

# ST. ANSGAR AND NORTHWOOD-KENSETT CSD



## SHARED SUPERINTENDENT SEARCH



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APPLY BY DEC. 31, 2024

### **ABOUT ST. ANSGAR CSD**

The St. Ansgar School District serves 650 students in PK-12th grades and has 103 full and part-time staff members. In 2023, the high school was named a National Blue Ribbon School.

Our size offers the best of both worlds – small enough to foster close relationships, and large enough to offer a wide variety of curricular choices. At St. Ansgar, our team of professional educators is committed to offering a challenging, relevant curriculum using research-based instructional techniques proven to increase student achievement. Thanks to a recent fundraising campaign, improvements are upcoming for the agriculture, industrial tech, and weight room areas.

Our school district serves the communities of St. Ansgar, Carpenter, Stacyville, and Grafton; these communities take great pride in the education of their students. The district is located in northwestern Mitchell County and eastern Worth County and covers approximately 229 square miles of land.

### **ABOUT NORTHWOOD-KENSETT CSD**

Northwood-Kensett Community School District, home of the Vikings, serves 500 students in grades PK-12, with a student-to-teacher ratio of 11:1.

Northwood-Kensett is innovative in our curriculum and is a technology-rich district with iPads for every K-1st grade student and MacBook Air computers for every 2nd-12th grade student. Our teachers receive \$2,400 towards classroom supplies from WCDA funding. Students are served in two facilities; an elementary building and a middle and high school building, which are both located in Northwood.

Our district is in excellent financial health with Unspent Budget Authority. FY24 ending cash is approximately \$2 million and Unspent Authority is approximately \$3 million. Additional WCDA funding helps offset costs to our facilities and land improvements, helping us create state-of-the-art classrooms for our students and some of the best resources available.

The Viking Activity Center in Northwood is a state-of-the-art wellness center serving both the community and the school district. This facility was built in 2021 funded through SAVE funds, grants, and local fundraising efforts.

### **REQUIRED QUALIFICATIONS**

- Iowa superintendent licensure
- Evaluator Approval
- Successful experience in building or district administration

### **PREFERRED QUALIFICATIONS**

- Previous superintendent experience
- Reside within the district post-hire

### **SALARY AND BENEFITS**

Salary range is \$165,000-\$190,000 with a comprehensive benefit package and expanded health benefits including full family insurance and dental coverage.

\*The final salary will be determined based on relevant experience.

### **SUPERINTENDENT HIRING TIMELINE**

October 16-26	Stakeholder Survey
Oct. 14-Dec. 31	Application Period
January 9	Screening Interviews
January 20	Final Interviews
January 23	Snow Date

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