

**Belleville Henderson Central School District
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Superintendent Search

Belleville, New York, November 30, 2018: One of the most important decisions a Board of Education makes is hiring the Superintendent of Schools for the District. Over the last several months, with a wonderful level of participation from members of the school community, the Board has thoroughly considered several possible candidates for the Belleville Henderson Superintendent. The Board is pleased to announce that it will be entering into a contract with Ms. Jane Collins, effective January 1, 2019 for the position of Superintendent.

Ms. Collins has served as Interim Superintendent of the Belleville Henderson School District for the last eighteen months. Ms. Collins received a Bachelor of Science from Clarkson University, Masters in School Counseling and Educational Administration, both respectfully from St. Lawrence University. She has spent the majority of her career in K-12 education as a math teacher, guidance counselor, principal and assistant principal, and an assistant superintendent and superintendent. Ms. Collins has served in the capacity of superintendent for a total of fifteen years.

It is with open arms that we formally welcome Ms. Collins as she continues to play an integral role as part of our Panther Family! Her wealth of experience and knowledge is something we look forward to over the next many years of her leading the district.

On behalf of the Board of Education, I thank you for your time and support throughout this search process. Your feedback provided us with a sound foundation in making the right choice for our district.

The Belleville Henderson Central School District's mission is to serve as a center of education for all students incorporating the home, school, and community, guaranteeing an education that includes a foundation for life-long learning, individual well-being, responsible behavior, and the pursuit of excellence to meet the challenges of the future.

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