

## Practicum in Administrative Leadership

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Standards: 1.0 2.0 3.0

Activities summary: The principal was present at the parent meeting of ESOL students. I was asked to attend too. As part of his responsibilities, he is expected to greet both parents and teachers. He was paying attention to the chair person since there will be a lot of changes for next year he seemed unaware of. I was seating by him to answer all his questions. He asked me about the course sequencing and how LAS links is designed to test ELLs (English Language Learners).

During the break, I talked with parents whose children I was concerned about. I also praised parents whose students were doing well. In addition, I met a board member who said the presentation was excellent. She expressed concern regarding the number of ESOL students who might not pass or drop out of school due to the mandatory passing in all 4 tests.

At the end, I found out how many parents attended the event. The sign-in sheet had 140 names and phone numbers. This sheet will be quite useful to update the phone numbers in the database.