticipated Hire Date: March 2020
Contract Begins: July 1, 2020

HOW TO APPLY

Letters of inquiry, requests for applications or other questions about the process should be directed to:
Dr. Doug Moeckel
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800-432-2471
DISTRICT HIGHLIGHTS

Successful bond issues
- 2012 Facilities Bond - Plum Creek Elementary opened in 2014, Prairie Hills Middle School expanded to house grades 6-8 with new academic wing and an additional gym; all other buildings received major renovations, district athletic facility upgraded with a turf field and new track
- 2015 Athletic Bond Issue - community baseball and softball complex, community wellness center, 8 new tennis courts at Buhler High School, 6 courts at Prairie Hills Middle School along with a new 6 lane track.

Academic success - Our Star Awards

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Small school feel with big school opportunities
- 20+ Dual credit courses offered at BHS in partnership with Hutchinson Community College which is located 10 miles from Buhler.
- 13 KSHSAA sanctioned athletic programs - Baseball, Basketball, Bowling, Cross Country, Football, Golf, Soccer, Softball, Swim/Dive, Tennis, Track & Field, Volleyball and Wrestling
- 6 KSHSAA sanctioned activity programs - Debate, Music, Scholars Bowl, Speech/Drama, Spirit and Student Council
- Largest FFA program in the state of Kansas
- Renowned Band program
- 51 Kansas State Championships in KSHSAA sanctioned events
- Strong early education program offering all day services with free preschool

Dedicated to the 3 A’s
- Academics
- Arts
- Athletics/Extracurriculars

Commitment to innovation
- 1:1 devices in grades 3-12
- District technology integration specialist
- All schools in year two of the redesign process

OUR SCHOOL COMMUNITY

The greater school community of Buhler USD 313 includes the city of Buhler, a portion of suburban Hutchinson, residential tracts and rural farms. Located in the northeast part of Reno County and western Harvey County in south-central Kansas, Buhler USD 313 encompasses 144 square miles, and has a total population exceeding 15,000.

Buhler USD 313 contains five attendance centers with two Title I elementary facilities.
- Union Valley Elementary School – PreK through 5th
- Buhler Grade School - PreK through 5th
- Plum Creek Elementary School - PreK through 5th
- Prairie Hills Middle School – 6th through 8th
- Buhler High School - 9th through 12th

Burkholder Administrative Center is located in Buhler along with our transportation department and service center.

Check us out at www.usd313.org, follow us on Facebook (Buhler USD 313) and Twitter (@BuhlerUSD313).