

**La Salle Institute
Troy, New York**

Position Profile – Principal

La Salle Institute (www.lasalleinstitute.org), an independent, Catholic, college preparatory school in Troy, New York, serving young men in grades six through twelve, is seeking a dynamic, collaborative, and mission-driven principal. Established by the Brothers of the Christian Schools in 1850, La Salle Institute enjoys a tradition of academic excellence and educates its students in a caring, supportive environment to become moral, responsible, and productive members of their communities. The school offers a competitive academic and co-curricular program which includes a JROTC leadership component for students in the grades nine through twelve.

The new principal of La Salle Institute will be an experienced, energetic, and innovative person of integrity who as an academic and pastoral leader of the school community will exemplify and promote its rich Lasallian traditions and lead a team that motivates students, teachers, coaches, and parents alike in fulfilling its mission. The successful applicant will be a relationship-builder, attentive to and forging partnerships with all internal and external constituent groups. The principal must be prepared to participate fully in the life of the school, be an exceptional communicator and team-builder, embrace change, and demonstrate the ability to articulate a vision and to plan strategically for the future. Candidates must be passionate about deepening the school's commitment to innovation, understand the positive impact of technology on education, and work to enhance the student-centered program of the school. The successful applicant will embrace the school's family spirit, which is at the heart of the La Salle experience.

Because of its traditions of excellence, its reputation of providing quality programming for the whole person, and its exceptional campus resources, La Salle Institute offers a compelling career opportunity for an exemplary instructional leader who shares and holds dear the school's values and mission and who possesses the skills and qualities necessary to move the school forward in challenging times.

A qualified applicant must be a practicing Catholic, hold a Master's Degree in Educational Administration, an administrative certification, a minimum of five years of successful experience in secondary school administration, and present a proven track record of accomplishment, especially in the areas of being a mentor, team leader, and strategic thinker. This position is available July 1, 2015. Salary is competitive and commensurate with experience.

Interested and qualified candidates are asked to submit electronically a letter of introduction; a resume; a statement describing *The Role of Today's Catholic Secondary School Administrator in Advancing Catholic Values and Educational Excellence in the Lasallian Tradition*; as well as the names, addresses, and telephone numbers of five professional references to: La Salle Institute Principal Search, Catholic School Management, Attn: Jennifer C. Kensel at office@catholicschoolmgmt.com. Review of applications will begin on February 1, 2015 and continue until the position is filled.