NAESP CONNECTIONS

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<u>Title II Part A</u>

NAESP is continuing to push for funding for Title II-Part A, which provides formula funding to states for the purpose of preparing, training, recruiting, and retaining high-quality teachers, principals, assistant principals, and other school leaders. The program, eliminated in the Administration's budget proposal, is now being considered in Congressional budget negotiations.

NAESP's New Afterschool/Summer Learning Resource

This new exciting portal provides applicable NAEexamples, outcomes, and insights on the development and implementation of educational programs to support the essential learning that can go on beyond or outside of the school day and classroom, and beyond the traditional school year. Check out best practice videos, state resources and more.

NAESP Webinar Wednesdays

Upcoming Webinars for members include:

- February 7, 3:00-4:00 p.m. Social and Emotional Learning: The Missing Piece--Presenter: Dr. Daniel Goleman
- March 14 3:00 4:00 p.m. Encouraging Parent Involvement Without Straining The Budget--Presenter: Kevin Walker
- April 11 4:00 -5:00 p.m. **Shifting the Monkey** Presenter: Todd Whitaker

A leader is one who knows the way, goes the way, and shows the way. John Maxwell

Save the Date

Make plans to attend the 2018 NAESP Pre-K-8 Principals Conference. The conference will take place in Orlando, Florida, July 9-11. More information about the convention, speakers, housing can be found on the NAESP website. http://www.naespconference.org/

2018 Champion Creatively Alive Children Creative Leadership Grant Application

This is an exclusive grant for NAESP members. NAESP members may submit their application for the opportunity to receive a grant to help build their school's creative capacity. Each grant-winning school (up to 20 grants awarded) receives \$2,500 and Crayola products valued at \$1,000.

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NAESP Connections will be a quarterly newsletter for CAS elementary members. Please look forward to upcoming issues. As your State Representative, it is my responsibility to provide input to NAESP from Connecticut principals. Listed below is my contact information. Please feel free to contact me with any questions, ideas or suggestions regarding issues important to you. I will do my best to relay the issues to our national association and our leaders in Washington. Your voice as a Connecticut principal will be heard!

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