Summer Principals Academy Clinical Experiences

Field Experiences and Clinical Practice

Field Experiences

(early and ongoing field-based opportunities in which candidates may observe, assist, tutor, instruct, and/or conduct research)

During their coursework, candidates complete the following projects that require fieldwork: Data Driven Audit (30-35 hours) and Principal Shadowing Report (55-60 hours).

Clinical Practice

(student teaching or internships in which candidates are immersed in the learning community and are provided opportunities to develop and demonstrate competence in the professional roles for which they are preparing)

Candidates are required to conduct a 450-hour supervised Administrative Internship at the chosen site. The internship is comprised of two parts: performance-based activities and product based assignments. The former is monitored and evaluated by Cooperating Administrator. The latter includes the following projects: Teacher Evaluation Project (50-55 hours), Curriculum Case Study (120 hours), Resource Allocation Project (45 hours) and Leadership Initiative Project (200 hours).

Total Hours: 500