

Paul Craft

Superintendent, Buckeye Valley Local Schools

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Professional Experience

Buckeye Valley Local Schools, Aug 2022 - Present 1 year 5 months

- Superintendent
Hired in unanimous vote in 2022

META Solutions (Metropolitan Educational Technology Association), Aug 2019 - Aug 2022 3 years 1 month

- CEO

Delaware City Schools, Jun 2010 - Jul 2019 9 years 2 months

- Superintendent
Superintendent of a growing and dynamic 5600 student school district in a historic, diverse community that looks a lot like a snapshot of America. The District has been rated Excellent with Distinction (using the old grade card metrics) for each of the last four years.

Ohio Army National Guard, 1983 - 2014 31 years

- Colonel (RET)

Upper Arlington City Schools, 1992 - 2010 18 years

- Exec. Director of Business Services, Asst. Principal, Physics Teacher, Coach
Eighteen years of progressively responsible positions at an outstanding Ohio public school district.
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Education

U.S. Army War College

- Masters Strategic Studies, 2009 - 2011

University of Montana

- Bachelor of Arts (BA) Secondary Education and Teaching - Science, 1983 - 1988

The Ohio State University

- Master of Arts (MA) Educational Leadership
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Additional Information

Fitness/motivation video on YouTube: <https://www.youtube.com/@SilverandIron.50>

- Video includes background music from evangelical music group Hillsong "Oceans"
<https://t.co/TyiwXPqIVl>

About Senate Bill 168 allowing local districts to control licensure

[If it means better student outcome, don't cling to past, Tribune Chronicle](#)

"Local control and smaller government are ideals toward which our state should aspire and this bill includes several small but meaningful steps in that direction," Buckeye Valley Local Schools superintendent Paul Craft said. He also noted the system in use *"can become more and more bureaucratic and bogged down in teacher contract language and such."*

Comment on school safety in State of the Schools Interview, 2022

[Superintendents talk 'State of Schools', Delaware Gazette](#)

"The biggest thing is we need to make sure we've got buildings where kids feel welcomed, safe and loved," Craft said. *"(So that) when there are those threats, that kids feel they can come forward and talk to a caring adult, who will address it."*
Also said Craft agreed with Kegley and Raiff's comments on funding, adding the state has the money to fully fund the school districts.

<https://www.delgazette.com/2022/09/16/superintendents-talk-state-of-schools/>



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Joint BVLS/DCS State of the Workforce event tonight at Hayes High School. What an exciting time for our graduates here in central Ohio - unlimited opportunities!



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BVHS staff this morning learning about our BridgEd career exploration and experience partnership.



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<https://www.ascd.org/el/articles/taking-a-transformative-approach-to-ai>

https://www.ted.com/talks/sal_khan_how_ai_could_save_not_destroy_education



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We must get ahead of this. Which graduates will be more prepped for future success - those with experience with AI tools or those with no such experience?

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