



**National Alliance of Black School Educators
37th Annual Conference**

ASPIRING PRINCIPALS' STRAND

Friday, November 20, 2009

Presented by: The Visionary Leadership Institute

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- ASPIRING Principals' Strand**
- 7:30 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.** **Registration: ASPIRING Principals' Strand**
- 8:15 a.m. – 8:45 a.m.** ***Getting The Body Ready For Learning***
Most educational administrators experience stress, fatigue and burnout within a few short years on the job. This workshop will take participants through a series of exercises to improve their stamina and relieve job-related stress.
- 9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.** ***Who Are Today's Students And How Do We Reach and Teach Them***
This workshop will lay the foundation to understanding today's youth and why educators respond as they do. At the conclusion of the workshop, each participant will have a series of practical solutions to employ under various conditions.
- 10:30 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.** **Using "Whole Brain Development" in Your School**
Whole Brain provides an insightful understanding of each person's communication style preference and how it impacts our successful and or challenging interactions with others whose style may be different than our own. Based in the Left/Right Brain communications theory, Whole Brain expands the concept into a fun, highly-energetic interactive exercise which allows each person to see their learning and teaching style behaviors from different perspectives.
- 11:45 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.** **Break**
- 12:00 p.m. – 12:45 p.m.** **Founder's Lunch**
Speaker: NABSE SPONSORED
- 1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.** ***Classroom Management – Practical Strategies***
Classroom management is the key to effective teaching. This workshop is designed to provide aspiring administrators with strategies and skills to identify and manage classroom disruptions before they start. Each participant will be provided with the tools necessary to manage the classroom effectively. These strategies will focus on: 13 Ways Not To Be A Part of The Discipline Problem and the Use of Humor as an Effective Classroom Management Tool.
- 2:15 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.** **Break**
- 4:00: p.m. – 6:00 p.m.** ***Leadership Unlimited: The keys To Change and Transformation***
Leadership makes all the difference. There are many schools that have changed dramatically in the course of a school year, all because of a change in leadership. This workshop looks at concrete examples that educational leaders can use and have used to create a culture of change and achievement in their schools. Using the Pyramid paradigm for Educational Excellence, time-tested and proven strategies for improving any school will be shared.

(Time Permitting)

Making Sure Your School Connects With Parents

It's no secret that parental involvement in schools has dramatically decreased. Most believe the decline can be traced to the elimination of "neighborhood schools." However, this training session will examine the impact of **school environment** on the lack of parents' desire to participate. It will also examine what's happening in today's home and provide suggestions for parents on how to get the best out of their children. It will propose concrete solutions for change.