

# 4031 School Employee Hiring Process

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## I. PURPOSE

The following policy establishes eligibility requirements, hiring procedures, and equal opportunity for potential employees at Athlos Academy of St. Cloud.

## II. POLICY

- A. The school administrator is responsible for recruiting personnel in compliance with Board policy and making hiring recommendations to the Board.
- B. The Board must hire teachers at duly called meetings. Where no contract employing a teacher shall be made or authorized except upon the unanimous vote of the full board.
- C. Athlos Academy of St. Cloud shall hire highly qualified personnel, consistent with budget and staffing requirements, and shall comply with Board policy and state law on equal employment opportunities.
- D. All positions will be posted for a minimum of 10 days on the school website and at least one additional job posting service.
- E. All applicants must complete an application form to be considered for employment.
- F. Qualified applicants that will be considered for employment must
  - a. undergo a screening consisting of:
    - background checks required by policy 4002 and in compliance with state and federal regulations;
    - ii. verification of licensing and certification required by Policy 4028 and in compliance with state and federal regulations;
    - iii. an unbiased interview processes; and
    - iv. board approval for certified positions

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- notify the school of any relationship to current employees as defined in the Nepotism Policy 4016
- G. There will be no discrimination in the hiring process
- H. Athlos Academy of St. Cloud is an equal opportunity employer defined by Policy 4018 and all state and federal regulations
- Upon initial employment, offers will be extended in writing and in compliance with all applicable employment laws
  - a. Teacher offers must be signed by the teacher, the board chair, and clerk in alignment with Minn. Stat. §122A.40
    - All subsequent offers will also be signed by the teacher, the board chair and clerk, except where there is a master agreement covering the employment of the teacher.
- J. The school administrator will retain a copy of each certificated employee's valid certificate in the employee's personnel file.

## **Revision History**

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#### Legal References:

Minn. Stat. 122A.40 (Employment; Contracts)
Minn. Stat. §123B.03 (Background Check)
Minn. Stat. §124E.12 (Employment)

## **Related Documents:**

Background Checks Policy 4002 Nepotism Policy 4016 Equal Employment Opportunity Policy 4018 Teaching Licensure Policy 4028