

GILBERT PUBLIC SCHOOLS

AN INVITATION TO APPLY FOR THE
POSITION OF SUPERINTENDENT



OVERVIEW

Gilbert Public Schools is seeking applications for the position of Superintendent. The candidate must have the background, skills, and abilities essential for excellence in educational leadership. The Governing Board recognizes that selecting a superintendent is one of the most important decisions it will make.

SEARCH TIMELINE

- **Closing date for applications: December 19, 2025** (11:59 p.m. central time)
- Governing Board selects finalists to interview: January 13, 2026
- Interviews with the Governing Board: Week of January 26, 2026
- Selection of new Superintendent: TBA

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- Preschool - 12th grade.
- 39 schools in Gilbert and Mesa.
- 32,000 students.
- A-rated school district with 31 A-rated schools and 15 A+ Schools of Excellence.

HOW TO APPLY

- www.macnjake.schoolspring.com

THE POSITION

Gilbert Public Schools seeks a Superintendent that can successfully demonstrate:

- Evidence of developing and executing strategic educational plans that result in higher student achievement.
- Inspirational leadership skills that empower others to perform at their highest level.
- Excellent communication skills and an open, honest and transparent leadership approach.
- Evidence of being a builder of community that strengthens district and community trust and support.

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Inspiring Excellence in Every Learner

DISTRICT OVERVIEW

Gilbert Public Schools has been serving the communities of Gilbert and Mesa for over 100 years, delivering academic excellence, a comprehensive range of educational choices, and a well-rounded curriculum across 39 schools. We are proud to have high-achieving schools, led by the very best educators and administrators. All of our schools exemplify best practices and achievement while inspiring excellence in every learner, and our teams work diligently to create safe and supportive learning environments for all students. At Gilbert Public Schools we don't just say, we do! Together we learn to lead, give service, innovate, problem-solve, and ultimately succeed.

- Current student enrollment: 32,000
- Preschool - 12th Grade
- Current staff: 4,000
- 39 schools across Gilbert and Mesa.
- Educational choices for students and families with accelerated, International Baccalaureate, Dual Language, gifted, advanced placement, career and technical education, and more.
- High performing athletic programs.
- Award winning performing arts programs, with art and music at elementary.
- A-rated district, with 31 A-rated schools (Arizona Department of Education) and 15 A+ Schools of Excellence (Arizona Education Foundation).

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Gilbert Public Schools is one of the largest in the state of Arizona, with 39 schools, 32,000 students, and more than 4,000 employees. Our geographical district area includes an estimated 71,552 households, and a population of 200,000+, in both the Town of Gilbert and Mesa, Arizona.

We are a district of choice offering a wide range of programs and curriculum options to meet the needs of all children and families Preschool - 12, including but not limited to: Traditional Academies, Sports Performance Academy, Classical Academy, Dual Language (Spanish), International Baccalaureate, Accelerated Middle School, Dual Credit, Gifted, Advanced Learning Programs, Career and Technical Education, and Special Education, Preschool, Before and After School programs.