



An Invitation to Apply for SUPERINTENDENT/PRINCIPAL

The Board of Trustees of the Big Lagoon Union School District announces its opening for the position of Superintendent/Principal. The Board is seeking a candidate who has experience working in a small school, possesses strong leadership skills, and approaches the role of school administration with a collaborative mindset.

The Big Lagoon Union School District is a single-school district serving students in Transitional Kindergarten through eighth grade. Located seven miles north of the town of Trinidad, the campus is a breathtaking 10 acres of field and Sitka spruce forest, within walking distance to Big Lagoon and the Pacific Ocean. The District is located within traditional Yurok tribal lands and is adjacent to the Big Lagoon Rancheria.

The Mission of Big Lagoon School is to educate, empower, and prepare students in an environmentally connected and culturally responsive learning community.

Instruction is currently provided in two multi-graded classrooms. Big Lagoon School is a closely connected, welcoming community that has a family feeling. We utilize our outdoor environment for place-based education. The ideal candidate has experience in fostering a healthy school climate and extending the academic and community connection beyond the campus boundaries.

The Superintendent/Principal oversees all aspects of school operations including: Instruction, Policy and Administration, Personnel, Finance, Special Education, Facilities, Transportation, and Food Services. The Board of Trustees seeks a highly organized candidate who possesses experience in all these domains and has the ability to carry out these school operations in the framework of the school's mission.

For more information about the Superintendent/Principal search, please see the vacancy posting on the Humboldt County Office of Education website.

<https://hcoe.org/employment/>