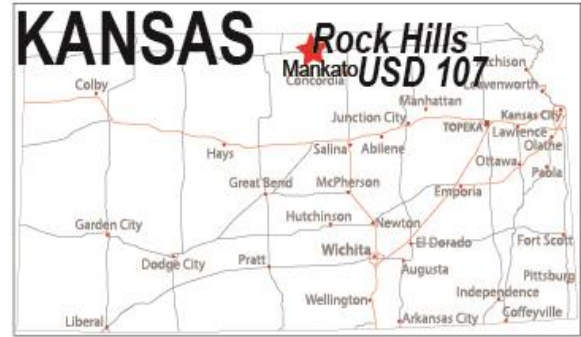




# SUPERINTENDENT SEARCH

## ROCK HILLS USD 107 MANKATO, KANSAS

*Invites candidates to apply for the position of*  
**SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS**



### THE POSITION

The Rock Hills USD 107 Board of Education is soliciting applications from interested and qualified candidates to fill the position of Superintendent of Schools.

A contract will be offered with a salary and benefits package (including a single paid BCBS health & dental plan) commensurate with the successful applicant’s experience and qualifications. Residence within USD 107 is required. USD 107 is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

### DISTRICT INFORMATION

**PreK – 12 Enrollment: 296**

- Preschool: Parents as Teachers and At-Risk 3/4-Year-Olds
- Elementary School: One building, grades PreK-5
- Jr/Sr High School: One building, Class 1A, grades 6-12
- Special Education: Participates in Co-op with Beloit, USD 273

### BUDGET AT A GLANCE

**Budget: 3.7 million**

**Employment: 58 Full-Time & Many part-time**

- 32 Licensed/Administrative
- 26 Classified

The district has a strong community support system with many volunteers for various school groups and activities.

The Board of Education is also exploring the idea of a STEAM building project.

### USD 107 MISSION STATEMENT:

Rock Hills Schools, in partnership with our communities, will provide opportunities to become lifelong learners and responsible citizens.

### ROCK HILLS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL MISSION STATEMENT:

It is the mission of Rock Hills Elementary School to provide and enhance all learners with enriching opportunities that promote independence, with the confidence to have unique voice and with the willingness to contribute to their community and global environments.

### ROCK HILLS JR/SR HIGH SCHOOL MISSION STATEMENT:

The Rock Hills Jr/Sr High School community will create a safe learning environment where all learners feel worthwhile and valued, while demonstrating and cultivating respect, integrity and leadership skills to promote their future opportunities as lifelong learners and to challenge them to achieve their maximum potential in all areas.



## OUR SCHOOL COMMUNITY

Jewell County is a great area in which to raise children and enjoy the small-town life. A progressive county of about 3,000. Jewell County is in the North Central part of Kansas, 90 miles northwest of Salina.

### Cultural Interest

- Arts Studio & Gallery
- Movie Theater (ran by volunteers)
- Jewell County Historical Society Museum
- Annual Threshing Bee event
- Kansas Mammoth Art & Music Festival
- Jewell Corn Show

### Athletics/Recreation

- Swimming pool
- Golf course
- Robert Turner Performing Arts stage
- Lovewell State Park (Camping & Lake)
- Jewell State Lake & Emerson Lake
- Outdoor recreation (hunting & fishing)
- Youth Activities: Sports, 4-H, FFA, FBLA, Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, Church Youth Groups and Robotics Club
- Various county walking trails

### Other Community Strengths

- Expanding healthcare facilities
- Aging community & low-income housing options
- Volunteer-oriented community



## DISTRICT HIGHLIGHTS

District curriculum is aligned with Kansas College and Career Ready Standards. The PreK-12 district's instructional model is based on the *Well-Managed Schools* protocol (Boys Town Education Model and Methods). College courses are offered and taught by staff and online. Our district is also in current negotiations with the neighboring technical college to offer more vocational opportunities for our students.

In grades 6-12 we participate in a 1:1 initiative with iPads for students and district-wide smart board technology in classrooms. We are a KESA year 3 district and utilize KEEP2 for the evaluation process. We also take great pride in our all-weather track and performing arts theater.

Our district is very proud that we have been awarded a Bronze award in Postsecondary Effectiveness, Graduation Rate and Academically Prepared for Postsecondary Success, as well as the Commissioners Award from the State Department of Education.

## SELECTION TIMELINE

Application DUE: February 19, 2020  
Screening Begins: February 24, 2020  
Anticipated Hire Date: March 1, 2020  
Contract Begins: July 1, 2020

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## HOW TO APPLY

Letters of inquiry, requests for applications or other questions about the process should be directed to:

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