



Dr. Avis Glaze

Student Achievement: A Focus on Leadership

Thursday, May 3, 2012

Centro Caboto Centre
1055 Wilkes Avenue, Winnipeg, Manitoba

Countries across the world are coming to Canada to learn about our school improvement strategies. This includes how schools in challenging circumstances are demonstrating steady and continuous growth, how educators are raising the bar and closing the achievement gaps and how this is happening without alienating our teachers or ranking of schools.

This interactive workshop will demonstrate that we can, indeed, improve schools by creating a supportive environment with a strong focus on capacity building and characterized by respect for the professionalism of educational leaders. It will address key issues such as:

- Using qualitative and quantitative data to improve achievement
- Focusing on the high impact strategies that improve learning
- Improving schools in challenging circumstances
- Ensuring that poverty, immigrant or ESL status, and other characteristics, do not determine students' destiny
- Garnering public confidence through a graduation guarantee

Excellence with equity is fundamental to this strategy. Our moral imperative is to ensure that all children succeed. Principals and teachers must continue to work assiduously to improve teaching, learning and leadership and to realize their goal of preparing students to be global citizens who think critically, feel deeply, and act wisely and ethically.

This one-day workshop will affirm, challenge, raise questions and inspire while pushing the boundaries of educational thought, discourse and practice. It invites participants to go on a journey of reflection, critique and examination of our ideas and current practices, and to re-envision how we can further improve student learning. It will emphasize the fact that the time has come for us to ensure equity of outcomes for all, regardless of background factors and require that we sharpen our will and hone our skills. Why? Because the time is now...the children cannot wait.

For more information on Avis, visit her web site at <http://www.avisglaze.ca/>

Avis Glaze – Registration Form
 Thursday, May 3, 2012, 9:00 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.
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 1055 Wilkes Avenue, Winnipeg, Manitoba

Rates:

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| MB ASCD member | \$125.00 | | Group of 4 from one school | \$140.00 per person |
| Non-member | \$155.00 | | Group of 10 from a division | \$140.00 per person |
| Student teacher | \$ 50.00 | | Early Bird Special (paid before February 3, 2012) | \$125.00 per person |

Registration includes lunch. Deadline for registration is April 26, 2012 or when sold out.

Please complete the form below, include a cheque made payable to Manitoba ASCD, and mail both to:

Manitoba ASCD

P. O. Box 69027, RPO Tuxedo Park, Winnipeg, Manitoba R3P 2G9

Call Paulette at (204) 510-7271 for enquiries

| Name | School | Phone (Daytime) | Phone (after hours)/or email |
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| Name of School Division: | email: | Fax: |
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I am enclosing _____ \$125 as a paid up member of Manitoba ASCD

I am enclosing _____ \$155 as a non-member of Manitoba ASCD.

I am enclosing _____ \$140 as part of a group but a non-member of Manitoba ASCD.

I am enclosing _____ \$ 50 as a student teacher

I am enclosing _____ \$125 for the Early Bird rate (before February 3, 2012)

I am enclosing _____ \$ 30 to become a member of Manitoba ASCD

Total Remitted \$ _____ * To qualify for group discount, group registrations must be submitted together.

REFUND POLICY

If notification of refund request is received more than 2 weeks prior to event - FULL REFUND

If notification of refund request is received 7 to 14 days prior to event - Refund will be issued less \$25 for service charges

If notification of refund request is received less than 1 week prior to event - Refund will be issued less \$50 for service charges