



**Jewell School District 8
Jewell, OR
Invites applicants for the position of
Jewell School Principal PK-12**

**Closing date for application: April 25, 2025
Employment begins July 1, 2025**

The Jewell School District is searching for an educational leader for the position as principal of Jewell School serving approximately 140 students in grades ranging from PK to 12 beginning July 1, 2025. The successful candidate should have proven leadership in the area of school administration and a desire to serve in a small, rural community.

Jewell School enjoys very small class sizes, with the average being 10 students per class. The small class sizes allow a close relationship among the staff and students. Governed by a five member elected school board, the Jewell SD provides a comprehensive academic program for students in a small, rural environment with close ties to parents and community. Jewell School is the center of the community, deeply invested in our children. Jewell School is a facility with up-to-date technology. Students enjoy sports, music and other extracurricular activities usually only offered in larger schools.

Jewell is an unincorporated community in Clatsop County, Oregon near Seaside and Astoria. This logging community is located at the junction of Oregon Route 103 and Oregon Route 202 near the Nehalem River. With an area population of approximately 1000, the community is situated near the Clatsop State Forest and Jewell Meadows Wildlife area known for its Roosevelt elk. Because of its somewhat remote location, the district owns 9 residents which are available for some of its staff. However, even though it is remote, it is only a 45 minute to 1-hour drive to Astoria, Seaside, Beaverton, or Longview, WA.

The successful candidate will be expected to be a teacher leader/collaborator, focusing on student achievement, making decisions based on data, and setting high expectations for all students and staff. Jewell School's new principal will be expected to be highly visible in the community. The principal will work in conjunction with all staff in the pursuit of more rigor and relevance in the classroom, a higher level of learning among our students and ultimately higher student achievement.

The position provides a generous benefit package, and salary will be determined upon administrative experience. There will be a house/unit available for the Principal that may contribute to the compensation.

For further information, please visit the District website: <http://www.jewell.k12.or.us> or contact Superintendent Cory Pederson at coryp@jewellk12.org.

The following Materials are Required for the Application:

- Letter of Interest (Answering the question "Why you want to work at Jewell School?")
- Completed Principal Application Form
- Current Resume
- Copy of Oregon Administrator License
- Current Letters of Recommendation (3 minimum, 5 maximum)

Please submit applications to: Allyce Chronister, Administrative Secretary · Email: allycec@jewellk12.org
or
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