



ROLLA USD 217

ROLLA, KS

invites candidates to apply for the position of

SUPERINTENDENT/K-12 PRINCIPAL OF SCHOOLS

THE POSITION

The Rolla USD 217 Board of Education is soliciting applications from interested and qualified candidates to fill the position of Superintendent/K-12 Principal. USD 217 is accredited by the Kansas Department of Education.

A contract will be offered with a salary and benefits package commensurate with the successful applicant's experience and qualifications. USD 217 is an equal employment/educational opportunity employer.

DISTRICT INFORMATION

District Enrollment by Building:

- Rolla Elementary School (PreK – 5th grade): 50
- Rolla Junior/Senior High School (6th – 12th grade): 48

Personnel:

- Building Administrators: 1
- Certified Staff: 14
- Classified Staff: 18

2021-2022 Financial Information:

\$ 1,387,329	General Fund Budget
\$ 477,831	LOB Fund
24.87 Mills	Capital Outlay Levy
52.87 Mills	Total Mill Levy
5.00 Mills	Additional Levy (Rolla Recreation Commission)
\$27,568,039	Total Assessed Valuation

USD 217 VISION STATEMENTS:

Realizing that students will have multiple careers in fields not even imagined yet, the vision at USD 217 is to provide Relationships that encourage Opportunities for Learning and Lasting Achievements. (ROLLA) in order to prepare them for success in an ever-changing world.

As a Gemini I redesign school, our new philosophy combines habits of success with each content area to support student learning. With the decline in resources and the need for support to ensure opportunities for success in postsecondary training, we have embraced a new school structure for the needs of 21st century students. It encourages student directed learning, a focus on cognitive skills, as well as a mentoring component to keep students on track.

Our goal is to help students gain the skills, knowledge, and habits to succeed. When students harness the power within themselves, there's no limit to what they can achieve.



DISTRICT HIGHLIGHTS

- USD 217 Rolla schools is a Gemini 1 school district
- Our staff continually looks for ways to improve their skills to enhance the lives of their students
- In the 2018-2019 school year, we began our new Rolla Quest. Students' 3rd-12th grades are utilizing the Summit Learning platform for personalized learning in the core subjects: English, Math, Science and Social Studies
- Member of Southwest Plains Regional Service Center (Sublette)
- Member of Santa Fe Trail League offering football, volleyball, basketball, track, scholars' bowl, band, and, vocal
- Leadership programs include high school and junior high student councils and high school NHS
- Scholars' Bowl State Champions 11 Years
- Football 8-Man State Champions 2 Years
- Basketball 1-A State Champions 1 Year
- State awards in Vocal Music, Band, & Forensics
- Community involvement & strong support from patrons
- Two churches in Rolla, numerous within 20 miles
- Beautiful roadside park
- Public swimming pool
- Doctors' office in Rolla and hospitals in Elkhart and Hugoton
- Two very nice 9-hole golf courses within 17 miles
- Combined Morton County Branch/USD 217 Library
- Agricultural-based economy
- Cimarron National Grasslands with fishing and hunting



SELECTION TIMELINE

Application DUE: March 23, 2023
Screening Begins: March 24, 2023
Anticipated Hire Date: April 3, 2023
Contract Begins: July 1, 2023



OUR SCHOOL COMMUNITY

The USD 217 school district is in Morton county of southwest Kansas. It includes the towns of Rolla, Dermot, and Richfield. The district covers 252 square miles, and a number of students come from Oklahoma. Small friendly community on Highway 56, located 17 miles from Hugoton, 17 miles from Elkhart, 45 miles from Liberal, 38 miles from Guymon, OK.



HOW TO APPLY

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

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