

# BPS-Lynch Principal Fellowship Program

*A New partnership between the Boston Public Schools and the Lynch Leadership Academy at Boston College*

The Office of Educator Effectiveness is excited to introduce a new program to prepare educators for positions as Principals and Headmasters in the Boston Public Schools (BPS), a joint effort between the Boston Public Schools and Boston College's Lynch Leadership Academy. This innovative year-long fellowship, called the BPS-Lynch Principal Fellowship Program (BLPF), is an intensive, district-based principal training and certification program. BLPF provides Fellows with a salary for one year, residency in a high-quality school, mentoring by a highly-effective principal, and professional development led by national experts in both the education and business sectors. This Fellowship focuses on building the instructional leadership skills of participants and will lead to a position as a school leader in the Boston Public Schools.

 To apply, visit <http://bit.ly/bpslynch2013>

If selected as a fellow, you will benefit in significant ways. Some of those benefits include:

- A one-year salary package
- School-based residency with a highly-effective, experienced principal/headmaster mentor
- Access to a cohort of mission-aligned school leaders
- Licensure as a school administrator
- Access to high-performing schools and the resources they leverage to get results
- Professional development led by national experts in both the education and business sectors

Successful BPS-Lynch Principal Fellowship Program Candidates are:

- Current educators who demonstrate the mission, vision and skills to successfully close achievement gaps in public schools.
- Have a proven track record of improving student achievement;
- Believe that all students will achieve college success;
- Focus on student achievement results;
- Are data-driven and focused;
- Possess strong project management skills;
- Possess effective interpersonal skills; and
- Are self-aware