

# DUPAGE REGIONAL OFFICE OF EDUCATION

## PRINCIPAL COACHING, MENTORING AND DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM



- ONE ON ONE COACHING • MONTHLY PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT SESSIONS • SCHOOL-BASED SITE-VISITS

Great schools are led by great leaders. If we want to improve the performance of our schools, we must invest in our principals. The DuPage Regional Office of Education is proud to announce the launching of a coaching and development program designed to improve the performance and increase the leadership capacity of novice principals.

This program will meet monthly beginning in October, and will focus on several key areas as outlined in the Illinois Performance Standards for School Leaders and the Professional Standards for Educational Leaders. Highly engaging sessions will explore topics such as instructional leadership, school culture, and cultural responsiveness, with a focus on equity and cultural competence throughout the program. Participants will be matched with a mentor, who will meet monthly one-to-one with principals in their buildings, as well as hold conference calls and other communications as needed. Mentors will attend the monthly program meetings and provide supports throughout the year to the new principals.

Monthly meetings will be held at the Center for Professional Learning, 505 N. County Farm Road, Wheaton on the following dates from 8:00-11:00am:

Wednesday, October 17  
Wednesday, November 28  
Wednesday, January 16  
Wednesday, February 13  
Wednesday, March 13  
Wednesday, April 17  
Wednesday, May 15  
Wednesday, June 19

The cost is \$2,500 per principal.

