THE SEARCH

Hopewell-Loudon School is seeking a qualified educational and organizational leader for the position of Superintendent.

REQUIREMENTS

Experience as a Superintendent is preferred, but not necessary. The Board is also open to considering non-traditional candidates for this position. An Ohio Superintendent's certificate, or evidence of ability to certify, is required.

THE CONTRACT

The Board of Education will offer a multi-year contract with salary and benefits commensurate with education and experience and competitive with area school districts.

THE DISTRICT

The Hopewell-Loudon Local School District is located in west central Seneca County. It is mostly rural, encompassing approximately fifty (50) square miles. The district borders Tiffin on the east and Fostoria on the west. The District's 867 students are housed in one building on a site which is located at the edge of Bascom. The new K-12 facility opened the 2013-2014 school year. Open enrollment has counted for about 265 of these students. Approximately 67 students exit the district through open enrollment and 23 attend community schools. The district offers Career Technical Education through Vanguard Sentinel Career & Technology Center. College Credit Plus courses are also offered.

FACTS ABOUT THE DISTRICT

Total Valuation (2015) \$127,267,480

Appropriations

General Fund \$ 8,200,000 Total – All funds \$13,200,000

Millage (effective)

Inside	4.60
General Operation	15.4
Emergency Levy (\$570,000)	4.31
Bond Levy	5.88

.5% income tax for bond retirement

Number of Employees	
Certified	52
Classified	33
Administrators	5



QUALIFICATIONS

The Board of Education is seeking a person who:

- Places students first when making decisions related to the school.
- Seeks, promotes and expects academic excellence from students and the teaching team.
- Promotes and models open communication and positive relationships with and between all school stakeholders for the betterment of all.
- Works with the Treasurer/CFO to operate the school in a fiscally responsible manner while meeting the students' academic and extracurricular needs, as well as facility and general operational needs of the district.
- Be the role model that is necessary to positively lead the school district.
- Is a visionary who will continue H-L's positive vision of excellence while upholding the district's Mission Statement.
- Has organizational skills to perform duties of the position in a highly effective and competent manner.



OUR CORE BELIEFS

Hopewell-Loudon Local School District is an Excellent School Striving to Become Better.

In Striving to Become Better We Will:

- Focus on Students First
- Seek Academic Excellence
- Promote Open Communication
- Promote the Development and Maintenance of Positive Relationships
- Operate in a Fiscally Responsible Manner
- Act with Integrity

OUR MISSION

To provide a quality and relevant education that upholds the values of the entire school community.

We will achieve this by offering a functional curriculum that nurtures all learners at all levels in a safe and supportive educational environment.

Board of Education

Linda Depinet President – 14 yrs.

Deb deVlugt-Myers Vice-President - 2 yrs.
(term ends 12/31/17)

Sandy Reinhart – 8 yrs. (term ends 12/31/15)

Doug Ranker – 8 yrs. (term ends 12/31/15)

Rick Breidenbach – 2 yrs. (term ends 12/31/17)

Kevin Kreais (term begins 1/1/16)

Karen Lang (term begins 1/1/16)

THE PROCESS

All requested materials must be submitted electronically. Candidates are to submit the following materials at the time of application:

- Letter of Interest
- A Current Resumé
- Copy of Valid Ohio Superintendent's Certificate/License
- Completed Application form (on District website - www.hlschool.org)
- List of 3 to 5 References
- o Other pertinent information

The above information must be submitted via e-mail to the following address: hlsuptsearch@hlschool.net

Additional questions should be directed to:

Jennifer Hedrick, Treasurer 419-937-2216 ext. 1009;
ihedrick@hlschool.net

TIME TABLE

Application Deadline

December 15, 2015 3:00 PM

Interviews Begin and

Candidate Selected

January 2016

Superintendent of District

To Be Determined



Employment opportunities are offered without regard to age, race, color, religion, ancestry, national origin, citizenship status, sex, sexual orientation, handicap or status as a Vietnam era or special disabled veteran. Qualified applicants who are disabled and require special assistance to respond to this employment announcement should contact Hopewell-Loudon School at 419-937-2216.



An Invitation to Lead

Hopewell-Loudon School



We are an Excellent School Striving to Become Better



The Board of Education of Hopewell-Loudon School Invites Dynamic Leaders to Apply for The District's Superintendency