



**ANNOUNCEMENT OF VACANCY
SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS**


**LA PLATA R-II SCHOOL DISTRICT
"Home of the Bulldogs"**



Macon County

Search being conducted by Dr. Jerry Cochran, MARE Search Consultant

*La Plata R-II is seeking candidates for the position of Superintendent of the School District located at
201 W Moore, La Plata, Missouri, 63549. Website: www.laplata.k12.mo.us*

County-District Code: 061-154	Schools	Certified Staff	Total Students	<u>MISSION STATEMENT</u> Educate, Empower, Equip All Students		
Elementary School (PK-06)	1	21	165			
High School (07-12)	1	20	146			
Total	2	39	311			
Annual Operating Budget: \$4,216,172.00 Total Tax Levy: \$3.0897	Assessed Valuation: \$34,485,508.00	Administrators - 3 Support Staff - 17	District Fully Accredited	District Operated Transportation	District Operated Food Service	
Reserve Balances at 60.87%	Parents as Teachers	Online Courses Edgenuity Early College Partnership - MACC	Bulldogs 	BETA STUCO Yearbook Leo's	A+ Program <u>Dual Enrollment</u> 4 Day School Week	Kirksville Technical Center

BOARD OF EDUCATION:

Brandon Mack - President
Lisa Coy - Vice President
Brenton Travis - Treasurer
Mike Bond - Member

2024
2026
2026
2026

Steven McHenry - Member
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Jennifer Blacksmith - Member
Lynnette East - Board Secretary

2025
2024
2025

TIMELINE:

- APPLICATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED BY **Friday, November 10, 2023**
- SCREENING TO BEGIN ON **Ongoing throughout process**
- INTERVIEWS TENTATIVE DATE **Week of November 13-17, 2023**
- ANTICIPATED HIRE DATE **November 20, 2023**
- CONTRACT BEGINS **July 1, 2024**

SALARY/BENEFITS INFORMATION:

- Salary commensurate with qualifications and experience. *Salary Range: \$95,000-\$115,000.*
- Administrative experience **required**.
- Central office administrative experience **preferred**.
- Board paid health insurance benefit.
- **Multi-year** contract may be considered.
- District residency is **preferred, but not required**.

APPLICATION PROCESS: Go to www.moare.com and download all application material for **La Plata R-II**.

Applicants are advised to **email and then mail a hard copy** of all application materials to the Search Consultant listed below:

La Plata R-II Superintendent Search

Attn: Dr. Jerry Cochran, Search Consultant
Post Office Box 271
Cole Camp, Missouri 65325



Other Contact Information:

Phone #: (660) 596-3184 or (660) 668-3787
Fax #: (660) 747-8160
Email: cochranj115@gmail.com

*Applicants are asked to not make direct contact with the Board of Education members. Initial applications will be kept confidential; however, all applications, letters of reference, resumes, transcripts, credentials, etc., for the purpose of this application process will, upon receipt, become the sole property of the **La Plata R-II Board of Education**, and shall remain their property indefinitely.*

APPLICATION GUIDELINES

- Submit a completed application form and current resume with three letters of reference.
- Include a cover letter directed to the **La Plata R-II Board of Education**. (Describe reasons for interest in the position and provide a record of significant accomplishments over the past five years.)
- Provide evidence of Missouri Superintendent Certificate (copy of certificate).
- Provide transcripts and current placement papers or credentials.
- Include any other supporting documents that would enhance the application file.
- Please note that the selected finalist must provide a copy of his/her most recent background check prior to official employment.

STATEMENT OF NON-DISCRIMINATION Applicants for admission and employment, students and employees of the **La Plata R-II School District** are hereby notified that this institution does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, creed, religion, national origin, sex, age or handicap in admission or access to, or treatment of employment in its programs and activities. Any person implementing Title IX or Section 504 is directed to contact Mr. Rick Roberts, La Plata R-II School District, 201 W Moore, La Plata, Missouri, 63549. Phone Number: (660) 332-7001.