



MIDVIEW LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

Invites applicants for the
position of Treasurer

Application Due Date: March 12, 2021

About the District

The Midview Local Schools (The Middies) is considered a small-town, rural school district located in Lorain County Ohio, serving over 3,200+ students in Grades PreK-12. The district is located 31 miles Southwest of Cleveland, Ohio and is bordered by the cities of Columbia Station, LaGrange, Elyria and North Ridgeville. The Midview Schools covers over 65 square miles while serving six different cities and municipalities. Midview consists of one centralized campus housing five school buildings: K-2 elementary (North), K/3-4 elementary (West), PK/5-6 Intermediate (East), one middle school, and one high school. The average daily enrollment of the district attending in those five school buildings, excluding those students who attend the vocational school (currently 253 high school students), is 2,973 students for a total district enrollment of 3,226 students.

The district's enrollment had 39% (1,258 students) of its students classified as economically disadvantaged. Of the 3,226 students enrolled in the school district, 13.6% are identified with special needs (439 students) and 16.3% (527 students) of students attending are open-enrolled into the district from surrounding communities. The district's mobility rate during the 2019-2020 school year, on average, was 6.2% (200 students).

Vision

By 2025, Midview Local Schools will be recognized as an innovative educational leader in safety, social-emotional health and unique educational pathways for all students.

Mission

Where the Community Educates and Empowers.

Our Beliefs are Anchored in:

- ✓ Keeping an open line of transparent communication with students, parents, faculty, administrators and community.
- ✓ Being holistic in the education of our students, including academic abilities, character, social-emotional development, physical growth, leadership and problem-solving skills.
- ✓ Fostering positive and safe educational environments, empowering our students to transfer their learning to real-world opportunities.

District Information

Enrollment: 3,226
Number of Employees: 347
Certificated: 195
Non Certificated: 135
Administrators/Supervisors: 17
Square Miles: 65
Disadvantaged Students: 1,258
General Fund Millage: 0.0
Emergency Fund Millage: 10.99
Outside Millage (Res/Ag): 56.60/38.74
Permanent Improvement Millage: 3.64/3.64
Cost Per Student: \$9,295
State Average: \$9,883

Total Valuation Rate

Residential: 81%
Agriculture: 5%
Industrial/Commercial: 8%
Public Utilities: 6%
Appropriations: \$22,348,536
General Fund Balance: \$22,861,280

Funding Source Totals:

Local Taxes: \$16,880,236 - 42.9%
State Funds: \$12,899,569 - 32.8%
Federal Funds: \$2,060,968 - 5.2%
Other: \$7,482,026 - 19.0%
Total: \$39,322,799 - 100%
Five Year Forecast: [November, 2020 - Five Year Forecast PDF](#)

The District has the Following Goals

To develop a plan to improve communications with internal faculty and staff, students, parents and the community by the end of the 2020-2021 school year.

To develop an exploratory committee to assess district facilities to support innovative student learning based on the costs associated with repairing and/or replacing current district facilities and report out to the community and district employees.

To recruit, develop and retain highly qualified and exemplary educators to provide Midview students with a high-quality education, curriculum and learning environment.

To design and implement innovative pathways for students to take ownership of their education and their future goals.

To promote and communicate on a wide scale, through multiple mediums, the innovations in curriculum, arts and sciences, athletics, facilities and performances that will make our district an educational leader in the county.

