

# AASA

## Aspiring Superintendents Academy®

— For *Female Leaders* —

The goal of the **AASA Aspiring Superintendents Academy® for Female Leaders** is to create the time and space for learning, connection, and introspection. This academy is focused on building the unique skill-set needed to succeed in the complex role of the 21st century superintendent. Cohort members will become part of a strong, growing network of educators who will provide encouragement and inspiration now and into the future.

## Event Schedule

### Thursday, October 17

4:00pm | Welcome/Dinner

4:15pm | Opening Remarks, Introductions, Academy Overview,  
Dr. Candace Singh and Dr. Valerie Truesdale

4:30pm | Getting to Know Each Other, Dr. Suzette Lovely

4:50pm | Room At the Top: Knowing Yourself as a Leader Dr. Suzette Lovely

5:30pm | Break

5:50pm | Beginner's Pluck: Embracing a Beginner's Mindset Dr. Suzette Lovely

7:15pm | Closing/Preview for Tomorrow, Dr. Candace Singh

7:30pm | Social Hour and Dessert, Hosted by Discovery Education



## Friday, October 18

8:30am | Breakfast – Circle Up! Where are you from?

9:00am | Superintendent Panel/Q and A, Moderated by Dr. Suzette Lovely

10:00am | Break

10:15am | Speed Mentoring

12:00pm | Lunch

12:45pm | Framing the Role of the Female Superintendent,  
Dr. Margaret Grogan, Dean, Chapman University

2:15pm | Break

2:30pm | How Women Rise: Break the 12 Habits Holding You Back from Your Next,  
Raise, Promotion or Job, Dr. Candace Singh

3:30pm | Closure/Reflection

4:00pm | Social Hour

## Saturday, October 19

8:30am | Breakfast

9:00am | Leveraging Relationships: The Role of Mentors and Sponsors on Your  
Path to the Superintendency, Dr. Katie McNamara

9:30am | The Space In-Between: Ignite Talks, Mentors, and Book Chats

10:00am | Your Leadership Influence: Inspiring and Empowering Yourself and  
Others in Leadership, Dr. Candace Singh

11:00am | Break

11:15am | Closure/Evaluation

11:45am | Group Photo, Lunch to Go