



An Invitation to Apply For The Position of

Superintendent of Schools

From the Board of Education

The Board of Education of the Beekmantown Central School District is seeking an exceptional educational leader to fill the position of Superintendent of Schools. The successful candidate will be committed to maintaining a climate of excellence of students, faculty, staff and the Beekmantown community.

The role of the Superintendent is critical to the success of our school district. As the leader of a competent, dedicated staff, the Superintendent fosters enthusiasm for learning and individual responsibility. As the Chief Executive Officer, the Superintendent works closely with the Board outlining goals, options and long-range plans, guiding decisions and implementing school district policies.

The continuing challenge for the Superintendent will be to provide leadership to maintain a strong educational program within the financial capabilities of the community. Meeting this requirement will require visionary and creative leadership on the part of the new Superintendent.

Based upon a candidate's background and experience, the Board is prepared to offer a three-year contract with a salary range of \$180,000 to \$225,000 with an appropriate benefit package.

Board of Education Members

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Our Community

Beekmantown is a rural community nestled in the Champlain Valley basin bordering Plattsburgh. The Beekmantown CSD is located on the Northeast corner of New York State on Lake Champlain in close proximity to Montreal, Vermont, Lake Placid and Albany. South and west of the community are forested Adirondack Mountains overlooking a broad valley with dairy farms and apple orchards abound. Beekmantown's eastern boundary is Lake Champlain, which provides a variety of water sports and recreational activities.

The surrounding area, with a population in excess of 31,000, includes a State University College, Community College, a Cultural Center for the Arts, public libraries, and many business and industrial facilities. The colleges are active partners in public education as well as being valuable resources of the arts, culture, and athletics for the community. An outstanding regional medical center offering quality medical care is nearby. The area also includes a variety of restaurants, shopping, and tourist attractions. The District offers a broad variety of housing choices including lakefront, neighborhood and rural. All of this combines to provide the Beekmantown Central School District residents with the opportunity for an excellent quality of life at a low-moderate cost of living. It is known as a great place to raise a family.

A successful international airport, in close proximity, provides the community with additional travel services to a multitude of locations and connections. Please visit www.northcountrychamber.com to learn more about our area and all it has to offer.

It is the mission of the Beekmantown Central School District and community to educate every individual to be a quality contributor to society and self.



District Profile

Employees:

Instructional: 233
Non-Instructional: 197

Student Enrollment:

PreK-Grade 5 (BES) 486
PreK-Grade 5 (CHES) 537
Middle School 442
High School 576
Graduation Rate: 92%
Area: 108 Sq Miles

Financial Data:

Budget (2023-2024): \$52,749,122
Property Tax Value: \$1,660,152,053
Tax Levy: \$23,506,656

Revenues:

45% from State &
49% Tax Levy

Tax Rates:

\$16.66 (Plattsburgh)
\$14.16 (Altona, Beekmantown
& Chazy)

Candidate Profile

- ✦ Instructional leader with prior teaching, administration, and financial management experience.
- ✦ Ability to develop successful working relationships with staff, students, parents, and the Board of Education.
- ✦ A listener who will build strong relationships and has the best interest of students and staff at heart.
- ✦ A Superintendent with a vested interest in our school community.
- ✦ Demonstrates exceptional writing and speaking skills.
- ✦ Knowledge of school finance and the ability to make financial decisions.
- ✦ Ability to multi-task and delegate tasks based on personal strengths and weaknesses.
- ✦ Possess integrity, moral judgment, honesty, transparency, and empathy.
- ✦ Possess the ability to build school partnerships.

Application Information

The Board of Education has selected Dr. Mark Davey, CVES District Superintendent to assist the District in the search process. Interested individuals are invited to submit a letter of interest, resume, application, 3 current letters of recommendation, official academic transcripts, and signed form "Notification a Consumer Report May Be Obtained" by email to jolicoeur_julie@cves.org or mail by **Friday, February 16, 2024:**

Dr. Mark Davey
District Superintendent
Champlain Valley Educational Services
PO Box 455
Plattsburgh, NY 12901
(518) 561-0100

All applicants must possess, or be eligible for, New York State District Administrator (SDA) or New York State School District Leader (SDL) certification.

Inquires should be directed to Dr. Mark Davey at the above address.

Academic & Program Highlights

- Free breakfast and lunch for all
- Digital 1:1 Initiative with Chromebook and Google Suite
- State-of-the-Art Athletic Facilities
- Extracurricular Activities
- Multi-level Interscholastic Sports Activities
- MS Project Based Learning
- Wi-Fi throughout all buildings
- Numerous innovative educational grants
- Learning Centers in the HS and MS
- Alternative Education (SOAR & STEAP)
- Project Lead the Way for all schools
- CAP and AP courses
- Agriculture Program
- State-of-the-Art Fitness Center and Learning Theater
- Universal PreKindergarten for 3 & 4 year olds
- Integrated preschool program for students with disabilities
- Inclusive educational programs for PreK-12 students with disabilities
- Summer Bridge Program provides summer educational opportunities for students
- School Resource Officers and Guards
- Early Intervention Services and academic support
- Life Skills and CDOS programs
- Component of Clinton-Essex-Warren-Washington Counties Board of Cooperative Services
- Wide range of career and technical education courses through BOCES operated programs and district operated programs
- One of the best DOT inspection records in New York State

Timeline

Application Deadline: February 16, 2024

Candidate Selection: March 4, 2024

Initial Interviews: March 18-19, 2024

Second Round Interviews: April 8-9 or 15-16, 2024

Third Round/Site Visit: Week of April 22, 2024

Appointment Anticipated: May 14, 2024

Desired Start Date: July 1, 2024