



Kaweeda G. Adams is the proud superintendent of the City School District of Albany. The district is comprised of 16 schools and approximately 9,000 diverse students from prekindergarten through grade 12. A native of Shreveport, Louisiana, and a third-generation educator, Mrs. Adams served in a variety of teaching and administrative positions in the Clark County (Nevada) School District, the nation's fifth-largest school district, for 28 years prior to accepting the leadership role in Albany in 2017. She is committed to providing diverse, equitable educational opportunities to meet the needs of all students, mentoring and coaching instructional leaders, and building quality instructional delivery systems combined with systemic progress monitoring, job embedded professional development, and effective, value-added supervision.

In New York's Capital City, Mrs. Adams has been a leader in developing the first Equity in Education Policy (January 2019), which serves as the foundational lens for restructuring instructional and operational best practices. Under Mrs. Adams' leadership, the district is committed to enhancing the delivery of quality instruction through culturally responsive education and implementing research-based educational practices to eliminate racial predictability of student success, disproportionality in behavioral consequences, inequities impacting marginalized and underserved populations, and systemic barriers to opportunities and access.