

# Principal Supports 2023-2024



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New Principal Cohort	Principal Cognitive Coaching	Leadership Learning Rounds	Principal Collaboration Zooms	Principal Cluster	Principal PD Day
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Principals new to their roles or responsibilities	Any building administrator	Experienced principals, by invitation only	Any building administrator	Any building administrator	Any building administrator
<b>Purpose</b>					
Support new building leaders as they begin or transition into building leadership.	Enhance the capacity for planning, reflecting, problem-solving, decision-making, and skill development that improve Building Leadership.	Build a network of colleagues who collectively examine a problem of practice through data and classroom visits.	Provide space & time for conversation, collaboration, and problem-resolving	Provide space & time for networking, collaboration, information-sharing, and problem-solving	Provide learning specific for principals in addition to time for collaboration around that learning
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Minimal time and energy necessary outside of the cohort.	No additional time or energy outside of coaching conversations.	Significant time and commitment necessary outside of rounds.	No additional time or energy outside of Zoom sessions.	No additional time or energy outside of clusters.	No additional time or energy outside of PD day.
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## New Principal Cohort

Principals new to their roles or responsibilities

Support new building leaders as they begin or transition into building leadership.

- Some 1-on-1 in your building (in-person or via Zoom)
- Some whole-group at ESU 7
- Structured topics & timing
- Collaborative

Minimal time and energy necessary outside of the cohort.

Ernie Valentine

# New Principal Cohort

- 2023-24 Pilot Year
- **Total participants: 8 principals**
  - 6 are first year principals
- Delivery
  - Monthly Letter
  - Quarterly Individual Meeting
  - New Principal Luncheon



## Principal Cognitive Coaching

Any building administrator

Enhance the capacity for planning, reflecting, problem-solving, decision-making, and skill development that improve Building Leadership.

- 1-on-1 in your building (in-person or via Zoom)
- Possible team coaching
- You choose topics & timing
- Confidential

No additional time or energy outside of coaching conversations.

Marci Ostmeyer  
Mark Brady  
Brooke Kavan



# Principal Coaching

- Two Principal Coaches (Brooke Kavan and Mark Brady)
- This year **total participants: 25**
- This year **total hours: 89**

Leadership Learning Rounds
Intended Audience
Experienced principals, by invitation only
Purpose
Build a network of colleagues who collectively examine a problem of practice through data and classroom visits.
Format
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Some 1-on-1 coaching</li> <li>• Small groups visiting buildings</li> <li>• Structured topics &amp; timing; August training necessary</li> <li>• Collaborative</li> </ul>
Commitment
Significant time and commitment necessary outside of rounds.
ESU Contact
Marci Ostmeyer Brooke Kavan

# Leadership Learning Rounds

- Marci Ostmeyer & Brooke Kavan are the LLR leads.
- Piloted in 2021-22.
- Year 1 2022-23.
- This year **total participants: 9**
- This year **total hours: 97**



# Principal Collab Zoom

- Held 5 times per year
- Brooke Kavan and Mark Brady facilitate
- Principals select topics
- This year **total participants: 13**
- This year **total hours: 5**

<b>Principal Collaboration Zooms</b>
<b>Audience</b>
Any building administrator
<b>Purpose</b>
Provide space & time for conversation, collaboration, and problem-resolving
<b>Format/Mode</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Zoom only</li><li>● Whole-group</li><li>● Participants choose topics</li><li>● Oct, Nov, Feb, April, May</li><li>● 1 hour</li><li>● Collaborative</li></ul>
<b>Impact of Principal</b>
No additional time or energy outside of Zoom sessions.
<b>Contact</b>
Mark Brady Brooke Kavan





## Principal Cluster

Any building administrator

Provide space & time for networking, collaboration, information-sharing, and problem-solving

- In-person only
- Whole-group at ESU 7
- Sept, Jan, March
- Joint principal & superintendent mtg in Dec
- Half-day
- Collaborative

No additional time or energy outside of clusters.

Marci Ostmeyer



# Principal Cluster

- Agendas address the needs voiced by principals
- Topics have included...
  - Sharing and Collaboration
  - Artificial Intelligence
  - Legislative Updates
  - SPED Hot Topics
  - Student Discipline
- This year **total participants: 36**

## Principal PD Day

Any building administrator

Provide learning specific for principals in addition to time for collaboration around that learning

- In-person only
- Whole-group at ESU 7
- October
- Whole day
- Collaborative

No additional time or energy outside of PD day.

Brooke Kavan  
Mark Brady  
Ernie Valentine  
Amy Richards



# Principal PD Day

- Began in 2020-21.
- Takes place annually, in the Fall.
- Topics have included:
  - Grading & homework
  - Teacher evaluation & feedback
  - Supporting teachers outside of the evaluation process
  - Building school culture.
- This year **total participants: 11**



# Overall Data

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110  participants

