



**Interested candidates must include the following in their completed online application:**

1. A clearly written letter of intent, indicating professional experience and interest in The Director of Teaching, Learning, and Innovation position.
2. A current resume detailing experience and qualifications.
3. Credentials including undergraduate and graduate transcripts and copy of Connecticut Intermediate Administrator and Supervisor certification (CT 092)
4. A minimum of three current letters of reference.

## **GRISWOLD PUBLIC SCHOOLS**

Please visit our website [www.griswold.k12.ct.us](http://www.griswold.k12.ct.us) for position details and to fill out the online application via our Applitrack system. (No paper applications accepted.)

All applications must be completed online by September 25<sup>th</sup>, 2020

## **SELECTION PROCESS & TIMELINE**

### **CALL FOR CANDIDATES**

**August 25<sup>th</sup>, 2020 - September 25<sup>th</sup>, 2020**

### **INTERVIEWS**

**October 1<sup>st</sup>, 2020 – October 8<sup>th</sup>, 2020**

### **ARTIFACTS REVIEW & PRESENTATION**

**October 12<sup>th</sup>, 2020 – October 14<sup>th</sup>, 2020**

### **REFERENCE CHECKS & VISITS**

**October 15<sup>th</sup> & 16<sup>th</sup>**

### **BOARD INTERVIEWS WITH FINALISTS**

**October 19<sup>th</sup>, 2020**

### **APPOINTMENT**

**November 9<sup>th</sup>, 2020**

## **Contact Us**

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## **GRISWOLD PUBLIC SCHOOLS**

Cordially invite interested candidates to apply for the position of

**The Director of Teaching, Learning, and Innovation**

## QUALIFICATIONS

- Advanced graduate degree.
- Minimum of five years successful teaching experience at the PreK-12 grade level.
- Minimum of three years administrative experience at the building and/or district level or acceptable alternatives. Proven experience in supervising staff and programs.
- Demonstrated knowledge and experience in current theory and practice in instruction, assessment, curriculum development, and staff evaluation practices and techniques.
- Knowledge and experience in current statistical techniques and data analysis relative to student performance data, instructional improvement, and program implementation.
- Knowledge of early childhood, elementary, high school, and post-secondary programs.
- Demonstrated ability to work collaboratively, efficiently, and effectively with a diverse range of staff members in a manner that elicits maximum cooperation and team efforts to improve the instruction, curriculum, and assessment program of the district.
- Capacity for planning, coordinating and articulating the overall mission and long-range goals of the district in all instruction, curriculum, and assessment areas while ascertaining that the day-to-day operational needs of the district are met in these areas.
- Ability to identify and evaluate emerging opportunities in teaching and learning in a transformative, disruptive time in public education.

## GENERAL DESCRIPTION

The Director of Teaching, Learning, and Innovation provides leadership and coordination in the ongoing development of goals, planning, implementation, and evaluation of instruction, student assessment, curriculum, and professional learning. The Director will collaborate with diverse stakeholders to ensure that all Griswold students are provided with 21<sup>st</sup> Century Skills to be successful in higher education and/or a transforming workforce. The Director leverages familiar, proven tools and methodologies to identify new possibilities and pathways in continuous improvement. Working under the direction of the Superintendent, the Director will support all stakeholders in innovative, solutions-based thinking to implement effective pedagogical strategies, both time-tested and new approaches; blended models of instructional delivery; and SRBI-tiered approaches to student learning. The Director provides inspiration to spark critical feedback and data-gathering into sequenced, actionable steps.

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## GRISWOLD PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Griswold Public Schools are committed to continuous improvement in student performance across a 21<sup>st</sup> Century education program. The Griswold Public Schools campus is a modern facility, located conveniently off I-395, which houses Griswold Elementary School, Griswold Middle School, Griswold High School, and Central Office. Our Griswold Alternative School is located 5 miles from our campus, on route 201. Our district has strong community partnerships with the Town of Griswold; Sacred Heart University, which has a satellite division on our campus; TVCCA, which has a program at our elementary school; and UCFS. Our district recently completed a 3-year improvement plan, which yielded a curriculum revision cycle, the implementation of NWEA MAP testing district-wide; a 1-to-1 student device match; and a new student information system, Infinite Campus. Additionally, Griswold Public Schools continue to expand its tuition town partnerships with districts in the region.



