

# PRESIDENT/PRINCIPAL

KANKAKEE, ILLINOIS  
SUMMER 2024



Located in Kankakee, IL, Bishop McNamara Catholic School celebrated its 100th Anniversary during the 2022-23 academic year. In August of 2016, Bishop McNamara became a regionalized school encompassing grades Pre-K – 12th. Today, Bishop McNamara has three sites: two Pre-K – Grade 5 elementary schools and a Grade 6-12 site. As Bishop McNamara begins the next century of Catholic education in the greater Kankakee community the school is seeking its next President/Principal leader. This is a multi-dimensional leadership role overseeing the high school, junior high school, and the regional system. This is an outstanding opportunity to help shape the educational experience for our high school and junior high students, faculty and staff, and families at an outstanding school within the Diocese of Joliet.

With Catholic Christian faith as our foundation, the school's curriculum, extra-curricular activities, faith formation programs, and liturgical experiences are characterized by a profound sense of mission, service, charity, self-discipline, and graciousness. Bishop McNamara prides itself in inspiring its students to become moral, caring, and competent leaders who are active and contributing members to our community and to society as a whole.

Bishop McNamara seeks a qualified, experienced, and enthusiastic candidate to serve as their next President/Principal. The President/Principal serves as the school's spiritual and educational leader and is responsible for exercising independent judgement in implementing a broad collection of academic programs and activities. These responsibilities comprise spiritual development, realizing the school's philosophy, curriculum, co-curricular activities, discipline, and personnel practices.

Bishop McNamara is pleased to share this [Position Profile](#) which describes the President/Principal role in more detail and also describes the Bishop McNamara community.

Candidates will be expected to assume the responsibilities of this position in the summer of 2024. Do not delay. Do not miss out on this opportunity. If you have any questions connect with the BMCS Search Team today at [csmoffice@cbsecurities.org](mailto:csmoffice@cbsecurities.org).

