

Bellevue

City School District

is seeking qualified applicants
for the position of

Superintendent

Application Deadline:
January 16, 2026





The Search

Bellevue City School District is seeking an innovative leader in education and administration for the position of superintendent. North Point Educational Service Center is facilitating the search process.



The Community

The city of Bellevue is located in northwest Ohio approximately 15 miles south of Lake Erie, 50 miles east of Toledo and 60 miles west of Cleveland.

The school district is made up of 13,000 residents spanning more than four counties. The residents work hard to enhance and preserve a strong sense of community. Primarily comprised of middle-class families, Bellevue prides itself on its quality of life. The city has something for everyone - from its strong parks and recreation system to its public library, society for the arts, various churches, and tourist attractions including Seneca Caverns, the Historic Lyme Village, and the Mad River & NKP Railroad Museum.

Careful planning for the future and a desire to maintain its down home atmosphere are key ingredients to Bellevue's growth.

Applicant Criteria

The Bellevue City Schools superintendent must reside in the district. The Board of Education invites applicants who are honest, transparent, and dedicated to doing what is right and in the best interest of students. The ideal candidate will:

- ✓ Collaborate well with the Board of Education, staff, and union leadership
- ✓ Make decisions in a timely fashion based on current data
- ✓ Possess strong communication skills and consistently communicate with district stakeholders
- ✓ Have a thorough knowledge of school finances and experience in sound fiscal management
- ✓ Remain actively engaged in community organizations, including leadership roles
- ✓ Value academic progress and success
- ✓ Be present and accessible at community and school events
- ✓ **MUST RESIDE** in the district by August 1, 2026, the beginning of the contract

District Financial Information

Total valuation: 380,847,040

Total effective millage

Inside.....	4.3
Outside (voted)	38.55
Outside (effective).....	31.79
Residential/agricultural	29.93
Bond.....	11.5
refinanced in 2019 reduced by 3 mill	
Permanent improvement5
School income tax	1/2%

Appropriations

General fund.....	\$26,905,799
Total - all funds.....	\$38,186,877

Receipts/all funds

Local taxes.....	42%
Local other.....	7%
State.....	42%
Federal	9%

Expenditure per pupil

\$8,128

Enrollment (Dec. 2025)

1,665

Number of employees

Certified	129
Classified	89
Administrators.....	26
School Resource Officers.....	2

Average Teacher Salary

\$73,900

Teacher experience

Bachelor's degree	28%
Master's degree	72%
Average years of experience	17



Salary and Contract

The Bellevue Schools Board of Education will provide a competitive compensation package based on the education and experience of the candidate. A multi-year contract with provisions for annual review and evaluation will be offered.

Tentative Timeline



Application Process

Please submit the following by January 16, 2026 to:

North Point Educational Service Center
Attn: Sherry Priesman
4918 Milan Road
Sandusky, OH 44870

- ✓ A letter highlighting qualifications and reason for interest
- ✓ Resume
- ✓ Copy of current Ohio Superintendent Certificate/License
- ✓ Credentials and transcripts
- ✓ Three letters of recommendation

Contact

Sherry Priesman at
spriesman@npesc.org
or 419-627-3900
with questions.

Board of Education

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Jennifer Rogers, Vice President
(term expires Dec. 31, 2025)

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