

Stanberry R-II School District Vacancy Announcement Instrumental Music Teacher 5-12



Position: Music Teacher 5-12

Date Available: 2024-25 School Year

Date Posted: January 3, 2024

Application Procedure: Send Letter of Application (website), Resume, and List of References to:

Dr. John Davison

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School Website: <https://www.sr2.k12.mo.us/>

Qualifications:

Required: Bachelor's Degree in Instrumental Music Education and a valid Missouri teaching certificate, or sufficient preparation to qualify the same.

Salary Schedule: Per Approved Salary Schedule

Direct Report: Building Principals

Term of Employment: 9 Month Contract with 2 week extended contract

Purpose: To develop in each pupil an appreciation of music as part of general culture; to teach techniques of instrumental music expression; to discover and develop talents of pupils in the field of music; to develop knowledge and skills in listening to and reading music.

Essential Job Functions:

- Attend work in a regular, reliable and punctual manner.
- Plan a balanced music program, and organize daily class time so that preparation, rehearsal and instruction can be accomplished within the allotted time.
- Utilizes repertoire of all types of music literature, including traditional and contemporary, that are appropriate for the ages and skill levels of pupils.
- Set rehearsal and performance schedules (Fall/Spring concerts, community performances) in cooperation with other school activities.
- Design content of extra-curricular activities i.e.: marching band, basketball band, solo and ensemble, music lessons, etc.
- Controls the storage and use of school-owned property; makes minor adjustments and requests repairs to instruments as required.

- Act as educational leader for students participating in extra-curricular band activities.
- Act as liaison between students, administration and parent booster groups.
- Coordinate communications/publicity for all related events
- Establishes and maintains standards of pupil behavior to provide an orderly, productive environment during practice, group rehearsals and musical performances
- Evaluates each pupil's musical growth and performance, assessing each individual's contribution to the performance of the group.
- Plans, rehearses and directs pupils in musical programs for school and community.
- Selects and requisitions books, musical instruments and instructional aids; maintains required inventory records.
- Communicates with parents and school administration on pupil progress.
- Cooperates with the school administration in providing musical programs for school productions, graduation ceremonies, and civic functions.
- Participates in curriculum and other developmental programs.
- Participates in faculty committees and sponsorship of pupil activities.
- Maintains professional competence through in-service education provided by the district, and in self-selected professional growth activities related to music.
- Coordinate and facilitate concerts of extra-curricular activity.
- Participate in appropriate competitions/adjudications.
- Coordinate and facilitate recruiting for the instrumental program.
- Other duties as assigned.

Certified Staff Salary and Benefits

Salary - Based on competitive salary schedule based on experience and education

Insurance - The district pays \$500 toward a health insurance plan for employees. The employee may choose to purchase health insurance coverage for their spouse and/or children through payroll deduction.

Life Insurance - \$20,000 provided and more can be purchased through the school district.

Retirement - The district matches the employee's contribution to the Missouri Public Retirement System.

Sick Leave - Each certified employee receives 10 sick days per year, which may accumulate to 80 total days. When leaving the district, unused sick leave is reimbursed to the employee.

Personal Leave - Each employee receives two days of personal leave each year, which may accumulate to four days total.

Cafeteria Plan - The district provides each employee with the opportunity to receive tax reduced reimbursement for medical and child care expenses through the Cafeteria Plan.

Annuities - Each employee has the opportunity to use payroll deduction for the purpose of contribution to an annuity of their choice.

Stanberry, The Community

Stanberry, a community of approximately 1100 people, is located in Northwest Missouri. It is conveniently located 45 miles from St. Joseph, 12 miles from Albany, 30 miles from Bethany, and less than 30 miles from Maryville. With its location to Maryville, certified staff members are afforded the opportunity to easily pursue graduate coursework at Northwest Missouri State University. Stanberry boasts several successful businesses and local industries. The community contains five very active church congregations, which work closely with the school to provide numerous opportunities for our children.

Stanberry School District

The school is indeed the heart of the Stanberry community. The entire school facility is at one location, providing education for all students in grades PK-12. A big part of the school facility has been recently built and contains updated technology in each classroom. The district has “accredited” status through the MSIP process. The district enrolls nearly 425 students in grades PK-12. Class sizes are kept at a very low level, but at the same time the district offers several more units of credit than are required by state standards. The district has forty (40) certified teachers, three (3) administrators, and seventeen (17) non-certified staff.

Extracurricular Activities

The school district offers a large number of extra-curricular opportunities for students including: Basketball, baseball, softball, football, wrestling, track, golf, scholar bowl, spelling bee, Science Olympiad, concert band, chorus, marching band, computer and math competition, school yearbook, school newspaper, FFA, FCCLA, FBLA, and other individual class opportunities.

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