

Our communities
are what make us great!

Located in north central Arizona, Jerome and Clarkdale are rich in copper-mining history. The mines and smelter closed in 1953, the population dropped, but the area retained its turn-of-the-century character.



Clarkdale sits on the banks of the Verde River and the gateway to Sycamore Canyon...fishing, kayaking, hiking, biking, wildlife. With a population of

4,000 people, Clarkdale includes a portion of the Yavapai-Apache Nation and is home to many 3rd and 4th generation residents. An annual invitational art show, summer concerts in the park, Tuzigoot National Monument, a growing wine industry, and small town charm, Clarkdale lives up to its mission "A Place That Makes Sense".

Clarkdale Elevation 3,545
Temp: January 30°-60° July 67°-100°

Jerome is a bustling, artist community overlooking the Verde Valley. Rich in copper mining past, it is home to 444 residents who are proud of its National Historic Landmark status. Tourism, arts & crafts, wine making, and music drive the economy. Jerome provides a spectacular view of the red rock cliffs of the Mogollon Rim and the 13,000' San Francisco Peaks 50 miles to the north.

Jerome Elevation 5,000'
Temp: January 33°-49° July 67°-90°



Rams Pride at
Clarkdale-Jerome
School District

Clarkdale-Jerome
Elementary School District
District #3

One K-8 School
Superintendent and Principal
Enrollment: 465 students
Certified Staff: 25
Support Staff: 27



Clarkdale-Jerome Elementary School District #3



EVERY STUDENT, EVERY DAY,
PREPARING FOR TOMORROW



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Clarkdale-Jerome School District's mission is to:

- Achieve high academic excellence
- Cultivate personal accountability for all
- Encourage citizenship and respect

Rated a "B" school

(AZ Dept. of Education, 2013-14 last year rating offered)

Title I School

Free & Reduced Lunch 53%

2015-16 AZMerit Passing Snapshot:

English Language Arts 52%

Math 36%

95% Attendance Rate
(2014-15)

Learning is a
continuous process at
Clarkdale-Jerome School!



Who are we searching for?

The Clarkdale-Jerome School District Superintendent is the chief executive officer of the district and is responsible for setting the tone and direction of the school while providing general management and oversight of all aspects of the district operations including:

- Leadership in all areas of teaching and learning
- A positive system of hiring, supervision and evaluation for all staff
- Oversight and administration of all district facilities and property
 - Budgets and allocation of resources
- Support and collaboration with the district Governing Board to define and implement the district vision

Job Requirements

- Arizona Superintendent Certification
- Master's or higher (education or educational administration)
- A high regard for small communities and rural school districts
- At least 3-years school administration experience, preferably superintendent, K-8 and small/rural district experience
- Successful in teaching and administration of increasing responsibility
- Know instruction, evaluations, school finance and law preferably with some experience in Arizona
- Successful fiscal management as evidenced by experience
- Success in supplemental funding strategies, including grant writing, overrides, bonds, etc.
- Knowledge and understanding of state and federal laws and policies regarding all students including those with special needs
- Knowledge of and experience with facilities management
- Keeping a high visibility in the school and community
- Promoting the district and building relationships with the community
- Building and sustaining collaborative relationships with regional districts
- Residency within 2 years in the immediate area, preferably in the district
- Focused on student achievement and meeting the needs of all students
- Be a "continuous learner" and promote and support professional development of self, Board, and staff
- Ability to make tough decisions with diplomacy
- Commitment high quality education programs and the reputation of the district
- Focused on positive staff morale and school culture
- Role model and advocate for district and all students
- Strong communication and interpersonal skills
- A sense of humor

On-line application is available at www.cjsd.k12.az.us
click on "JOBS"