

## Sample - AASA Learning 2025 Montana Cohort Support for AASA L2 MT Cohort Districts

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Happy Friday [to the Superintendent of the L25 MT Cohort disttict],

I trust you are well and that the successful start of the school year is going great! I am touching base with you to offer support for your work being a key part of the L25 MT Cohort entering the 2023-24 school year.

In February 2023, you shared your challenges and areas to accomplish at the MT L25 Needs Development Webinar. You and your team are certainly embracing future-focused innovation to meet the needs of educating the children in your community.

[Sample] Specifically for your district, the key areas that you outlined to accomplish over the next two years are ...

- · Focus on learning to improve academic achievement on heels of Covid
- Attendance and Social Emotional Learning (Mental Health of students and staff)
- Offering more robust career-tech opportunities in a small school

As this school year begins, please let me know if you see something we need to revise in these key areas to meet your needs.

[Sample] Based on the key areas, I suggested that you consider the following resources to get involved in the AASA L25 Network ...

- Consider that you or a member of your team register for the 2023-24 AASA Learning 2025 Network Cohort as
  - best for learning about a key area to accomplish for your district. I recommend you consider ...
    - Advancing Rural Education AASA Cohort, or
    - Innovative Districts Empowering All Learners (IDEAL) AASA Cohort
- You can register for one of these Cohorts or any other if you so choose, at 2023-24 AASA Learning 2025 Network Cohort. Note that descriptions of each cohort are included with the form to complete to register following the listing of the cohorts. As part of the MT L25 CLN you can join the Cohort without paying any additional fee. The Cohorts are just getting started in September, so I suggest that you sign up for the Cohort of choice ASAP.

All information about the AASA L25 MT Cohort is being frequently updated on the new AASA L25 MT Cohort 2023-24 webpage (SAM website/Professional Learning tab/ AASA L25 MT Cohort 2023-24 drop down) for your convenient reference (you may want to bookmark this page). This webpage has the contact list for all members of our L25 MT Cohort which you may find useful in communicating with each other. The AASA L25 website and Forward to the Future are links to all of the benefits and opportunities our L25 MT Cohort districts will receive in 2023-24.

Webinar meetings of the AASA L25 MT Cohort will take place monthly in order for our MT districts to meet, network, and discuss the progress. The webinars are scheduled for the **4th Thursday of the month**, **10:00 - 11:00** am! Please mark your calendars for these dates and time beginning with Thursday, September 28 at **10:00 am.** A calendar invite will be sent to the L25 MT Cohort a week prior to the 4th Thursday with an agenda and Zoom call info. Our September Zoom Webinar will be all about connecting you to resources to help you with the work you want to accomplish for your students and schools.

To increase personal connections, deeper dives into your work, and to see firsthand exemplars, AASA are offering the following as part of your L25 MT Cohort participation that you may consider for your calendar:

- AASA L25 Network Monthly Virtual Learning Series: First Thursday each month, 4-5:30 pm Eastern (2-3:30 pm Mountain); open to all L25 leads and their teams.
- 2023-24 L25 In-Person Events Calendar: Describes all of the opportunities you have to participate in connections to assist you with the work in your district. October 16 is the first Summit in Mansfield TX with theme Redefining Ready (the link will allow you to register).

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If you would like to discuss any of the information in this update, or you need access to further resources through our AASA L25 MT Cohort, please contact me -- kjmleadership@gmail.com or 406-581-1037. Remember, I'm the ghost buster to help connect you with what you need in the most expedient way!

Please reach out to me if you are wanting to discuss your school district goals for 2023-24 and how L25 resources may help you. I'm here for you and that discussion.

Thanks for engaging in the AASA L25 MT Cohort, to assist your schools in moving forward to the future with studentcentered opportunities Kirk

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