Principals’ Roundtable 2019-2020

Do you ever wonder if you are alone in trying to solve the challenges that you face?

When you wake up in the night with a pit in your stomach thinking about an issue at work, would you like to have a trusted group of colleagues you could meet with each month to help you think through what you might do? Facilitated by two experienced school administrators, the Principals’ Roundtable meets two hours each month to provide principals with an opportunity to share ideas and strategies that will help them handle the challenges of leading schools in this time of great complexity and accountability. In past years, these groups have considered topics such as:

- Supervising resistant teachers
- Confronting racism
- Engaging in difficult conversations
- Strengthening school culture
- Unpacking leadership dilemmas

Light refreshments will be provided.

What People are Saying

I enjoyed problem solving with the instructors and the principals group. Each dilemma that was shared provided great opportunities for learning. The facilitators pushed our thinking.

The Roundtable provided needed space, time, and structure to allow me to step back from my day-to-day work, reflect on systemic issues, and think critically about how to improve my practice.

Tremendous learning opportunities emerge from hearing one another’s approach to challenging situations in school leadership. During the sessions, I was able to reflect on my own practice as a school leader and bounce ideas off my colleagues.

Help for problem solving with other principals who understand the principalship—I learned new strategies and found support. The instructor’s insight and expertise helped guide us. Extremely worthwhile.