

Louisiana Principal Fellowship Program Overview:

The Louisiana Principal Fellowship Program partners with the National Institute for School Leaders (NISL) to offer an executive development program (EDP) for school and district level leaders at all stages in their career. The year-long fellowship strives to help school leaders become visionary drivers of change, instructional leaders, strategic thinkers, and creators of just, fair, and caring school cultures. School and district culture can be transformed by providing an Executive Development Program to entire school leadership teams including district staff, aspiring leaders, assistant principals, and principals. NISL additionally partners with the Louisiana Department of Education to ensure that Louisiana's strategy and priorities are specifically addressed in the EDP.

Who do we serve?

The Louisiana Principal Fellowship serves aspiring, new, and veteran school and district leaders holding a variety of school leadership positions. Additionally, all CIR schools are required to send one leader by the end of the 2021-2022 school year.

Current school leaders and school system staff build upon their administrative skills and experience, providing a framework for organizing the many facets of their role and providing a “call to action” to continually drive achievement higher. Partnering with NISL, The Executive Development Program deepens their knowledge, skills, and confidence as strategic thinkers and instructional leaders. Even veteran principals find that participating in the training is incredibly powerful in helping them chart a path toward higher performance in their daily practice.

Aspiring school leaders have the opportunity to learn what it means to lead a school to higher performance. This preparation is invaluable in positioning new leaders to transition successfully into leadership positions and progress through a leadership pipeline.

Approximate Fellowship Participation Fee: \$10,700 p/p

Cost listed applies to the program components only (does not include travel, stipends, etc.) and is based on 25-32 participants per cohort.

Nomination Process The nomination process is currently open and will close along with Super App February 7, 2020. Nominations are automatically accepted into the Fellowship and will be confirmed prior to Orientation in early summer. Please use the [2020-2021 NISL Nomination Form](#) linked in this document to nominate a fellow for the 2020-2021 school year (Cohort 6).

Proposed 2020-2021 Schedule (Two consecutive days/month) Exact cohort locations and schedules for the 2020-2021 school year are determined by enrollment and will be released once participants are confirmed.			
Unit	Date	Unit	Date
Orientation	August 2020	EDP Unit 7	March 2021
EDP Unit 1	September 2020	EDP Unit 8	May 2021
EDP Unit 2	October 2020	EDP Unit 9	June 2021
EDP Unit 3	November 2020	EDP Unit 10	June 2021
EDP Unit 4	December 2020	EDP Unit 11	July 2021
EDP Unit 5	January 2021	EDP Unit 12	July 2021
EDP Unit 6	February 2021		

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