



Canaan (Falls Village), Cornwall, Kent, North Canaan, Salisbury, Sharon, Housatonic Valley Regional High School

# An invitation to join an exceptional district as Superintendent of Schools Region 1 Public Schools (CT)



## Qualities

*The Region 1 Boards of Education invite passionate, committed, deeply collaborative educators to consider joining us in building on something exceptional as our next Superintendent.*



This extraordinary leader will bring the following qualities:

- ◆ Superb listening and communication skills;
- ◆ Deep commitment to collaborative leadership;
- ◆ Proven track record of inspiring and motivating others while fostering a shared vision;
- ◆ Passion for teaching, learning, and children;
- ◆ Ability to build trusting, respectful relationships with staff, students, parents, and boards;
- ◆ Deep grounding in curriculum;
- ◆ High energy and enjoyment of hard work;
- ◆ A growth mindset;
- ◆ Experience in identifying and hiring quality teachers;
- ◆ Appreciation for the area and ability to incorporate its history into diverse educational programs;
- ◆ Superior organizational skills;
- ◆ Strong understanding of the educational landscape in Connecticut; and
- ◆ CT 093 Certification.



## Application Process

The Region 1 Superintendent Search Committee has engaged the services of the Connecticut Association of Boards of Education (CABE) Search Services to conduct a search for qualified candidates. All applicants must provide the following by **March 1, 2024 DEADLINE**:

- ◆ A CABE Search Services application <https://www.cabe.org/services/cabe-search-services/application-for-employment>
- ◆ A cover letter indicating interest in the position.
- ◆ A minimum of three recent letters of professional reference.
- ◆ Undergraduate and graduate transcripts and a copy of professional certification (CT 093)

*To ensure full consideration and confidentiality, all materials should be emailed to Dr. Mary Broderick at [mbroderick.cabesearch@cabe.org](mailto:mbroderick.cabesearch@cabe.org)*



## Region 1 at a Glance

- *Regionalized high school since 1939*
- *Region is comprised of six towns (seven boards) and the largest geographic spread of any region in Connecticut*
- *Total Enrollment: 1,352 students*
  - *Housatonic Valley Regional High School: 316 students*
- *Six Elementary schools are centers of their communities:*
  - *Canaan: 82 (K-Gr. 8)*
  - *Cornwall: 100 students (K-Gr. 8)*
  - *Kent: 195 students (PK-Gr. 8)*
  - *North Canaan: 248 students (PK-Gr. 8)*
  - *Salisbury: 305 students (PK-Gr. 8)*
  - *Sharon: 106 students (K-Gr. 8)*
- *Students score well on state assessments*
- *Community members are proud and supportive of school district*

## Region 1

Region 1 is made up of six communities in the northwest corner of Connecticut: Canaan (Falls Village), Cornwall, Kent, North Canaan, Salisbury, and Sharon, comprising the largest geographic regional district in the state. The six communities send their students to Housatonic Valley Regional High School (HVRHS).

In the scenic foothills of the Berkshires, the northwest corner of Connecticut is known for its natural charm and beauty: rivers, mountains, covered bridges, and rolling hills.

Region 1 was, in fact, the first regional high school district, dating back to 1939. These six towns boast close-knit communities with their elementary schools at their center. Residents and educators talk of great students and families, sending children to excellent schools.



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