

ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE

PROGRAM OVERVIEW

The Assistant Principal Leadership Institute (APLI) is a one-year program designed to help prepare current high-performing assistant principals to become principals in the next three years. APLI's curriculum aims to further develop systems-level strategic thinking in leaders and leverage the talent and power of the cohort to build their capacity to collaborate and lead a school. The APLI curriculum is grounded both in national leadership frameworks and the NYCDOE frameworks for school leaders and schools (e.g., Professional Standards for Educational Leaders, MPPR, Framework for Great Schools, and Quality Review Rubric).

Cohort Size: 40 aspiring principals

Structure:

- Monthly sessions
- Individualized learning plan which may include coaching
- Capstone project
- Flipped classroom model. Intersession assignments and online tasks are completed prior to each session

MINIMUM ELIGIBILITY

- Must have at least 3 years of AP experience by end of 2021-2022 school year
- Educational Administrators (EAs)
- Must have letters of recommendation from Principal and additional school/ district leader
- Commitment to becoming an NYCDOE principal in the next 1-2 years
- Current NYCDOE employee in good standing
- Endorsed by principal/ supervisor



PRINCIPAL ENDORSEMENT

The Office of Leadership, Empowerment, and Development (LEAD) believes that one of the most important jobs for leaders is developing and supporting our next generation of leaders. Your principal must agree to the following requirements:



- Release time for APLI components, including, but not limited to, monthly sessions and school visits
- Attendance at APLI orientation in June and kickoff in September
- On-going feedback to APLI candidate about their leadership capacity

PROGRAM BENEFITS

- Candidates can receive up to 75 hours of CTLE credits through the APLI program
- Courses and sessions will be offered in a blended learning, flipped-classroom model. Asynchronous and synchronous monthly sessions will take place online, with some meetings in person when conditions permit
- High-quality curriculum, instruction and support utilizing the latest research on leadership and adult learning
- An opportunity to build critical relationships with district and school-level leaders
- An alumni association of over 3,000 Office of LEAD graduates currently in administrative positions across the tri-state NYC area

QUESTIONS?

Learn more about the NYCDOE leadership pipeline. Contact us: leadershippathways@schools.nyc.gov