

Who: The Alabama Mathematics Leadership Alliance is an affiliate of the National Council of Supervisors of Mathematics.

Established November 2019.

64 members

Why: The Alabama Mathematics Leadership Alliance (AMLA) is a leadership organization to support, sustain, and inspire high quality mathematics instruction. Its purpose is to:

- inspire and diversify leadership in mathematics instruction and teacher education;
- support and advance rigorous mathematics instruction aligned to research-based practices;
- promote culturally responsive pedagogy and equal access for all students to quality mathematics instruction to ensure mathematics proficiency and college and career readiness; and
- partner with educators, families, policymakers, and other stakeholders to strengthen the state of mathematics in Alabama.

How: AMLA is growing leaders by the following:

- Media appearances to support decisions made for mathematics education in Alabama such as the adoption of the 2019 Mathematics Course of Study. (December 2019)
- Forum with policymakers, stakeholders, educators and national mathematics leaders to be better equipped making decisions for mathematics education in Alabama. National mathematics speakers were Dr. Connie Schrock, Dr. Skip Fennell and Dr. Robert Berry. (January 2020)
- *Limitless Mind* Book Study (April 2020 June 2020)
- Professional Learning Opportunity: Levels of Leadership; Local to National. Guest speakers were Mike Flynn, Dr. Elizabeth Davis, and Tim Solley. (June 2020)
- Quarterly meetings for members.
- Quarterly newsletter provided for members containing resources and motivation to improve mathematics education.



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