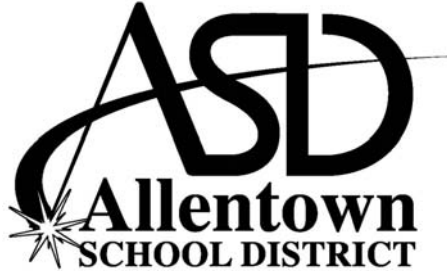


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DISTRICT HOSTS FIRST ASD RECRUITMENT FAIR

Allentown, Pa., February 1, 2007 – Allentown School District is opening its doors at Trexler Middle School for prospective hires at ASD’s first-ever recruitment fair for teachers and other educational professionals. **The event will be held on Saturday, February 24 with two sessions at 9:30 a.m. and 1:00 p.m.**

Aimed at graduating education majors from eastern Pennsylvania’s colleges and universities, ASD’s Recruitment Fair will give job seekers opportunities to hear from and interact with the District’s principals, learn about the District and its employment opportunities, and also to actually interview for positions throughout the whole District.

“We want to showcase all that Allentown School District has to offer as a progressive, urban school district,” says Rita Perez, Director of Employee Recruitment and Staff Development for ASD. “It is rewarding to work with Allentown’s students, and we are seeking highly qualified individuals who can provide energy, enthusiasm and excitement in the classroom.”

Directions to Trexler Middle School: *From Route 22, take the 15th Street exit south to stop light at Roth Avenue. Pass through traffic light and school will be on left. Pass Trexler and make left at bowling lanes; beyond the bowling lanes, make left into lane that leads to parking lot. Karl Foerster, Principal. 484-765-4601*

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