

Louisiana Superintendents' Institute  
Monday, March 23, 2009  
Econo Lodge Inn and Suites, 2716 North MacArthur Drive, Alexandria, LA

***“Partnership for Success – Effective Use of Stimulus Funding to Impact Student Achievement”***

**Goal** - To create alignment between LDOE and LEA's to effectively use stimulus funding to positively impact student achievement. This alignment will enable Louisiana to successfully compete for the “Race to the Top Competitive Grant.”

8:00 to 8:30 Registration & Breakfast

**GENERAL SESSIONS:**

8:30 to 8:45 ***Opening Remarks***  
Paul Pastorek, State Superintendent of Education

8:45 to 10:00 ***How Stimulus Funding Can Be Used***  
Paul Pastorek, State Superintendent of Education  
Beth Scioneaux, Deputy Superintendent of Management and Finance  
Patrick Dobard, Deputy Director of Governmental Affairs

10:00 to 10:15 Break

10:15 to 11:15 **“Stimulating School Improvement: Don’t Confuse Your School Improvement Plan with School Improvement”**  
Harvey W. Perkins, Ed. D. and CEO  
The Urban Learning and Leadership Center, Inc.  
John W. Hodge, M.A., Vice President and Co-Founder  
The Urban Learning and Leadership Center, Inc.

11:15 to 2:50 **CONCURRENT SESSIONS:**  
**Innovative Strategies for Moving Schools to World Class Status**  
(Participants will rotate after 45 minutes to allow each group the opportunity to participate in three breakout sessions: **11:15-12:00; 1:15-2:00; and 2:05-2:50.**)  
  
(Lunch will be served from 12:15 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.)

GROUP 1: **“Stimulus Spending: Ask Your Questions”** LDOE Staff

GROUP 2: **“Designing the 21<sup>st</sup> Century Classroom through Technology Support”**  
St. James Parish (11:15-12:00), Jefferson Parish (1:15-2:00), LDOE (2:05-2:50)

GROUP 3: **“Replacing Retention with Early Intervention (RTI)”**  
Bains Elementary School, West Feliciana Parish

GROUP 4: **“Professional Learning Is Not A ‘One Stop’ Shop”**  
Forest Hill Elementary School, Rapides Parish

GROUP 5: **“Navigating Best Practices in Literacy and Numeracy Instruction”** LDOE Staff

GROUP 6: **“Innovations in the Middle Grades: Kicking It Up A Notch”**  
Dularge Middle School, Terrebonne Parish

3:00 to 3:30 **CLOSING SESSION:**  
Wrap Up and Dismissal, Superintendent Paul Pastorek

## District Superintendents' Institute Planning Group

Cathy Stockton	Richland Parish
Danny Bell	Lincoln Parish
Darryl Kilbert	Orleans Parish
Diane Roussel	Jefferson Parish
Gayle Sloan	St. Tammany
Lonnie Luce	St. James Parish
Michael Faulk	Central Community
Richard Lavergne	St. Martin Parish

## Louisiana Department of Education Superintendents' Planning Committee

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