



Pennsylvania Association of School Administrators



NEW SUPERINTENDENTS' ACADEMY

PIL/Act 48 (Act 45) Credit Requirements

The New Superintendents' Academy sessions (3) each provide 25 PIL hours for completing the program requirements. In order to earn the 25 hours per session, the participant must attend all components of an Academy session and complete a culminating project. Attendance and the completion of the project will require a minimum of 25 hours.

The culminating project is the completion of a *Reflective Summary* that outlines the learning that took place in the program's in-class and job-embedded activities and how the job-embedded activities impacted student learning in the participant's district or school. The *Summary* must be written succinctly, and submitted to the PASA Director of Professional Development within six months of attending the program.

The *Reflective Summary* must be aligned with the *PA Standards Alignment and Articulation* and *Curriculum Framework* documents for the program, and include the following:

- A description of the participant's preconceived ideas about the topic.
- A description of the participant's current ideas about the topic.
- The program's impact on a culture of teaching and learning, with an emphasis on personalized student success in the district or school.

During the on-site hours, participants will receive the following documents that will provide the information necessary to complete the *Reflective Summary*:

- PA Standards Alignment and Articulation
- Curriculum Framework
- Reflective Summary Rubric

Address questions concerning the Academy and/or PIL credits to:

Connie Kindler, PASA Director of Professional Development, ckindler@pasa-net.org