

Human Resources Office

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VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER

May 1, 2025

HCPS is committed to recruiting and retaining effective and diverse educators and staff to build a climate of student success and improve learning experiences for every child in every classroom.

PLUMBING & HEATING TECHNICIAN Central Office - Facilities Internal Candidates Only

To help maintain the buildings of the school system in a condition of operating excellence to ensure that full use may be made at all times.

ESSENTIAL DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES MAY INCLUDE

These items are intended only as examples of the various types of job duties to be performed; specific position assignments will vary depending on the needs of the department. The omission of specific duties does not exclude them from the position if the work is a similar, related, or logical assignment to the position.

- Performs all of the essential functions of the Plumbing and Heating I position with a high degree of skill.
- Assists the Plant Chief and Crew Chief in the direction and assignment of work orders.
- Installs and maintains water fountains, coolers, toilets, lavatories, urinals, showers, and other fixtures and appliances involving plumbing.
- Diagnoses and repairs problems related to domestic H2O wells, all associated equipment, and to sewage treatment systems.
- Services oil and gas-fired burners and related controls.
- Assembles and installs cast iron boilers and water storage tanks.
- Installs and maintains all types of control systems.
- Responds and assists during emergency situations including, but not limited to, inclement weather assignments, vandalism, and emergency repairs.
- Performs other work-related duties as assigned.

SALARY

- This is a full-time twelve-month position. Salary range based on Grade 9 of the FY 2024-2025 AFSCME Salary Schedule for Twelve Month AFSCME Personnel. Starting Salary: \$54,357– Maximum Earnings Potential \$76,404. Those who are entering or returning to employment with Harford County Public Schools will begin on Step 1.
- Full salary schedules can be found at the bottom of the Current Vacancies webpage https://www.hcps.org/departments/humanresources/vacancies.aspx
- HCPS offers an expansive benefits package including individual and family medical, vision, dental, life insurance, retirement savings, pension, paid time off, and more.
- For a complete list of benefits, please visit the Employment Benefits section of the Human Resources webpage:
 https://www.hcps.org/departments/HumanResources/Default.aspx

For more information on holidays and paid time off, please refer to the Holidays and Leave Provisions sections of the AFSCME Negotiated Agreement:

https://www.hcps.org/boe/collectivebargaining.aspx

FLSA: Non-Exempt

TRAINING AND EXPERIENCE REQUIRED

High school diploma or GED; plumbing license preferred.

Five years experience in the trade or one year as an HCPS Plumbing and Heating Technician apprentice and four years experience.

Hold a valid driver's license and willing to obtain and maintain a valid commercial driver's license.

Able to read and interpret drawings, list and calculate quantities of materials needed, layout and measure material to specifications, and list tools and materials used.

Able to direct the work of others.

Possess thorough knowledge and skill in the use of hand and power tools, safety procedures, and maintenance techniques associated with the plumbing and heating trade.

Physically able to perform the essential functions, with or without reasonable accommodations, of the everyday responsibilities including handling wet and dry mop heads, buckets of material weighing up to 50 pounds and the ability to climb ladders in excess of fifteen feet as well as ability to access lifts, scaffolding, man lifts, pallet jackets, boom equipment and use of back mounted equipment. Various lifts, tools and mechanical means of assistance should be employed for lifting heavier supplies, equipment and material.

Able to follow plans, determine sequence of operations, and complete a project using acceptable procedures.

Willing to pursue any special licenses related to the plumbing and heating trade.

Must be available to respond to emergency calls, including after hour emergencies.

HOW TO APPLY

Employment applications are accepted **online only**. To access the application, visit the Employment Opportunities section of the HCPS website at www.hcps.org. If you have questions or require assistance to complete the online employment application, contact the Human Resources Office at 410-588-5238.

DEADLINE

Online employment applications will be accepted until May 9, 2025.

The Board of Education of Harford County is committed to providing an inclusive and welcoming environment for all employees and applicants. We adhere to the principles of equal opportunity in all aspects of employment and do not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex (including pregnancy and related conditions, sexual orientation, and gender identity), religion, disability, age, genetic information, or any other characteristic protected by applicable federal, state, or local laws.

In accordance with Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, and Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, the Board of Education of Harford County prohibits discrimination based on sex, race, color, national origin, religion, or any other protected characteristic in any program or activity it operates. The Board of Education of Harford County encourages applications from all qualified individuals.

Inquiries or concerns about your rights related to Title IX can be directed to our Title IX Coordinator, Dr. Eric Davis, at 102 South Hickory Ave, Bel Air, MD 21014, 410-588-5202, or <a href="mailto:title

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