Gadsden's Academy for Aspiring Principals (GAAP)

WHAT: A program devised by Gadsden City Schools key program administrators to provide the critical direction for those talented individuals to become effective instructional leaders in the Gadsden City School System. The program design allows for wholesome discussion and collaboration among potential leaders. The expected outcome: A leader prepared to focus time, attention, and effort on changing what students are taught, how they are taught, and what they are learning.

WHO: This program is designed for effective instructional leaders that are interested in creating a focused mission to improve student achievement and a vision of the elements of school curriculum and instructional practices that make higher achievement possible.

WHERE: Gadsden City Board of Education Boardroom

WHEN: School Year (Specific Dates to be Announced)

Leaders become great, not because of their power, but because of their ability to empower others.

~John Maxwell
Hours Needed to Complete PLU Standard 7 Application
Gadsden City Schools
2015 - 2016
(GAAP)

50 Hours

2 – Computer

15 – After school (not home school)

3 – Activities (not home school)

2 – Analyzing data

2 – Reviewing Pacing Guides

7 – Other activities (including review of School Safety Plan)

9 – Shadow a principal at all three school levels for at least 3 hours each

10 – Monthly Meetings

50 Hrs.

(Total of 20 hours must be signed by Central Office/Principal)
(Total of 20 hours must have occurred during summer 2016)

Attend New Employee Orientation in August 2016.

Work at your home school as a member of the Continuous Improvement Plan (eCIP) Committee.