



# LITTLE CHUTE

---

## Area School District

---

### Welcome to the Little Chute Area School District

### District Administrator Search

#### Statistics

District Grades.....	PreK-12
Enrollment .....	1,620
Administrators.....	8
Teachers .....	128
Support Staff .....	60
Annual Operating Budget.....	\$18.5 million

### About the Little Chute Area School District

The Little Chute Area School District is known across the Fox Valley Region for having schools that enjoy high achieving students, an excellent faculty and staff, and a supportive network that includes families along with community members. The school/community of Little Chute is a caring community that is proud of its children and schools, holds high expectations for academic achievement, and is supportive of the arts and extra-curricular activities.

The district is an outstanding place to learn and work as a direct result of our people and the programs we offer. The faculty and staff of the Little Chute Area School District are a hard-working and thoughtful team of professionals who are dedicated to continuous improvement and meeting the academic, social, and emotional needs of all students.

Our collective commitment to the students we serve, is grounded in the following district priorities:

- **Achievement:** Maximizing the learning of ALL students and of all abilities.
- **Curriculum:** Maintaining a research-based curriculum that provides teachers and students with the most up-to-date rigorous curriculum to enhance student learning.
- **Professional Development:** Establishing professional development programming that demands our most valuable student resource (teachers) partake in professional learning that focuses on improving student learning in the classroom.
- **Health and Wellness:** Coordinate Prek-12 programming that supports the physical, emotional, and mental well-being of all our students.

The priorities listed above reflect our commitment to the entire educational community of Little Chute - that every day with every student we will strive to have a positive effect on all children in our care. To review our District priorities in great detail along with success measurements, visit our [“Blueprint for Brilliance”](#).

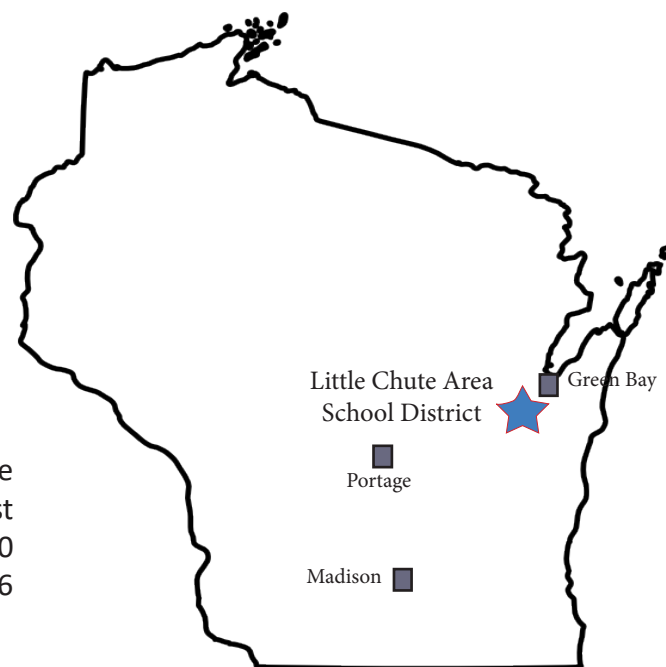
## Highlights of Little Chute Area School District

- Two campuses
  - ◊ Elementary Campus - 4K-4
  - ◊ Main Campus
    - \* Intermediate School 5-6
    - \* Middle School 7-8
    - \* High School 9-12
    - \* Flex Academy Charter School K-8
    - \* Little Chute Career Pathways Academy Charter School 9-12
- Highly qualified faculty which includes multiple Herb Kohl Fellowship recipients.
- Geographically the smallest school district in Wisconsin.
- Student population consists of 30% open enrollment students.
- Strong community support which is evident through successful passage of all building and operating referendums.
- Annual operating budget of \$18.5 million and a fund balance of 35%.
- Completed a \$19 million addition/renovation of the main campus in 2018.
- Completed \$2.5 million exterior improvements which included renovations to the main campus parking lot and baseball diamond.
- In 2017, approved a five-year non-recurring technology operating referendum for \$275,000 per year expiring in 2021-2022.
- Recipient of 2019 Focus on Energy's "Energy Efficient Excellence Award".
- Innovative technology program featuring 1:1 Chromebooks in grades 5-12, 1:2 iPads in grades K-4, and interactive TVs in all classrooms and conference rooms.
- Home to community fitness center (LC Fitness Center) which is located on the main campus.
- Co-owner of Fallen Timbers Environmental Learning Center
- Collaborative partnership with the Boys & Girls Clubs of the Fox Valley to provide all K-6 students with before/after programming that focuses on social, emotional, and academic well-being.
- Partnered with the Village of Little Chute to create the Little Chute Community Area Network (LC CAN). Through this endeavor, the district along with the village controls its own fiber optic network which provides unlimited bandwidth at a very affordable cost.
- To expand health care options to our employees, LCASD created an on-site employee health care clinic (LC Care Clinic).

