



SKAMANIA SCHOOL DISTRICT

Part-Time Superintendent/Principal

The Skamania School Board seeks a part-time (.600 FTE) Superintendent/Principal dedicated to the mission of developing students into responsible decision makers, lifelong learners, and caring members of society. The Superintendent/Principal will be an experienced educator with a successful history of supporting student achievement; establishing team building and professional networks for staff; engaging the community; and promoting a positive school environment.

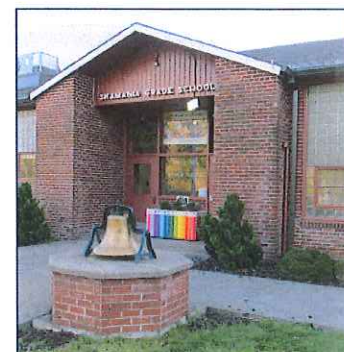
The successful candidate will be someone who:

- » Is an honest, ethical, and transparent leader with a long term vision for the district.
- » Supports an active, challenging and rewarding educational experience.
- » Brings successful experience in the classroom and as an educational leader.
- » Creates and promotes a community of learners.
- » Is fair and consistent in staff relations and the management of student behavior and discipline.
- » Demonstrates experience with increasing student achievement, leveraging resources, and encouraging staff development.
- » Demonstrates knowledge of Washington school law, academic standards, professional development and evaluation systems.
- » Actively participates in school and community events. Builds strong parent and community support.
- » Ensures that the district complies with all state and federal mandates, laws, policies and regulations.

The Superintendent/Principal performs all the duties of the Superintendent and Principal for the Skamania School District. The Superintendent/Principal also serves as the Board secretary. Candidates must hold or be eligible to hold a Washington State Principal certificate with a Superintendent credential preferred. Candidates must have at least five years teaching or administrative experience, with experience at the K-8 level highly preferred.

Skamania School District offers a competitive compensation package including excellent benefits and membership in the Washington State Retirement System.

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Our School and Community

Located in the beautiful Columbia River Gorge national scenic area, just 45 minutes from the Portland/Vancouver metropolitan area, Skamania School District offers kindergarten through 8 grade education to approximately 83 students. Operating on a single campus and with an annual budget of \$1.08 million, Skamania School District is a district of choice, with 54% of its students residing outside the district boundaries. Sixty-eight percent of Skamania students are eligible for free or reduced lunch.

Students receive a robust education while enjoying the benefits of small class sizes, individualized instruction, and community activities. Skamania partners with a neighboring district on STEM activities, and offers events/activities such as Lego Robotics, Jump Rope for Heart, successful Penny Drives, and a Drama Club. The district also has a devoted PTO group supporting its efforts. Skamania School is dedicated to expanding partnerships with the community in an effort to provide its students with the best opportunity for educational success.

Skamania students benefit from a dedicated, highly qualified, and long-tenured staff. The district currently employs 6 teachers and 9 classified staff members in addition to the Superintendent/Principal.

Skamania offers the quality of life of a small community and the beauty and recreation activities of the Columbia Gorge National Scenic Area, the Gifford Pinchot National Forest, and the Mt. St. Helens National Volcanic Monument. Enthusiasts will enjoy outdoor activities year-round including: hiking, boating, fishing, golfing, kayaking, mountain biking, camping, snowshoeing and snowmobiling minutes from the district. An abundance of museums, vineyards, orchards, cultural opportunities, restaurants, and shopping venues are all available within an hour of the district.

For more information on the Skamania School District please visit their website at: www.skamaniashooldistrict.org.

Application Process

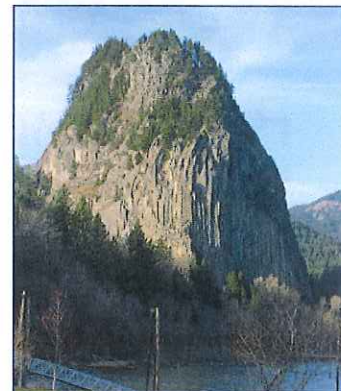
The Skamania Board of Directors has retained Educational Service District 112 to assist in the Superintendent/Principal search process. For more information and an application please visit the ESD 112 website at www.governmentjobs.com/careers/esd112.

A Completed Application Will Include:

1. Letter of interest
2. Completed Skamania School District Superintendent/Principal application form (online application)
3. Resume
4. Names and contact information of three professional references
5. Unofficial transcripts or placement files
6. A statement addressing experience/skills in educational leadership, student behavior management, communication, fiscal and organizational management, board relations, planning/vision, personnel administration, experience with Washington state's teacher evaluation system (TPEP) and community involvement.

Applications received by March 8, 2017 will receive first consideration, however the Board of Directors reserves the right to review any candidate until a Superintendent/Principal is selected.

Skamania School District will provide equal employment opportunity and treatment for all applicants and staff in recruitment, hiring, retention, assignment, transfer, promotion and training. Such equal employment opportunity will be provided without discrimination with respect to race, creed, religion, color, national origin, age, honorably discharged veteran or military status, sex, sexual orientation including gender expression or identity, marital status, the presence of any sensory, mental or physical disability or the use of a trained dog guide or service animal by a person with a disability.



How to apply

Applications and inquiries should be addressed to:

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www.governmentjobs.com/careers/esd112