

The Lower Merion School District Board of Directors is pleased to announce the selection of

DR. FRANK RANELLI

as the finalist for the position of Superintendent of the Lower Merion School District.

Dr. Frank Ranelli is an experienced educational leader currently serving as the Superintendent of Schools for the Piscataway Township School District in Piscataway, NJ. With over 28 years in education, Dr. Ranelli has demonstrated a strong commitment to academic excellence, professional development, and creating meaningful learning experiences for students. His vision centers around empowering educators, staff, and students to reach their full potential, ensuring every student receives an equitable and enriching educational experience.

Dr. Ranelli has achieved several significant accomplishments in his current role, including successfully leading the school district through the Covid-19 pandemic, developing a Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion department, managing various budget processes, and implementing curricular and student growth programs. He is known for his expertise in organizational management, staff development, student academic growth, facilities planning, and curriculum standards. Dr. Ranelli is particularly skilled in communication, relationship building, and logistical planning at all levels of education administration.

Dr. Ranelli is actively involved in professional associations and community activities, including serving on the District Strategic Planning Committee and participating in various educational conferences and workshops. His leadership style emphasizes empowering staff, fostering collaboration, and prioritizing student needs. Dr. Ranelli is a strong believer in the power of relationships and has implemented programs to support students' social and emotional well-being.

EDUCATION

Wilmington University, DE Ed.D., Innovation and Leadership

Cornell University, NY Diversity and Inclusion Certificate Program

Georgian Court University, NJ M.A., Administration, Supervision, and Curriculum Planning

Kean University, NJ Teacher of the Handicapped Certification B.S., Management Science

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2019 - Present: Superintendent of Schools Piscataway School District

2014 - 2019: Assistant Superintendent of Schools Piscataway School District

<u>2008 - 2014:</u> High School Principal Burlington County Institute of Technology

2005 - 2008: High School Principal Lindenwold High School

<u>2003 - 2005:</u> High School Assistant Principal Northern Burlington County Regional High School

<u>1996 - 2003:</u> Teacher of the Handicapped/Special Education Woodbridge Township School District



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