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&
Administration

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Dear Teacher Leaders:

As you may be aware the Marin County Office of Education, in collaboration with San Francisco State University has been hosting the Marin Leadership Institute, Administrative Credential and MA program for quite some time now. Our interest in hosting the program is to support our teacher leaders and certificated staff to gain additional professional growth and obtain the administrative credential, which leads to more high quality, local administrators.

The Marin Leadership Institute is a collaboration between San Francisco State University and Marin County Office of Education to bring continuous learning opportunities to local cohorts of teacher leaders interested in pursuing the administrative credential and Masters in Education Leadership. The program provides a condensed model of coursework, practicum and team learning offered through SFSU and Marin COE. Courses are offered at the COE (or virtual) for convenience; a cohort model means students stay together for the same sequence of courses and have opportunities to share, support and learn together.

We are currently recruiting for the 12 months, three-semester program beginning Spring term, 2023. The SFSU application will be open in August and will usually extend through the first week of January, 2023. We would like to invite you to recruit teacher/educational leaders interested in pursuing the Administrative Credential and MA in Education Administration. The current model is an accelerated intensive cohort - students are enrolled in three courses across three semesters including a 6-unit summer program. The total number of units for the program is 33 units/11 courses. Most courses are taught using a blended learning model of Face to Face classes and online work. These hybrid courses are the future of most graduate degrees and programs. In addition to coursework, candidates must register and complete the new California Administrator Performance Assessment (CalAPA). Candidates must submit all three cycles of the CalAPA prior to being recommended for the California Preliminary Administrative Services Credential. More information on CalAPA can be found [here](#).

Training leaders of the future is a critical mission as education in the 21st century rapidly changes and adjusts to global needs. Our children need dedicated educators to provide engaging and meaningful learning opportunities. You can find more information about the program and the Department of Equity, Leadership Studies and Instructional Technologies in the Graduate School of Education at <https://elsit.sfsu.edu/content/administrative-services-credential-preliminary-admissions-elsit>

SFSU's Ed Admin Virtual Info Session Dates – *to be determined and posted.*

Please reply to vpitts@me.com or vpitts@sfsu.edu, if you are interested in participating/enrolling in the program or if you have any other questions regarding the administrative credential or MA program. Eligibility requirements and the application can be found at [here](#). The Spring application deadline is Nov. 15 (for scholarship applicants) and/or Dec. 1st. Extensions will be granted as needed. We strongly encourage your consideration in this unique professional learning opportunity.

Warm Regards,

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