

Who We Are

At Southwestern, our shared core purpose, aspirations and expectations are clear:

Our Mission

Learning for All: Engaging and Preparing for Future Success

Our Vision

Southwestern: A community providing a comprehensive and relevant education that enables every student to achieve.

Our Core Values

To accomplish our mission and achieve our vision, we will:

- provide a physically, socially, emotionally safe and inclusive learning environment
- demonstrate passion for our work and a commitment to our students
- always act with integrity, empathy, and acceptance
- hold each other and ourselves accountable for excellence in everything we do
- build mutually beneficial relationships with caregivers and community partners
- honor achievement and promote pride in ourselves, in our school, in our community, and in our region
- build and maintain rich traditions
- promote Trojan kindness for all

INTEGRITY

KINDNESS

CONNECTIONS

EXCELLENCE

SWCS Board of Education

The mission of the Southwestern CSD is to develop students' potential for positive contributions to society as self-sustaining individuals.

To accomplish this mission, the administration and staff will be models in the pursuit of excellence and will provide appropriate learning environments which encourage respect for self, others, school and community.

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SOUTHWESTERN
CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT



Announcement of Vacancy **MIDDLE SCHOOL PRINCIPAL**

Southwestern Central School District
600 Hunt Road
Jamestown, NY 14701
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Home of the Trojans!

Application Process

Qualified and interested applicants are invited to submit the following documents no later than Friday, March 8, 2024:

- A letter of interest
- Current resume
- Completed application
- School Building Leader certification
- At least three letters of recommendation

Compensation

A starting salary between \$95,000 and \$115,000 will be offered commensurate with the preparation, qualifications, experience, and record of accomplishments of the successful candidate. Benefits will be included.



About our District

The Southwestern Central School District serves approximately 1,350 students. Our district comprises three buildings. Southwestern Elementary School, which opened in September 2002, serves grades Pre-K-5; the Middle School which serves grades 6-8, and the High School which serves grades 9-12.

Employment in the district comprises 149 faculty members and 88 non-instructional personnel. There are principals in each of the three schools with an assistant principal in the elementary school and a secondary principal in the high school.

The Southwestern Central School District is distinguished by a well-educated faculty that is committed to excellence. Parent and community participation and support is acknowledged as essential to maintaining an environment for effective learning.

About our Community

Southwestern CSD is located on the west end of the city of Jamestown, NY, and includes the villages of Lakewood and Celoron, the Town of Busti, rural areas and the suburban area of West Ellicott. Jamestown and the surrounding area comprise a population of approximately 67,000 people located 40 miles east of Erie, Pa. and 70 miles southwest of Buffalo.

People who work in professional, business, industrial and agricultural occupations reside in the district. Transportation and housing facilities in the area are good, with a hospital and several clinics are in the area. There are many residential areas, all located near shopping and business districts. There are approximately 50 houses of worship that include 19 denominations and provide a local abundance of churches for the population.

Year-round outdoor recreation abounds throughout the area. Excellent hunting and fishing plus many areas suitable for hiking and horseback riding add to the golf courses, ski resorts, state parks, National Comedy Center, Reg Lenna Civic Center, Little Theatre, and the famous Chautauqua Institution, which attracts world leaders in the fields of music, medicine, politics, the press, and religion.

The area is served by Jamestown Community College.