

Total Rewards Package

Welcome To Our School District







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Total rewards is everything that Whitehall City Schools offers to you and your family as a result of your contribution to the District's mission. This document lists many of the plans and programs that make up the District's Reward Package.



- Competitive Base Pay: Salary aligned with regional and state benchmarks.
- Step Pay Scales: Structured salary increases based on years of experience and educational attainment.
- Stipends: Additional pay for extracurricular duties, coaching, and organization advising.
- **Pro-Grow:** Additional compensation for extra duties, committee work, etc.
- Public Service Loan Forgiveness: Ability to apply for loan forgiveness

Benefits

- Health Insurance: Comprehensive medical and vision plans with low-cost employee contributions.
- **Dental Insurance:** 100% contribution from the Board of Education
- Retirement Plans: Participation in state pension programs with the Board of Education providing 14% contribution
- **Disability Insurance**: Short- and long-term coverage.
- **Life Insurance**: 100% contribution from the Board of Education
- Flexible Spending Accounts (FSA): Pre-tax options for medical and dependent care expenses.
- Background Checks: District will pay for your ongoing background checks after you are hired

Output Career Growth Opportunities

- Internal Promotions: Clear pathways for advancement.
- Cross-Training Opportunities: Skill-building in multiple disciplines.

Work-Life Balance

- Paid Time Off (PTO): Sick leave, personal days, and vacation time (varies based on position).
 Paid holidays (for year-long staff).
- Transfer of Sick Time: Full transfer of sick time earned from other public K-12 schools.
- Family Leave Policies: Parental leave, bereavement leave, and adoption assistance.
- Flexible Scheduling: Options for part-time or job-sharing arrangements where feasible.
- Employee Assistance Programs (EAPs): Counseling and mental health support.
- Wellness Challenges: Incentivized health and fitness programs.
- · Access to on-site Health Clinic

Recongition & Rewards

- Employee of the Month/Year Programs: Public acknowledgment and awards.
- Years of Service Awards: Milestone recognitions
- **Public Celebrations**: Recognition during board meetings, newsletters, or social media.

⊘ Communication & Feedback

- Annual Surveys: To gauge employee satisfaction and needs.
- Newsletters: Regular updates from leadership.
- Open-Door Policies: Accessible administration to discuss concerns.



Resources

- Classroom Devices: Laptops, tablets, or interactive whiteboards for use by teachers and students.
- Software Access: Licenses for educational software, curriculum-specific apps, and tools for special needs.
- **Tech Support**: On-site IT professionals and a help desk for troubleshooting.
- Smart Technologies: Tools like document cameras, projectors, and digital science labs.
- Grade Level Curriculum: Access to a repository of district-approved, standardsaligned lesson plans.
- Subscription Services: Access to platforms like iReady, Achieve3000, Letterland, ALEKS Math, ST Math, etc for differentiated instruction.
- Updated Textbooks:: A commitment to providing modern and inclusive materials.
- Intervention Resources: Programs and tools for remedial or accelerated learning.
- Annual Supply Stipend: A budget for teachers to purchase specific classroom items.
- Centralized Supply Requests: Easy access to order materials like paper, markers, and manipulatives.
- Reusable Kits: Science experiment kits, art materials, or physical education equipment.
- Collaborative Spaces: Access to teacher resource rooms with lamination machines, printers, or binders.
- **Grants for Innovation:** Opportunities to apply for funded classroom projects or initiatives.
- Guest Speaker and Field Trip Funds: Allocated budgets for enrichment activities.
- Family Volunteer Programs: Coordinated support for classroom tasks or events.

Orange Professional Learning

- Ongoing Training: Access to workshops, conferences, and online courses.
- Instructional Coaches: On-site specialists to help implement best practices (instructional, technology, and behavior)
- Tuition Fee Waivers: Support for pursuing advanced degrees or certifications.
- Mentorship Programs: Pairing new hires with experienced staff.
- **Guide Programs:** Pairing teachers new to the district with experienced staff.
- Leadership Development: Opportunities for aspiring administrators and department heads.
- Professional Learning Communities (PLCs):
 Collaborative groups to share best practices.

Work Environment & Community

- Collaborative Culture: Open communication channels and inclusive decision-making.
- Safe and Modern Facilities: Investment in classroom and workplace environments.
- **Technology Resources**: Tools and devices to support teaching and administrative functions.
- **Support Staff**: Adequate custodial, paraprofessional, and administrative support.
- **Discount Programs**: Partnerships with local businesses for staff discounts.
- Volunteer Opportunities: Encouraging participation in community service.
- Staff-Student Connections:
 Programs to foster relationships with students (e.g., mentorships).



Vision & Mission

Our Vision

Whitehall City Schools will ignite a passion for innovation to grow resourceful, resilient, and future-ready students

Our Mission

Whitehall City Schools maximizes relationships and innovation to empower growth, adaptability, positivity, creativity and accountability for all.











