

Middle School Assistant Principal

Post Date: April 1, 2025 Application Deadline: April 15, 2025

Position Summary

Whitehall District Schools is seeking an energetic, student-centered Middle School Assistant Principal to help lead a collaborative school community focused on academic excellence, positive behavior, and inclusive support for all learners. The ideal candidate is a relationship builder with a passion for middle-level education, a commitment to student growth, and the ability to foster a strong school culture through strategic leadership and compassionate engagement. This role plays a vital part in supporting instruction, managing school operations, and ensuring a safe, inclusive environment where every student can thrive socially, emotionally, and academically.

Essential Duties

- Strong interpersonal and communication skills, both written and oral, with the ability to engage multiple stakeholder groups
- Provide instructional leadership using the 5D+ Instructional Framework and a coaching mindset
- Lead implementation of MTSS and PBIS, including tiered interventions and supports for at-risk students
- Monitor and analyze student behavior, attendance, and discipline data to support academic and social-emotional growth
- Address and resolve chronic attendance and truancy issues through collaboration and proactive intervention
- Promote and sustain a positive, inclusive school culture through student leadership and wellness initiatives
- Supervise and support staff across various employee groups; participate in recruiting, screening, and recommending candidates
- Represent the district in IEP and 504 meetings and ensure appropriate supports are in place
- Collaborate with counselors, social workers, and teachers to design and implement student achievement and behavior support programs
- Plan and lead professional development opportunities aligned with school improvement goals
- Provide daily supervision in common areas (hallways, lunchroom, parking lot) to maintain a safe and orderly environment; lead efforts to improve lunchroom operations
- Actively participate in academic, athletic, and co-curricular events to support and advocate for students

Education and Experience

- Master's (Educational Leadership/Administration preferred) from an accredited college or university required
- Valid Michigan School Administrator Certificate
- Minimum five successful years teaching experience (secondary level)

Compensation

- Per School Administrator Contract
- School Year Schedule, +20

Individuals interested in applying for this position should email their letter of interest, resume and references to: kirstenbolles@whitehallschools.net. Thank you.

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