# The Litchfield, CT Board of Education

cordially invites you to apply for the position of

# Superintendent of Schools



**Application Deadline** October 10, 2014

**Interviews** Starting September 29, 2014

> Appointment On or about November 10, 2014

**Beginning Date** January 1, 2015

Certificate
CT 093 Must Be Submitted With Application

## Submission

By mail or on-line application at www.AvonSearchConsultants.com



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#### Announcement

The Litchfield, Connecticut Board of Education extends an invitation to qualified candidates to apply for the position of Superintendent of Schools. The successful candidate will enjoy leading a small PreK-12 school system and will possess the skills to work effectively and in partnership with an outstanding staff, and active parent and community constituencies. The new superintendent must possess the attributes to promote continued excellence in the district.

### The Community

Litchfield, incorporated in 1719, is located in the northwest corner of the state, 34 miles west of the capitol city of Hartford. The resident population of 8,600 lives in the villages of Bantam, Northfield, Milton, East Litchfield and Litchfield. The community offers a rural character, and a sense of community. Located within its boundaries are The White Memorial Foundation and Conservation Center, Topsmead State Forest, and Bantam Lake. central business district, bordered by Litchfield's beautiful classic town green, offers many unique shops and excellent restaurants. The community operates under a town meeting form of government with a five member Board of Selectmen. The Board of Education is comprised of nine members who are elected for six-year terms.

#### The Schools

Litchfield's outstanding and high performing school district is comprised of four academic levels (PreK-3; 40-6; 7-8; 9-12 housed in three buildings. Center School has an enrollment of 267 students in grades PreK-3; the Intermediate School has an enrollment of 245 students in grades 4-6; and Litchfield Middle/ High School has an enrollment of 471 students. The district employs 7 administrators, 119 certified staff and 65 support staff. The projected per pupil cost in 2014-2015 is \$16,000.

The Central Office is staffed by the Superintendent of Schools, Director of Business Operations, and Director of Special Services. The district strives to provide all students with challenging educational opportunities to develop intellectually, ethically, emotionally, artistically, socially, and physically to the fullest extent possible. Small class sizes allow for highly individualized instruction.

### **Compensation, Contract, Candidates**

The salary range is \$150,000-\$190,000, depending upon experience and qualifications. A three year contract with typical benefits will be offered. Outstanding superintendents, central office personnel, and principals are encouraged to apply.