



# Basehor-Linwood

*invites candidates to apply for the position of*  
**Superintendent of Schools**

## THE POSITION

The Basehor-Linwood Board of Education is seeking a highly qualified and fully licensed Superintendent. Basehor-Linwood School District is accredited by the Kansas State Department of Education.

Length of contract to be negotiated with salary based on qualification and experience. A comprehensive benefit package is also included. USD 458 is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

## OUR SCHOOL COMMUNITY

Basehor-Linwood USD 458 is located in southern Leavenworth County. The District contains 90 square miles and incorporates the cities of Basehor and Linwood.

The Basehor-Linwood School District was unified in 1966. Since that time, the District has experienced significant growth, and Basehor remains one of fastest growing suburbs of the Kansas City area. District boundaries include the towns of Basehor and Linwood, and surrounding areas.

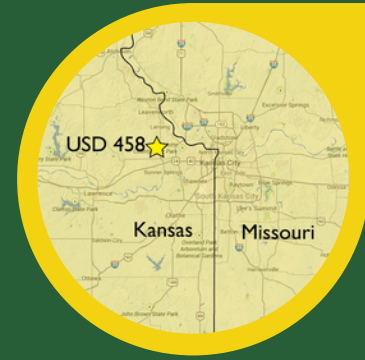
Basehor, a town of 7,544 people, and Linwood, a rural community of 427, are located near I-70 with easy access to I-435 and Kansas City International Airport (KCI). Basehor is about ten minutes from Kansas Speedway/Village West and the Legends shopping center.

## HOW TO APPLY

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

Dr. Marcia Weseman  
 Kansas Association of School Boards  
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 Topeka, KS 66604-4024  
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## USD 458 INFORMATION



### {Student Enrollment}

- Basehor Elementary (K-2) - 208
- Basehor Intermediate (3-5) - 233
- Basehor-Linwood High School (9-12) - 898
- Basehor-Linwood Middle School (6-8) - 679
- Basehor-Linwood Virtual School (K-Adult) - 156
- Early Learning Center (Pre-K) - 154
- Glenwood Ridge Elementary (K-5) - 320
- Gray Hawk Elementary (K-5) - 285
- Linwood Elementary (K-5) - 248

### {Staff}

- Certified Staff - 291
- Classified Staff - 188

### {Financial Information}

- General Fund - \$23,389,382
- Supplemental Gen. Fund Budget - \$7,693,236
- Capital Outlay Levy - \$1,808,896 (5.868 mills)
- Bond and Interest - \$6,165,361 (20 mills)
- Total Mill Levy - 59.633 mills
- Assessed Valuation - \$308,264,412

### {Online Presence}

- Find us online at [www.usd458.org](http://www.usd458.org)
- Facebook: @BasehorLinwoodUSD458
- Instagram: @usd458
- YouTube: @usd458



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# BASEHOR-LINWOOD IS A GROWING DISTRICT

## RECENT BOND ISSUES

### BOND 2007:

- Basehor Intermediate School opened in 2009
- Basehor-Linwood Middle School opened in fall 2010

### BOND 2015:

- Addition of a Career and Technical Education Center at Basehor-Linwood High School that opened in 2017
- Renovations at elementary schools and a tornado shelter at Basehor Elementary

### BOND 2018:

- Basehor-Linwood Early Learning Center that opened in 2020
- Basehor-Linwood Middle School gained 14 new classrooms and a performing arts center finished 2021
- Gray Hawk Elementary School opened in 2021
- A new Linwood Elementary School building opened in 2022

### BOND 2024:

- Basehor-Linwood High School will be gaining 20 additional classrooms, a multipurpose building, and upgrades to performing arts facilities
- Ten classrooms will be added to the Early Learning Center, both childcare and Pre-K
- \$5M will be spent on safety and security upgrades around the District



## DISTRICT HIGHLIGHTS

- The District received KSDE STAR Awards in all seven categories for the 2023-2024 school year
- Basehor-Linwood students have access to more than 2,080 MacBooks, 750 Chromebooks, and 750 iPads
- Athletic and co-curricular teams consistently compete in post-season play and activities at the state level
- 92% of BLHS' graduating students plan to pursue a post-secondary education or enter the military
- With the addition of the Bobcat Success Academy, BLHS was able to improve their graduate rate from 87% to 95.9%
- The District's Strategic Plan includes Innovative Learning for all students Pre-K through 12th grade
- The Innovation Academy at Basehor-Linwood High School develops 9th - 12th grade opportunities for students to experience Real World Learning and earn Market Value Assets through core and elective courses, and serves as a model for how to implement innovative learning models throughout the Kansas City area

## SUPERINTENDENT SEARCH TIMELINE

Application Due: November 18, 2024  
Screening Begins: November 20, 2024  
Anticipated Hire Date: December 16, 2024  
Contract Begins: July 1, 2025



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