**LITTLE CHUTE**  
Area School District

# About the Little Chute Community

Nestled in the heart of the Fox River Valley, the Village of Little Chute is Outagamie County's largest Village with a population of approximately 11,000 residents. The Village of Little Chute is located 6 miles northeast of downtown Appleton and 26 miles south of Green Bay. The community takes pride in their Dutch heritage which is proudly displayed with their authentic and fully functioning windmill. The Village is well known for The Great WI Cheese Festival held each June.



## Related Websites

[Village of Little Chute](#)

[Fox City Chamber](#)

[Heart of the Valley Chamber](#)

[Outagamie County WI](#)

## Little Chute Area District Mission

The mission of the Little Chute Area School District is dedicated to fostering a community of learners where we meet the academic, social, and emotional needs of ALL students.

## Little Chute Area District Vision

Little Chute schools will be learning communities where students express a genuine desire to learn in a welcoming and secure environment. We will challenge ALL learners to become engineers of their own future by nurturing their creative and intellectual growth. We will provide the launch pad for students to excel in any field of interest by developing the whole child in a diverse and technical society.

# Little Chute Area School District

## District Administrator

### Qualifications

The Little Chute Area School District is in search of a collaborative leader who can effectively communicate with and bring together staff, students, board members and the various constituent groups in the district. The desired candidate will be visible and approachable within the schools and the community. The individual will build relationships with students and promote programming to prepare them for post-secondary education and employment. A record of developing, nurturing and maintaining partnerships with outside organizations and agencies is also desired.

The successful candidate will possess/exhibit skills in the following domains:

**Communications** – Demonstrated abilities to write and speak persuasively and with clarity to all constituents of the school and the community. Exhibits active listening skills to ensure all voices are heard regardless of point of view. Practices effective techniques and use varied forms of communication to reach all corners of the school district. Conveys a consistent message and does not compromise principles under pressure.

**People Skills** – Engenders trust with the staff, students, community and the school board. All persons will be valued. Will be visible within the community and at school events. Understands the importance of building partnerships with area businesses. Demonstrates strong interpersonal skills and maintains a culture of inclusivity.

**Decision-making** – Possesses the ability to assess opportunities, issues, challenges, and problems and make difficult decisions based on what is best for students and the school district. Displays the skills to project future needs based on a district vision and goals rather than on expediency.

**Leadership** – Possesses the skills needed to engage people in positive and productive ways with a constant focus on meeting the needs of all students. Strives to seek input from multiple sources prior to making major decisions. Demonstrates the ability to make difficult decisions in a principled manner supported by documentation and sound rationale. Works well with teams to bring about desired results.



# LITTLE CHUTE

## Area School District

### Application Process

#### Timeline

Application Deadline .....	February 14, 2020
Review of Applications .....	February 20, 2020
First Round of Interviews .....	March 2 & 3, 2020
Final Round of Interviews.....	March 12, 2020
Start Date .....	July 1, 2020

#### Requirements

Candidates must hold or be eligible for a Wisconsin superintendent's license.

#### Search Information

A description of the application process may be found on the WASB website: [Application Process](#)

[Little Chute Area School District website](#)

Application deadline: February 14, 2020

Duties begin: July 1, 2020

#### Inquiries

Little Chute Superintendent Search

Louise Blankenheim, Search Services Consultant

[lblankenheim@wasb.org](mailto:lblankenheim@wasb.org), 920-286-1864

Sally Sweitzer, Search Services Coordinator

[ssweitzer@wasb.org](mailto:ssweitzer@wasb.org), 608-512-1721

Wisconsin Association of School Boards

122 W. Washington Ave., Suite 400

Madison, WI 53703

(608)257-2622

