



# Welcome to the Tomah Area School District

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## District Administrator Search



### District Statistics

Students.....	3,063
Administrators .....	16
Teachers .....	260
Support Staff.....	261
Operating Budget .....	\$ 45,299,250/Fund 10

### Mission

High Quality Student Learning.  
Every Child. Every Day.

### Vision

We will provide excellent academics and co-curriculars that develop life-long learning skills for every student and prepare them for our community and world-wide experiences.

### Application Timeline

Application Deadline .....	<b>Feb. 20, 2026</b>
Review of Applications .....	Feb. 25, 2026
First Round of Interviews .....	March 3 and 5, 2026
Final Round of Interviews.....	March 23, 2026
<b>Duties Will Begin .....</b>	<b>July 1, 2026</b>

### Qualifications:

A Wisconsin Superintendent License is Required.

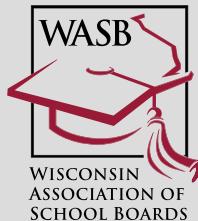
### How to Apply:

The application process can be found on [WASB.org](http://WASB.org).

1. Create an account in the Search Services Portal.
2. Complete your profile.
3. Apply to the Tomah Area search.

### Interested applicants should contact:

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# About the District

The Tomah Area School District is the largest school district in the area, serving 3,063 students in twelve buildings that span across three counties: Juneau, Monroe and Jackson. The district is deeply connected to the community and committed to academic excellence, student engagement, and supportive learning environments. It values strong partnerships with families, local organizations, and the broader community—creating an aligned, student-centered educational ecosystem.

## REFERENDUM INFORMATION

In 2023, a four-year \$2.5 million operational referendum was passed for non-recurring purposes to maintain and enhance educational and technology programs; school safety, security and school facilities; and to maintain current levels of operational expenses.

## DISTRICT HIGHLIGHTS

- TWELVE SCHOOLS IN THE DISTRICT:
  - ◆ Tomah High School (9-12)
  - ◆ Tomah Middle School (6-8)
  - ◆ Camp Douglas (2-5), LaGrange (4K-5), Lemonweir (4K-5), Miller (K-3), Oakdale (4K/EC-1), Warrens (4K-5), and Wyeville (K-5) Elementary Schools
  - ◆ Tomah Area Montessori School (*charter*) (4K-6)
  - ◆ Robert Kupper Learning Center (6-12)
  - ◆ Tomah RVA (*virtual charter school*) (4K-12)
- With its close proximity to the only Army installation in Wisconsin, the district proudly serves over 200 military-connected students.
- Beginning with the 2025-26 school year, a four-day, all-day 4K program was implemented.
- A TASD Distinguished Alumni program was established in 2017 to inspire district students.
- Graduating seniors have numerous scholarship opportunities available through the generosity of the local community.
- The District's academic offerings include traditional, alternative ed, early childhood, Montessori, extensive programming in the career education that prepares students for workforce and technical tracks, and secondary college/prep pathways, including a JROTC program.
- Tomah Area School District supports a broad range of athletics, arts, and clubs, including music, show choir, drama, DECA, FFA, and academic teams.
- As a proud member of the Mississippi Valley Conference (MVC), students enjoy: strong, competitive athletics; meaningful rivalries; robust extracurricular programs; and opportunities for leadership and teamwork on and off the field.



# Candidate Profile

## SUPERINTENDENT QUALIFICATIONS

The Tomah Area School District is seeking a visionary educational leader who will ensure the continuous improvement of learning opportunities for all students. The successful candidate will demonstrate an ability to approach opportunities and challenges in innovative ways and to work collaboratively with a diverse group of stakeholders.

The leader of the Tomah Area School District must be an excellent communicator who is committed to keeping people informed and engaged and is receptive and open to questions and feedback. In addition to being an attentive listener and a strong promoter of the educational opportunities provided by the district, the district also desires a collaborative and servant-minded leader who:

## LEADERSHIP AND CHARACTER

- leads with integrity and acts in an ethical manner.
- makes decisions confidently, owns outcomes, and demonstrates flexibility and professionalism when changes in direction need to be made.
- possesses emotional intelligence and resiliency.
- maintains trust through honesty and transparency.

## RELATIONSHIPS AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

- exhibits a sincere desire to listen to others and be approachable.
- builds strong relationships with the School Board, staff, students, families, and community members.
- places a high priority on visible engagement in all school buildings and in the community.
- recognizes and values the diversity found in the district.
- effectively communicates the district's needs and vision to all stakeholders.

## INSTRUCTIONAL AND ORGANIZATIONAL LEADERSHIP

- inspires and supports the implementation of innovative instructional and behavioral programs and strategies including, but not limited to, PLCs and PBIS.
- advocates for all students.
- helps others be and do their best.

## MANAGEMENT AND FINANCE

- builds effective systems, empowers staff, and holds teams accountable for results.
- seeks and manages resources to sustain and strengthen program offerings, maintain facilities, and provide funding for improvement projects.
- referendum experience.



# About the Tomah Community

Tomah is a vibrant, welcoming, and strategically located city in western Wisconsin. Home to approximately 9,500 residents, Tomah blends small-town warmth with regional importance, earning recognition as “Where the I Divides” at the crossroads of Interstates 90 and 94. Located approximately 45 miles east of La Crosse, 80 miles southeast of Eau Claire, and 100 miles west of Madison, this unique position makes Tomah a key hub for transportation, logistics, healthcare, and industry—while still maintaining the charm and connections of a close-knit community.

The Tomah Area School District consists of 22 municipalities—two in Jackson County, four in Juneau County and 16 in Monroe County.

**A Community Rooted in Connection and Pride** - Tomah residents enjoy a friendly, collaborative atmosphere where community pride runs deep. Families, military-connected households, young professionals, and retirees all contribute to the city’s diversity and hometown spirit. Year-round events, strong local traditions, and active civic engagement make Tomah a place where people feel welcomed, valued, and inspired to contribute.

**Regional Access to Urban, Educational & Cultural Amenities** - Tomah’s central location provides fast access to impressive regional destinations:

- ◆ La Crosse, with universities, performing arts, riverfront recreation, a regional airport, and vibrant cultural life
- ◆ Wisconsin Dells, a major Midwest destination for entertainment, tourism, and family activities

This blend of small-town comfort and access to big-city amenities creates an ideal setting for families and professionals.

**Outdoor Recreation & Quality of Life** - Tomah offers abundant outdoor and recreational opportunities, including: parks and trail systems; Lake Tomah boating and fishing; golf courses; snow sports and winter recreation; and city-approved ATV/UTV routes, enhancing regional connectivity.

The community is also home to major events such as:

- ◆ Budweiser Dairyland Super National Truck & Tractor Pull
- ◆ Monroe County Fair
- ◆ Warrens Cranberry Festival, one of the nation’s largest harvest celebrations

These attractions draw visitors from across the region and showcase Tomah’s energy, hospitality, and economic vitality.

## Related Websites

[City of Tomah](#)

[Tomah Chamber of Commerce](#)