Announcement of Position Superintendent of Schools for Garfield County School District

Announcement of Vacancy

Garfield County School District Board of Education is seeking highly skilled and experienced education administrator candidates to apply for position of Superintendent of Schools.



Timeline

May 27, 2016	Deadline for receipt of applications
June 3, 2016	Committee applicant screening
June 6-10, 2016	Candidate interviews
June 13, 2016	Announcement of new superintendent
July 1, 2016	Superintendent start date



Salary and Benefits

Salary beginning at \$100,000. Benefits will be based on the successful candidate's skills and experience. Salary and benefits will be competitive with superintendents from other similarly-sized Utah school districts.

Benefits include:

- Utah Retirement Systems contributions to pension and 401(k)
- Paid holidays, vacation, sick, and personal leave
- PEHP health insurance
- Life insurance



Application Procedures

Application must include:

- Completed certified Garfield County School District application
- Personal philosophy of administration and management
- A statement of interest that describes one's personal philosophy of education, leadership, administrative style, and reason for interest in this position
- A current resume detailing one's professional experience, education, and achievements
- Three current letters of recommendation
- Copies of administrative certificates and licenses
- Official university transcripts

Applications must be received no later than 5:00 PM on May 27, 2016.



Please submit to:

Ken Platt Garfield County School District P.O. Box 398 145 East Center Street Panguitch, Utah 84759 P. 435-676-8821 F. 435-676-8266







Minimum Requirements

- Administrative experience
- Master's degree in education
- Strong work ethic
- Leadership expertise in student and staff growth
- Effective communication skills with students, faculty, staff, patrons, community members and legislators.



Board of Education

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District Information

Garfield County School District is home to the most scenic county in the world. It serves 900 students spread across 5,200 square miles. There are five elementary schools, one middle school, and three high schools.

District SAGE scores in 2014-15:

- 45.5% proficient in English Language Arts
- 52.6% proficient in Mathematics
- 42.9% proficient in Science
- 72.1 % proficient in 7th grade Math



Participation in Advanced Placement courses at Panguitch High School is 56%. GCSD has a very strong concurrent enrollment program with over 700 credits earned by juniors and seniors during the 2014-2015 school year.

The district has an annual operating budget of nearly \$14 million. Revenue sources are 54% state, 38% local, and 9% federal. The district is in the process of constructing new elementary schools and has no General Obligation debt.

For further information regarding district finances and statistics, please contact Business Administrator Patty Murphy at 435-676-1302 or patty.murphy@garfk12.org.



Garfield County

Garfield County is one of the most scenic areas in the world. It offers an endless array of recreational opportunities among forests, lakes, red rock, and slot canyons. It is a tourism-based economy and home to Bryce Canyon National Park, Capitol Reef National Park, Grand Staircase-Escalante National Monument, Glen Canyon National Recreation Area, Red Canyon State Park and others.







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