## Lakota Local Schools Liberty Township, Ohio

# INVITES APPLICATIONS FOR THE POSITION OF SUPERINTENDENT

#### APPLICATION DUE DATE: \_April 4, 2024



### **Our Mission:**

Everything we do is designed to provide a future-ready, student-centered learning experience for every single child.

Lakota Local Schools, located between Cincinnati and Dayton, Ohio, serves 17,600 students across preK-12, with a commitment to personalized education for all. Boasting 23 schools and 2,000 dedicated staff, Lakota aims to equip every graduate for success in one of the 4 Es: Enrollment, Enlistment, Employment or Entrepreneurship. From tailored learning experiences to a diverse array of programs, every student is empowered to explore passions and achieve academic excellence.

A 1:1 technology district, Lakota is a leader in innovative courses like cybersecurity and entrepreneurship, alongside partnerships with Butler Tech and universities for career and college pathways. For its younger students, the district ensures exposure to subjects beyond core curriculum through a rotation of six specials for K-6 students.

With a comprehensive school setup, including six early childhood, eight elementary, four junior, two freshmen, two traditional and one flexible high school, Lakota is dedicated to enhancing learning environments through a forthcoming master facilities plan that will create learning spaces to educate our students now and into the future in a fiscally responsible way. **THE SEARCH:** The Board is seeking applicants for the position of Superintendent. The Board seeks an outstanding, experienced administrator who will continue the present established vision and mission of the district. The salary and benefits will be competitive with similar positions in the area.

#### THE CHARACTERISTICS:

- A champion for public education
- Proven visionary who is able to see strategic, innovative goals and how to achieve them
- Proven instructional leader who has deep knowledge and understanding of curriculum, instruction, and how students learn
- Administrative and teaching experience at building and central office levels
- Focused on a culture of excellence
- Able to collaborate with all constituents including civic, business, and community leaders
- Focuses on the whole child
- Strong interpersonal and people skills who can motivate and inspire
- Working knowledge of fiscal responsibility
- Legislative advocacy at all levels

## **APPLICATION PROCESS:**

Qualified candidates are asked to go to the Finding Leaders website for additional application information <u>WWW.findingleaders.com</u>

#### TENTATIVE TIMETABLE:

Application Due Date: <u>April 4, 2024</u> Finding Leaders Interviews Begin: <u>March/Early April,</u> First Round Board Interviews Begin: <u>April 17-18, 2024</u> Second Round Interviews and Decision: <u>May 7-8, 2024</u> Employment Begins: <u>August 1, 2024 or earlier</u>



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