Recent Awards and Accomplishments

- ✔ Six consecutive Auditor of State Awards
- ✔ Midview Middle School awarded the "All-A" Award by the Ohio Department of Education
- ✔ Project Lead the Way (STEM) nationally recognized "Distinguished" School District
 - 4 of 5 schools are PLTW "Distinguished Schools"
- ✔ All five school buildings awarded the "PBIS Bronze Metal" by the Ohio Department of Education
- ✔ Midview Food Service is an Ohio School Nutrition Program "Super Star" award winner
- ✔ All five school buildings are recognized as "Purple Star" award winners for supporting Military families
- ✔ A 1:1 teacher and student device district
- ✔ Ohio Department of Education "5-Star" Midview Preschool Program
- ✔ Moody's Investor Service upgraded the district's issuer rating to Aa3 from A1. Moody's also upgraded their rating on the district's certificates of participation (COPs) to A1 from A2

Midview Board of Education Members

Tom Tomasheski,
Board of Education
President
8 years

Janet Winslow,
Board of Education
Vice-President
8 years

Dan Haight,
Board Member
3 years

Kathy Quintiliano,
Board Member
12 years

Gary Wilson,
Board Member
33 years

Midview's Search

The Midview Local Schools Board of Education is seeking applicants for the position of Treasurer. The new Treasurer will assist the school district in achieving the goals and action steps of the district in the following areas:

- ✔ Technology innovation and infrastructure
- ✔ Ability to implement and facilitate a successful levy campaign
- ✔ Seek out and implement strategic funding opportunities
- ✔ Supporting the fine arts
- ✔ Seeking out and building strategic community partnerships
- ✔ Assisting with parent/teacher associations
- ✔ Serving as the District Wellness Chair
- ✔ Working with the District's Education Foundation
- ✔ Possess a deep understanding of Special Education services and funding, especially excess cost
- ✔ Work hand-in hand with Transportation and Food Services Department
- ✔ Advanced knowledge of budgeting and forecasting
- ✔ Aid in facilities management and oversight
- ✔ Careful and innovative fiscal management
- ✔ Knowledge of auditing laws and best practices
- ✔ Support District Health Services
- ✔ Assist with Child Nutrition Services
- ✔ Proficient knowledge of the Ohio Department of Education's OneNeeds Assessment and Continuous Improvement Process
- ✔ Being directly involved with District business and operation goals/projects

Tentative Timeline

- ✔ Application Due Date: March 12, 2021
- ✔ Review of Applicants Begins: March 15, 2021
- ✔ Initial Board Interviews Begin: April 5, 2021
- ✔ Final Board Interviews Begin: April 10, 2021
- ✔ Board Approval: April 28, 2021
- ✔ Employment Start Date (Tentative): May 1, 2021

* Dates are subject to change based on the interview process and availability of Board members.

Qualifications

- ✔ At least a Bachelor's Degree or higher with specific emphasis in accounting, finance and management of district finances
- ✔ Appropriate Ohio Treasurer's Certificate/License
- ✔ Successful leadership experience in school finance as a school Treasurer is preferred but not required
- ✔ Successful experience running and managing a school levy campaign is preferred but not required
- ✔ Strong team leadership skills and demonstrated ability to work cooperatively as a member of an administrative team
- ✔ Excellent verbal and written communication skills
- ✔ Strong interpersonal skills to relate effectively with the Board of Education, staff, students, parents, and community
- ✔ High visibility and involvement at essential school functions
- ✔ Ability to create and maintain an atmosphere of respect and trust
- ✔ Good presentation and public speaking skills
- ✔ A track record of excellent fiscal management experience
- ✔ High degree of professionalism and approachability

The Application Process

Qualified candidates are asked to apply on-line at www.MidviewK12.org and include the following minimum documents to be considered:

- ✔ Letter of interest
- ✔ Resume, including full job history as it pertains to the position
- ✔ Copy of a current Ohio Treasurer Certificate/License
- ✔ Transcripts
- ✔ List of current references

Salary and Contract

The successful candidate will be offered an initial multi-year contract. The salary and benefits package will be regionally competitive with a starting salary between \$90,000 - \$107,000, commensurate with experience in school finance and individual qualifications the Board of Education deem as exemplary.

Disclaimer:

The Midview Local Schools is an equal opportunity employer offering employment without regard to race, color, national origin, religion, sex, sexual orientation, national origin, age, military status or disability.

Treasurer Search Contacts

Any current or prospective candidate with questions regarding the Midview Local Schools' Treasurer search may contact the following via email:

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