# **Aspiring Leaders Program**

### • School Leader as Instructional Leader

- o Creates a culture where data analysis is at the culture of all decisions
- Monitors progress of teachers and staff by conducting formative and summative assessment in measuring teacher effectiveness (observation)
- Committed to providing ongoing professional development which will improve teacher practice
- Creates processes which protect teachers from disruption of instruction and preparation time

### School Leader as Transformational Leader for School Culture and Climate

- Plans strategically and aligns a school vision, mission, and goals around personalized student success and District goals
- o Develops a culture of collaboration to build capacity in other educators and leaders within the school community
- o Systematically guides staff through the change process to positively impact the culture and performance of the school
- Utilizes lessons from accomplishments and failures to positively impact the culture and performance of the school

# School Leader as Leader for Equity and Excellence

- o Holds all staff accountable for setting and achieving rigorous performance for all students
- o Diagnoses the state of the school and develops a clear plan to adjust its progress
- Creates a racially and culturally proficient environment where diversity is valued and all students and adults thrive and achieve at high levels

## • School Leader as Chief Executive Officer of Resources and Operations

- Establishes systems from marshalling all available resources to better serve students, staff, and the school community
- Establishes and implements clear expectations, structures, rules, and procedures for the safety of students and staff
- Designs protocols and processes in order to comply with federal, state, and local mandates
- o Effectively and efficiently manages the complexity of human capital
- Designs and utilizes various forms of formal and informal communication with all staff and school community

## • School Leader as Civic and Community Participant and Leader

- O Designs structures and processes, which result in parent and community engagement, support, ownership for the school, and enrollment retention
- o Operates in a fair and equitable manner with personal and professional integrity
- o Supports continuous professional growth of self and others through practice and inquiry