



HUMBOLDT USD 258

THE POSITION

The Humboldt USD 258 Board of Education is seeking a highly qualified and fully licensed superintendent. Humboldt 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 258 is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

DISTRICT INFORMATION

Budget

General	\$ 6,340,498 (20 mills)
Supplemental	\$ 1,761,607 (16.348 mills)
Capital Outlay	\$ 3,049,876 (8 mills)
Total Mill Levy	54.681
Assessed Valuation	\$ 57,402,741

Facilities, Staff, Students

- Total Enrollment - 762
- Humboldt High School - 330
- Humboldt Middle School - 138
- Humboldt Grade School - 274
- Special Education services through ANW Cooperative
- Administrators - 4
- Certified Staff - 43
- Classified Staff - 49

HOW TO APPLY

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

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HUMBOLDT, KANSAS

Invites candidates to apply for the position of
SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS



USD 258 Humboldt

USD 258 MISSION STATEMENT

To provide a positive learning environment which will motivate all students to mature intellectually, emotionally, socially, and physically; promote lifelong learning; develop personal interest; and encourage community respect and civic responsibility.

Dedicated to the 3 A's

- Academics
- Arts
- Athletics/Extracurriculars



SELECTION TIMELINE

- Application DUE: January 6, 2021
- Screening Begins: January 8, 2021
- Anticipated Hire Date: End of January 2021
- Contract Begins: July 1, 2021

DISTRICT HIGHLIGHTS

- 2 FEMA Storm shelters. One houses preschool and elementary music and the other houses our wrestling room at the sports complex.
- State of the Art Sports Complex with turf on football, baseball, and softball fields.
- 2007 Fieldhouse which includes a walking track, weight room and ellipticals.
- We went through a facility assessment of all buildings in 2019. We continue making capital investments in our facilities.
- Mental Health Therapist & Case Workers available for K-12 students
- Successful Humboldt Virtual program grades 9-12 and adults
- 1:1 iPads for K-2 and 1:1 laptops for grades 3-12
- Smartboard or Promethean boards in every classroom K-12
- Weekly PLC Collaboration time devoted to improving student learning
- Local scholarships available to graduates

High School Highlights

- Humboldt High School's journalism dept has won the state championship 9 years in a row. They have also received All-Kansas yearbook and newspaper and All-American yearbook and newspaper.
- 9 Dual credit courses offered at HHS in partnership with Allen County Community College which is located 10 miles from Humboldt.
- Several HHS students take on-line classes as electives from Allen County Community College.
- 11 CTE Pathways
- 2A high school offers both athletic and non-athletic programs:
 - Football, volleyball, cross country, basketball, wrestling, baseball, softball, golf, track and field, vocal/band, cheerleading, scholars bowl, student council, trap shooting and NHS
- Active FFA and FCCLA Group
- Our construction class builds a house start to finish every two years

Middle School Highlights

- State recognized character education program
- Student driven IPS program
- Student-led conferences
- Yearly 8th grade visits to colleges and vocational schools
- TeamMates mentor program
- Student produced video morning announcements
- Programs offered:
 - Football, volleyball, cross country, basketball, wrestling, baseball, track and field, vocal/band, cheerleading, quiz bowl, student council, and trap shooting

Elementary School Highlights

- Strong MTSS program at elementary for math and reading
- Strong early education program offering all day services for kindergarten and free preschool
- 3rd-5th grade student ambassador program to develop leadership skills
- Emphasis on educating the whole child with intentional character education instruction. Zones of Regulation, and counselor-caught weekly skill lessons.
- TeamMates Mentoring program

OUR SCHOOL COMMUNITY

Humboldt, located in Southeast Kansas in Allen County, sits half way between Iola and Chanute on US 169 Hwy. Humboldt, in the middle of it all, is 115 miles east of Wichita, 110 miles southwest of Kansas City, 115 miles north of Tulsa, OK, and 100 miles northwest of Joplin, MO. Our town has a population of about 1,900 and we are very proud of our community, our people, and our heritage. Since our founding in 1857, Humboldt has nurtured a spirit of diversity that still enhances the quality of life for all our people.

Humboldt, situated along the east banks of the Neosho River, is a historic community with old fashioned charm and grace that welcomes all who are interested in a small-town way of life. George Sweatt Memorial Park, a newly updated swimming pool in Centennial Park, Veterans' Memorial in the city square, a twelve-site civil war tour, and the elegant churches are just a few of the reasons why Humboldt is so attractive. Humboldt's notable natives include Walter Johnson "The Big Train" who won 417 games as a pitcher for the Washington Senators and George Sweatt, a player for the Kansas City Monarchs.

The City of Humboldt operates the gas, water, sanitation, and trash pickup utilities. Evergy operates the electrical distribution system and has an office in Humboldt. The city has a highly regarded volunteer fire department and a professional police department with personnel on duty 24-hours a day. Ambulance service also provides 24-hour around the clock coverage for the community. Family Physicians and Ashley Clinic provide medical professionals and a pharmacy to our community.

Recreation is a premier feature of our area with Camp Hunter, Cannon Park, Centennial Park, River Park, and Sweatt Park providing camping, baseball diamonds, tennis courts, sand volleyball, a walking trail, outdoor exercise equipment, and a newly updated city Aquatic Center. USD #258 Humboldt Schools also opened its new Community Field House in the summer of 2007, which has many opportunities for exercise. Patrons can utilize an indoor walking track, cardio room, and weight room.

Our businesses are progressive and customer oriented. Humboldt has forward-looking entrepreneurs who are facing the challenges of the future. Our businesses and public services are expanding to meet the needs of our people. In addition to many privately-owned small businesses, many residents are employed in agriculture and manufacturing, including the Monarch Cement Company, B & W Custom Truck Beds, Humboldt Industries, Whitaker Aggregates, and others.

Humboldt has the best of both worlds--the amenities of small-town America with all the conveniences of many major metropolitan areas a short drive away. Humboldt, a dynamic and extremely solid community, provides families a chance to grow. Our people are proud of our community and invite others to come share with us. Come, see for yourself, Humboldt is truly a unique place to live, work and raise a family!