2nd Annual Emerging Educators Academy
Presented by the Iowa Department of Education
Iowa Outstanding Educators Advisory Council
(Including Iowa and National Award Winning Teachers)

Inspiring Greatness in New Iowa Teachers Everyday
“J.G.N.I.T.E.”
March 25, 2016
ACT Headquarters in Iowa City, Iowa
500 ACT Dr. Iowa City, IA 52243

Special Guest and Keynote Speaker
Sarah Brown-Wessling, 2010 National Teacher of the Year.

Purpose: Provide insights and perspectives to guide emerging educators. Inspire Teachers to stay in the
Education field.

Intended Audience: 1st–3rd year teachers

Registration and breakfast: 8:00 am – 8:45 am
Welcome 8:45 am – 9:00 am
Opening & Keynote: 9:00 am – 9:45 am
Breakout Session #1 10:00 am – 10:45 am
Breakout Session #2 10:50 am – 11:35 am
Q&A with Educators 11:50 am – 12:15 pm
Lunch and Keynote 12:15 pm – 1:00 pm
Breakout Session #3 1:15 pm – 2:00 pm
Breakout Session #4 2:05 pm – 3:00 pm
Closing and door prizes 3:00 pm – 3:30 pm

Sessions:
Establishing your Classroom Community – Classroom Engagement Strategies – STEM Kits – Movement and the
Brain – Teaching with the Brain in Mind – Ethics in Education – Using Technology in the Classroom – ACT:
of the Future ..... And more!

Feature presenters: Heather Anderson, Waukee; Charity Campbell, Norwalk; Karla Digmann, Dubuque;
Tania Johnson, Cedar Rapids; Ann Johnson, Dubuque; Alyssen Lovstuen, Decorah; Aaron Maurer, Bettendorf;
Shannon McLaughlin, Norwalk; Kari Murray, Carlisle; Jane Schmidt, Maquoketa; Scott Slechta, Fairfield;
Clemencia Spizzirri, Des Moines; ACT representatives.

Hotel Reservations for: March 24th
Clarion Highlander Hotel – Iowa City, IA
Attendees block $69.00

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