

PREK-3 PRINCIPAL LEADERSHIP SERIES

Session Two, Tuesday, September 27, 2016

TIES Conference Center, 1644 Larpenteur Ave West, St. Paul

Series Website: <http://mnprek-3.wikidot.com/principal-leadership>

#MNP3Principals

Competency 2: Ensure Developmentally-Appropriate Teaching

Session Two Goal: Understand how quality teaching, supported by standards, developmentally appropriate curriculum and instruction work together to help foster children's learning and growth.

AGENDA

Time **Activity/Result**

9:00 **Welcome, Check-In, and Group Share - Jessica Cabeen and Bondo Nyembwe**

Result: Participants are welcomed. Facilitators review and lead group discussion/sharing. Participants share strategies and PreK-3 progress.

9:30 **Gary Amoroso, Executive Director, MASA**

9:35 **Overview of Day and Purpose of Leadership Series - MDE**

Result: Participants have an overview of the day and the role of the Principal Leadership Series in PreK-3 implementation.

9:45 **Engaging Teachers in Communities of Practice - Adam Holland, Ph.D.**

Result: Participants understand the role of instructional leaders in supporting authentic collaboration and inquiry among teachers to support growth and development of all students.

10:45 **Break**

10:55 **Ambitious and Effective Curricula – Adam Holland, Ph.D.**

Result: Participants identify the essential elements of effective, meaningful curricula that engage learners and ensure coherence throughout the PreK-3 learning continuum.

12:00 **Lunch with Discussion**

12:40 **Reflection and Self-Assessment**

Result: Participants think about and rate the degree to which developmentally-appropriate teaching is evident in their school and/or their practice as school leader.

1:00 **Relevant and Engaging Instruction – Adam Holland, Ph.D.**

Result: Participants implement and support instructional strategies that foster student engagement and continuous dynamic learning.

2:15 **Group Work - Competency 2: Strategies**

Result: Participants seek to ensure better understanding of strategies for leading PreK-3 work in their programs, buildings, and districts.

2:55 **Summary and Next Steps**

3:00 **End of Day Two - Next Session is October 24**

Post **Discussion with Adam Holland, Ph.D.**

Result: Participants have the opportunity to discuss topics in more depth with presenter.