



SUPERINTENDENT SEARCH

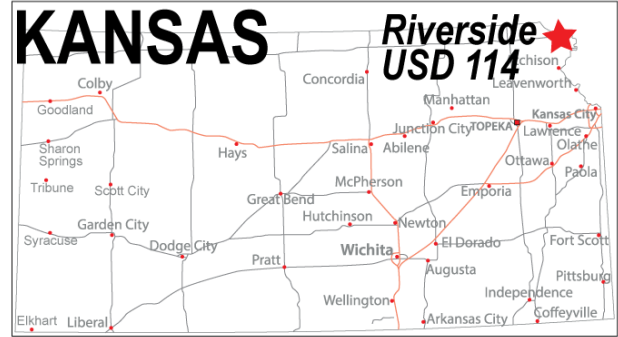
RIVERSIDE USD 114 ELWOOD, KANSAS

Invites candidates to apply for the position of
SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

THE POSITION

The Riverside USD 114 Board of Education is seeking applications from interested and highly qualified candidates to fill the position of Superintendent of Schools.

A contract will be offered with a salary and benefits package commensurate with the successful applicant's experience and qualifications. USD 114 is an Equal Opportunity Employer.



DISTRICT INFORMATION

Budget Information

- General- \$5,392,913
- Supplemental General- \$1,647,093
- Capital Outlay- \$758,046
- Total Mills- 38.394
- Wathena Recreation- 2.559 Mills
- Elwood Recreation- 2.00 Mills

Facilities, Staff & Students

Buildings

- Primary, grades PreK-2, West Campus
- Intermediate, grades 3-5, East Campus
- Middle School, grades 6-8, East Campus
- High School/Virtual School, grades 9-12, West Campus
- Alternative School, 1409 Vermont, Elwood, KS
- District Office, 1409 Vermont, Elwood, KS

Staff Information

- Building Administrators-3
- Certified-55
- Classified-37

USD 114 MISSION STATEMENT:

The core purpose of Riverside Schools is to establish a community of learning through relationships, relevance and high expectations that challenges each student to realize their fullest potential.

OUR VISION: Students prepared for the future.

OUR PURPOSE: Student Learning.

OUR BELIEFS:

- All Students Can Learn
- Prepare all students for post-secondary success
- Create well rounded citizens

OUR CORE VALUES:

- Continuous Improvement
- Data-Driven Decision Making
- Life-Long Learning

HOW WE DO BUSINESS:

- Build positive relationships with students, parents and families.
- Make curriculum & instruction relevant and challenging.

OUR GOALS FOR STUDENTS:

- Apply academic skills
- Communicate effectively
- Think critically and creatively to solve problems
- Use and apply technology
- Maintain and enhance physical and emotional health
- Respect and work cooperatively with others
- Demonstrate life and workplace skills necessary for postsecondary success
- Demonstrate integrity, determination, work ethic, teamwork and respect for others





DISTRICT HIGHLIGHTS

- Five-Year Strategic Plan in place, 2018-2023
- Third Year KESA process
- 4 Element Evaluation (E4E) for evaluation process
- 1:1 Chromebooks for grades 9-12
- 1:1 iPads for grades 3-8
- 1:1 iPads for grades PK-K
- 1:1 Touchscreen Chromebooks for grades 1-2
- Special Education services from DCEC
- Promethean boards in classrooms
- 4-Year Capital Outlay Plan approved by voters in April 2019
- K-8 Title I
- Significant local scholarships for graduates
- New K-8 ELA curriculum
- New Social Emotional Learning curriculums
- Dual credit college courses offered through Highland Community College
- Experienced and dedicated staff
- FFA chapter
- 4-Year Old Pre-School program
- New track in 2017
- Individual Plans of Study
- 2A high school offering numerous extracurricular activities – volleyball, football, cross country, basketball, wrestling, baseball, softball, track, cheerleading, dance, vocal music, instrumental music and forensics (fall musical & spring play)
- Renovated theatre seating for 500

OUR SCHOOL COMMUNITY

- Riverside USD 114 is a consolidated school system of the Wathena and Elwood communities in Doniphan County. Located in Northeast Kansas 5 miles from St. Joseph, Missouri and 45 minutes from Kansas City, Missouri.
- Local Amenities: 3 restaurants, 1 full-service gas station, 3 convenience stores, 2 banks, 1 motel, 2 chiropractors, general store, grocery store, hardware and lumber yard, several auto mechanics, 2 post offices, nursing home, senior center, insurance agents and several churches.
- Local recreation opportunities including swimming pool, 2 libraries, 3 ball fields, 2 city parks and various activities provided by the recreation commissions.
- Local Youth Activities: Sports, 4-H, dirt biking trails, scouts and Church youth groups.
- Other desired activities or destinations can be found within a short drive to St. Joseph, MO.

SELECTION TIMELINE

Application DUE: March 16, 2020
 Screening Begins: March 19, 2020
 Anticipated Hire Date: End of 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:

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