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## MEMORANDUM NO. 2021-044

**TO:** School District Superintendents  
District Grant Coordinators  
Principals  
District Homeless Liaison  
Business Managers

**FROM:** Shelley Hamel, Chief Academic Officer

**DATE:** April 12, 2021

**SUBJECT:** 2021 STAR Conference

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## 2021 STAR CONFERENCE

The 2021 Summer Technical Assistance Retreat (STAR) Conference will be held virtually from June 21-25, 2021. The STAR Conference will focus on the Grants Management System, Homeless Education, Consolidated Federal Grants, School Safety, and more. From June 21-23, the sessions will focus on Federal Programs management with the annual McKinney-Vento Homeless Education post-conference being held on June 24-25.

We are excited to announce three keynote speakers:

- Superintendent Darrin Peppard: *“Road to Awesome Leadership.”*
- Bonnie Little Graham: *“EDGAR Updates from Brustein and Manasevit, PLLC.”*
- Dr. Bryan Pearlman: *“Self-care Doesn’t Make You Selfish”* and *“Maslow Before Bloom.”*

Registration is open, and the cost is \$30. For detailed information about the conference and keynote speakers, as well as registration, visit the following links:

- [Registration](#)
- [Detailed session schedule](#)
- [2021 STAR Canvas Page](#)

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