



**ROCK CREEK USD 323
ST. GEORGE, KANSAS**
*Invites candidates to apply
for the position of*
SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS



THE POSITION

The Rock Creek USD 323 Board of Education is soliciting applications from interested and qualified candidates to fill the position of Superintendent.

The term of the contract and salary will be negotiated based on the successful applicant's education, experience, and personal/professional qualifications. Rock Creek Unified School District is accredited by the Kansas State Department of Education. USD 323 is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

DISTRICT INFORMATION

PreK – 12 Enrollment:

- St. George Elementary School (PreK – 4th): 398
- Westmoreland Elementary School (PreK – 4th): 145
- Rock Creek Middle School (5th – 8th): 431
- Rock Creek High School (9th – 12th): 318

District Personnel:

- Administration: 7
- Teachers: 94
- Additional Staff: 82

Financial/Budget:

- General Fund Budget: \$ 9,095,815
- LOB Fund Budget: \$ 2,812,005
- Capital Outlay Funds: \$ 1,934,500
- General Fund Assessed Valuation: \$ 65,839,351

SELECTION TIMELINE

- Application DUE: May 13, 2022
- Screening Begins: May 15, 2022
- Anticipated Hire: May 2022
- Contract Begins: July 1, 2022

ROCK CREEK MISSION STATEMENT:

The Rock Creek School Community dedicates itself to educational excellence by helping all students become successful and responsible lifelong learners in a changing global society.

ROCK CREEK HIGH SCHOOL MISSION STATEMENT:

Rock Creek High School will provide an orderly, supportive, quality learning environment to challenge all students to achieve, believe, dream, produce, and relate to others with responsibility and integrity in a manner that credits themselves and society.

ROCK CREEK MIDDLE SCHOOL MISSION STATEMENT:

Rock Creek Middle School will inspire excellence by providing an engaging and supportive learning environment. We will continuously strive to develop lifelong learners who are responsible, empathetic, resilient, and prepared to positively impact the future.

ROCK CREEK VISION STATEMENT:

USD 323 is a leader in employability skills and civic engagement demonstrated by the success of our students, staff, and community.





OUR SCHOOL COMMUNITY

Rock Creek U.S.D. 323 is located 15 miles from Manhattan, Kansas, and Kansas State University. The District covers 230 square miles spanning the entire length of Pottawatomie County. The District is mostly rural and has two communities within its boundaries.

The population of the District is largely comprised of ranchers, farmers, and agricultural-related employees, as well as a large number of patrons employed outside the school district in Manhattan, Kansas State University, Ft. Riley, and the surrounding area.



HOW TO APPLY

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

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DISTRICT HIGHLIGHTS

- USD 323 employs over 90 full and part-time teachers
- Approximately 55% of the teaching staff have a master's degree or higher
- 1st-6th 1:1 student iPads; 7th-12th 1:1 Chromebooks
- High School Journalism, Digital Multi-Media, and Design Technology classes will construct and utilize an on-site studio for enhancing the existing Rock Creek Cable Channel 141
- National recognition as the highest performing "small" high school in Kansas. (2021 US News and World Report)
- Unique and required Senior Exit Project that culminates a student's four years of rigorous and relevant experiences into a final project and presentation is a time-tested tradition of the Rock Creek educational experience
- RCHS Leadership Academy Pollinator Project; RC Bee Honey
- Programs in the arts (band, choir, theater, and the visual arts)
- Rock Creek has consistently state ranked speech, debate, and forensics programs that have also competed at the national level
- 2022 KSHSAA 4A Scholars Bowl State Champions
- 2021 KSHSAA 3A Baseball State Champions
- 2021 KSHSAA 3A Speech State Champions
- FFA, FBLA, FCCLA, Journalism/Yearbook, Scholars Bowl, and Robotics
- Rock Creek High School is a 4-A school that provides a full range of activities and athletics, including volleyball, football, basketball, wrestling, track, baseball, softball, forensics, debate, music, and cross country
- Year-round Strength and Conditioning program that focuses on health, wellness, strength, and conditioning
- Fully Accredited in the Summer of 2021 by KSDE
- All District Faculty training in Kagan's Cooperative Learning
- Long-Range plans for Curriculum Resource Reviews and Material Updates

