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Statistics	
District Grades.....	4K-12
Enrollment.....	1,430
Administrators.....	7
Teachers	116
Support Staff.....	104
Operating Budget.....	\$21 million

The mission of the Gale-Etrick- Trempealeau School District is to provide an education based upon a strong academic foundation in order to equip all students with skills to be productive and responsible citizens.

The Gale-Etrick-Trempealeau School District is a consolidated district comprised of the City of Galesville and the Villages of Etrick and Trempealeau. It is located in the southern-most part of Trempealeau County on Highway 53, approximately twenty minutes from La Crosse.

The School District includes 6 school buildings: 3 elementary school, 1 middle school, 1 high school, and 1 alternative school. The middle school opened in September 2009. Additions and remodeling at Trempealeau Elementary and GET High School were completed during the 2009-2010 school year. In addition, 2018 saw the completion of a new multi-purpose outdoor athletic complex which includes a track and multi-use turf field. A state of the art Performing Arts Center is scheduled for completion this fall. The elementary schools all offer Great Beginnings (Gale-Etrick-Trempealeau 4-Year-Old Kindergarten Program) programming at all three elementary buildings.

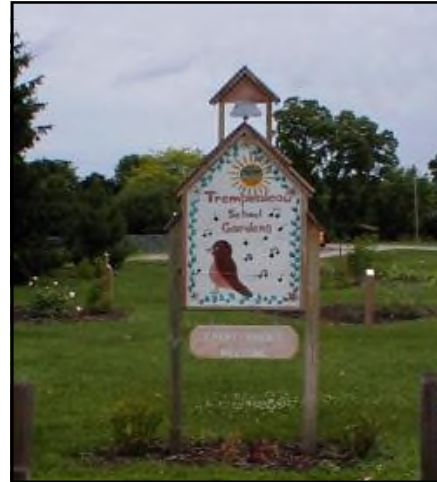
The G-E-T School District is a leader in technology innovation. The District purchased MacBook Airs and iPads for staff and continued with the purchase of over 1,300 iPads for our K-12 students Our new technology will enhance the learning opportunities for all students.

Gifted and Talented Education (GATE) is in place in the G-E-T School District. It provides a GATEway to discover the potential of high ability students and coordinate services and resources for them so they may achieve success and well-being throughout their educational career.

The district offers excellent instrumental and vocal music programs, and over 15 very competitive sports teams. An excellent and active booster club supports the District, as well as parent-teacher organizations at the elementary level and a very involved Educational Foundation.



About the Gale-Ettrick-Trempealeau Community



Galesville is home to the G-E-T High School, the middle school, Galesville Elementary School, and the alternative high school. Galesville is located about 20 miles north of La Crosse, Wisconsin, in the Coulee Region of the Mississippi Valley. The city sits among rolling hills, towering cliffs, forests and spring-fed streams.

Ettrick is home to the Ettrick Elementary school. Ettrick is about 8.5 miles northeast from Galesville.

Trempealeau is located 7.5 miles southwest of Galesville and is home to the Trempealeau Elementary School. Trempealeau is located in the middle of the Wisconsin Great River Road and has been voted as one of the ten most scenic drives in America. The community of Trempealeau is located along the Mississippi River with Perrot State Park nearby. Each community celebrates an annual event or festival between July and early October. Several wonderful apple orchards surround the area.

Activities in the area include:

Camping
Fishing
Hunting
Trails
Trempealeau Refuge
Bird Watching
Biking
Snowmobiling

Arts and Culture:

Historic Sites
Lock and Dam #6
Beach Corner Arts Studio

Qualifications



District Administrator Gale-Ettrick Trempealeau School District

The school board is seeking a strong leader who possesses a passion for providing all students with the best educational opportunities possible. The successful candidate will understand diversity and work well with all members of the greater school community.

In addition, the school board will look for the following characteristics and traits in its new district administrator:

Communications – Possesses strong people skills required. Consistently demonstrates the desire and the ability to work as a team player. Models positive working relationships with staff members and the citizens who comprise the three communities in the school district. Possesses good listening skills, is comfortable with open and honest dialogue, and is willing to consider divergent points of view.

Instructional – Exhibits a strong working knowledge of curriculum development, standards and assessment. Possesses a solid understanding of the Common Core Standards. Demonstrates a commitment to providing opportunities for all students, regardless of abilities. Supports the use of technology to enhance teacher effectiveness and the improvement of student achievement.

Finance – Demonstrates a strong understanding of school finance. Engenders trust with staff and the community when discussing fiscal matters. Demonstrates success managing school budgets and identifying priorities in an era of fiscal restraints.

Leadership – Provides sound leadership to the school board. Encourages a team approach to leadership and delegates effectively while holding principals and other supervisors accountable for their performance. Displays independence and the courage to make difficult decisions that reflect the best interests of students.

Application Process

Vacancy Announcement..... March 27, 2020
Application Deadline.....April 20, 2020
Review of Applications.....April 23, 2020
First Round of Interviews..... April 27 & 29, 2020
Final Round of Interviews..... May 7, 2020
Final Selection.....May 12, 2020
Position StartJuly 1, 2020



Requirements: Candidates must hold or be eligible for a Wisconsin Superintendent's license.

How to Apply: Read the [Application Process webpage](#) to locate a Search Services Portal: Guide for Applicants. All applicants for WASB superintendent searches will:

1. create an account in the WASB Search Services Portal,
2. complete the Profile, and then
3. apply to a specific district's search.

During that process, you will be asked to complete forms and upload documents.

Contact Sally with procedural questions (608-512-1721 or ssweitzer@wasb.org).

- The district website is www.getsd.org.
- Application deadline is April 20, 2020 / Duties will begin on July 1, 2020.

Inquiries should be directed to:

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