

***Directions to  
Quinnipiac University  
Hamden, CT***

**From Hartford and Points North:**

Take I-91 South to Exit 10 (Rt. 40). Follow Rt. 40 about 3 miles to its end at Whitney Ave. Turn right onto Whitney Ave. (Rt. 10) and proceed North for 1.4 miles. Turn right onto Mount Carmel Ave. and travel 0.3 miles to the campus.

**West or East of Hartford via Wilbur Cross Parkway:** Take the Parkway (Rt. 15) to Exit 61 (from the West) or Exit 62 (from the east). Turn right onto Whitney Ave. (Rt. 10) and proceed North for 3 miles to Mount Carmel Ave. Turn right onto Mount Carmel Ave. and travel 0.3 miles to the campus.

**From New Haven and Points East via I-95:** Take I-95 to New Haven. Then take I-91 North (towards Hartford) to Exit 10 (Rt. 40). Follow Rt. 40 about 3 miles to its end at Whitney Ave. Turn right onto Whitney Ave. (Rt. 10) and proceed North for 1.4 miles. Turn right onto Mount Carmel Ave. and travel 0.3 miles to the campus.

**From Waterbury (North and West):** Take I-84 to Exit 26 and turn right onto Rt. 70. At the first major set of lights, bear left onto West Main St. Proceed to next light and turn right onto Main St. At next light, bear right onto Rt. 10 South. Go about 7 miles to Hamden. Turn left onto Mount Carmel Ave. and go 0.3 miles to campus.

In the event of uncertain weather, call the CAS office at (203) 250-1111 to reach our 24 hour automated telephone system or check our website:  
[www.casciac.org](http://www.casciac.org)



**The Connecticut Association of Schools**

In conjunction with



**The Connecticut Association of Student Councils**

Presents

**MIDDLE LEVEL STUDENT  
LEADERSHIP TRAINING  
CONFERENCE**

**“Making Acceptance Acceptable”**



Tuesday, March 11, 2003  
Quinnipiac University, Hamden, CT  
8:00 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.

**CONFERENCE REGISTRATION FORM**

The conference registration fee is \$10.00 per student attending from CAS or CASC middle level member schools. Chaperones and advisors will attend free of charge. Students from non-member middle schools are welcome with the payment of an additional \$100 charge per school.

Schools with a population of 0-500 may send up to 6 students. Schools with a population of over 500 may send 6 students plus 1 extra student for each 100 in population over 500. Students in grades 6 and 7 are strongly urged to participate.

*(Please print or type, attach additional list if necessary)*

School \_\_\_\_\_

Street \_\_\_\_\_

City, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Names of Students \_\_\_\_\_

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Teacher(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Parent(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Full payment enclosed (Make check payable to CAS)

PO # \_\_\_\_\_ enclosed

Please mail with payment by February 14, 2003 to:

Leadership Conference  
Connecticut Association of Schools  
30 Realty Drive  
Cheshire, CT 06410  
Or  
Register on-line at: [casciac.org](http://casciac.org)

**LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE**

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**CONFERENCE COMMITTEE**

Sandra Ahola, *Pomfret Community School*  
Carole Alvaro, *Middle School of Plainville*  
Fred Baruzzi, *Mansfield Public Schools*  
Jody Goeler, Committee Chair, *Avon Middle School*  
Tom Heffernan, *East Granby Middle School*  
Troy Monroe, *King Philip Middle School*  
Jamie Newman, *Sedgwick Middle School*  
Lisa Norwood, *Hamden Middle School*  
Michael Rafferty, *Old Saybrook Middle School*  
Joe Scheideler, *Canton Jr. High School*  
Mary Leger, *Executive Director, CASC*  
Lea Sabrizio, *President, CASC*  
Earle Bidwell, *Assistant Executive Director, CAS*

**SCHEDULE:**

Registration & Refreshments\* 8:00 - 8:45 a.m.  
General Session and Keynote Address 8:45 - 9:45  
Breakout Sessions 9:50 - 2:30  
Concurrent Chaperone/Advisory Sessions  
Departure 2:30 p.m.

All session assignments and specific schedule will be provided at the site. A.M. refreshments and full lunch provided.

\*In order to stay on schedule, no a.m. refreshments can be served after 8:30

**ATTENTION REGISTRATION DEADLINE!**

A late fee of \$50.00 will be assessed to registrations received after February 14<sup>th</sup>. NO registrations will be accepted after February 21<sup>st</sup>.

**REGISTRATIONS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED AT THE DOOR**

**CAS Middle School Student Leadership Training Conference**

The Middle School Student Leadership Conference is a CAS initiative to train middle-level students in leadership skills. Since its inception eleven years ago, over 3,500 students in grades 6, 7, and 8 have participated in the day-long event. Students will participate in workshops designed to increase their skills in the following leadership areas.

***Building a Climate of Acceptance  
Heroes Among Us  
Making A Difference At School***

Led by teachers, administrators, youth officers, high school students and counselors from around Connecticut, students will have opportunities to work in small groups.

**Student leaders will:**

1. Interact with students from schools all over Connecticut
2. Respond to role-play situations
3. Talk with recognized student leaders in Connecticut high schools
4. Hear a keynote address by **Matt Cavedon, Catherine McGee Middle School in Berlin**
5. Share leadership experiences and ideas with peers