



River Valley Superintendent Search

The Position

The Board of Education of the River Valley CSD is seeking a highly qualified, visionary, and fully certified educational leader to serve as the Superintendent of Schools beginning July 1, 2021.

The vacancy is due to the resignation of Ken Slater, who has successfully served the River Valley Community Schools as Superintendent since 2015.

Completed applications must be emailed no later than Friday, January 29th, 2021

Desired Characteristics of the Superintendent

- A visionary leader with ability to drive the culture of the district
- Student Centered on all decisions
- Highly visible in and engaged with the schools and community
- Ability to deal directly and fairly with faculty, staff, students, parents and community members
- Strong fiscal management

The School District

The River Valley Community School District provides a tremendous opportunity for its next superintendent. River Valley consist of approximately 400 students served in grades PK-12.

The district maintains a strong financial position and has excellent facilities. There are two buildings within the district. River Valley Elementary School serves PK-5th grade students and is located in Washta, Iowa. River Valley Jr./Sr. High School serves 6th-12th graders and is located in Correctionville, Iowa. The central office is located in the high school building.

River Valley is located in NW Iowa and 30 minutes east of Sioux City, Iowa. River Valley serves the communities of Cushing, Correctionville, Quimby, and Washta.

The Board of Education

Scott Knaack, President
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District's Mission Statement

To prepare and encourage all students to become lifelong learners in partnership with students, family, community, and global society.



District Website

www.rvwolverines.org

Selection Timeline

1. Application deadline: Emailed no later than January 29, 2021
2. Finalists selected by Board of Education: February 3, 2021
3. Interviews with Board of Education: February 15, 2021
4. Target date to complete selection process: February 18, 2021
5. Starting Date: July 1, 2021

Application and Selection Process

1. All letters of application, application form, questions, credentials and copies of administrative qualifications should be emailed to:
 - a. Tish Evans, River Valley Board Secretary
 - b. tevans@rvwolverines.org
2. A complete application for the position of Superintendent of Schools for the River Valley School District must include:
 - a. A letter of application
 - b. Resume
 - c. Completed and signed application form and other necessary signatures
 - d. Written response to the four narrative questions
 - e. Maximum of four recent letters of recommendation regarding your professional work (preferably at least two from your current employer)
 - f. PDF or JPEG files of college/university transcripts
 - g. Proof of current Iowa superintendent's endorsement.
3. Please contact Tish Evans, board secretary with any questions.
4. The applications and applicant names will remain confidential except when finalists are selected.
5. River Valley Community School District is an EEO/AA employer.

River Valley Community School District's Non-Discrimination Statement:

It is the policy of the River Valley CSD not to discriminate on the basis of race color, national origin, Sex, Disability, Religion, creed, age (for employment) marital status (for programs), sexual orientation, gender identity and socioeconomic status (for programs) in its' educational programs and its' employment practices. There is a grievance procedure for procession complaints of discrimination. If you have questions or a grievance related to this policy please contact Adam Bisenius, Equity Coordinator at 916 Hackberry St, Correctionville, Iowa, 51016.