

HEAD BOYS BASKETBALL COACH JOB POSTING - [APPLY HERE](#)

Department: Athletics

Reports to: Athletic Director

Location: Stratford School District

Position Overview:

As Head Boys Basketball Coach at Stratford, you will lead a program rooted in education-based athletics and the core values of Teamwork, Integrity, Grit, Excellence, and Respect. Your role is to cultivate a positive, disciplined team culture where every athlete—regardless of skill level or background—feels valued, supported, and challenged to grow. You'll model excellence on and off the court, helping student-athletes create lifelong memories, relationships, and lessons that extend far beyond basketball.

Responsibilities:

- Design and lead practices, game plans, and off-season programming that build teamwork, basketball fundamentals, and individual growth from youth through varsity.
- Mentor student-athletes through character development and life skills, aligning with Stratford's TIGERS values.
- Create an inclusive, high-expectation environment where players feel valued.
- Oversee strength, conditioning, and skill development while ensuring safety, progress, and strong program organization.
- Collaborate with assistant coaches, the Athletic Director, and school staff to grow a unified program and strong youth pipeline.
- Support the academic, social, and personal development of all student-athletes.
- Manage program logistics, including film breakdown, scouting reports, WIAA compliance, and statistical record-keeping.
- Communicate clearly with families, staff, and the community
- Oversee the budget and pursue fundraising opportunities to support the program's long-term success.
- Provide leadership and vision across all levels—Youth, Middle School, and High School.

Qualifications:

- Prior coaching experience preferred, with strong knowledge of basketball fundamentals and advanced strategy.
- Committed to Stratford's mission of mentoring through education-based athletics.
- Strong leadership and communication skills to build trust with athletes, families, and staff.
- Dedicated to ongoing growth as a coach and mentor, with a focus on character and relationships.
- Models and teaches the values of Teamwork, Integrity, Grit, Excellence, and Respect.
- Balances competitive success with the holistic development of student-athletes.

Why Stratford?

Stratford Athletics is dedicated to building champions in life through sports, focusing on both athletic success and personal development. Join our team to be part of a legacy of excellence, where we live by our vision of "Always TIGERS." Your leadership will help shape the future of our athletes, ensuring they have the skills, confidence, and experiences to succeed in all aspects of life.