# NAESP CONVENTION April 2-6, 2009, HOUSING AND CONVENTION REGISTRATION

Regina Birdsell, Assistant Executive Director

# Connecticut's block has been secured at the <u>Hilton New Orleans Riverside</u> (the Convention Headquarters Hotel)

To make housing reservations within our room block please contact me with the following information either at, rbirdsell@casciac.org or 203-250-1111 ext 3914

- 1. First and last name as it appears on Credit Card
- 2. Credit card #, expiration date and 3 or 4 digit code
- 3. Home address, phone, and email for confirmation
- 4. Dates for room, and choice of 1 or 2 beds
- 5. Let me know if you plan to attend the service project on April 1

(Also, let me know if you are looking for a roommate and I'll try to put you in contact with other CT principals).

## Hilton New Orleans Riverside (Headquarter Hotel) 2 Poydras Street

Warehouse/Arts District

Located 5 blocks from the Ernest N. Morial Convention Center, the Hilton New Orleans Riverside offers two restaurants, two bars, room service, fitness center (\$12/day), outdoor pool, business center, and self-parking (\$30/night). Each of the guestrooms offer high-speed Internet access (\$14.95/day), telephone with voicemail, cable television, iron and ironing board,

coffeemaker, hairdryer and bathroom amenities.

Check-in: 3:00 PM Check-out: NOON

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#### <u>Convention Update: Two Weeks Left Until Early Bird Deadline</u>

There are only two weeks left to take advantage of great savings for NAESP's 88th Annual Convention and Exposition, April 2-6, 2009 in New Orleans, Louisiana.

<u>Don't Forget:</u> Register by December 17<sup>th</sup> and save \$200 on you convention registration fees: <u>www.naesp.org</u>

### **New Orleans Service Project**

If you are interested in being part of this project, plan to arrive on April 1. We will coordinate our Connecticut group once everyone has registered.



Photo courtesy of Shaklee KIPP school and the New Orleans CVB.

### Thursday, April 2 8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Volunteer day will display good work and spirit of principals.

In conjunction with the convention, NAESP is developing a service project to assist the New Orleans Public School system as they continue to recover from the devastating effects of Hurricane Katrina. Attendees can volunteer one day to work on projects from painting to landscaping to assist their colleagues in New Orleans prepare their schools to accept children in a clean and safe environment.

Transportation to and from the work site, as well as lunch and beverages will be provided.