

## **Anticipated MS/HS Principal Position**

The Ridgway Area School District is seeking a strong instructional leader for the Ridgway Middle & High School (RMHS). RMHS consists of a middle school including grades 6-8, a high school with grades 9-12 and a total enrollment of 400 students. RMHS has a tradition of high achieving performance on standardized tests as indicated by school performance profile scores.

The RMHS Principal is a 260-day position beginning with the 25-26 school year. The successful candidate will be an instructional leader who has a sincere interest in working with students, faculty/staff and the community; has an understanding of student discipline and school safety; has an understanding of the importance of effective instructional and assessment practices; and an ability to analyze data and synthesize instructional recommendations based on that analysis. The successful candidate must possess supervisory experiences related to the Danielson Model (or one of a similar nature); a demonstrated ability to lead a school through implementation of initiatives; documented satisfactory administrative experience; the ability to work effectively with stakeholders; skills that foster a safe school, team culture and collaborative leadership; and strong communication skills.

In addition, the successful candidate must possess a Secondary Principal Certificate or a K-12 Principal Certificate; have at least five years of teaching experiences; administrative experience would be preferred. To apply applicants must have the following: cover letter, resume, standard PA application, three current letters of recommendation (within the last three months), administrative certificate, and transcripts. Successful candidates must be able to obtain employable clearances. Incomplete applications will not be considered. Please send all information to Amy Ellis, Ridgway Area School District, 62 School Drive, Ridgway, PA 15853; email: [ellisamy@rasd.us](mailto:ellisamy@rasd.us); or fax: 814-776-4299 on or before, Wednesday, July 16, 2025 at noon. RASD is an EOE.