

Voices United Conference

ADVANCING THE CIVIL RIGHTS OF
ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNERS &
BUILDING PATHWAYS TO
MULTILINGUALISM

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Education and World Languages



Featuring keynote speaker Dr. Ayanna
Cooper, author of *And Justice for ELs: A
Leader's Guide to Creating and
Sustaining Equitable Schools*.



Celebrating 50 years of progress since the milestones
of *Lau v Nichols*, the *ASPIRA* Consent Decree, and the
Equal Educational Opportunities Act. Promoting a
culture of multilingualism among all New Yorkers.



This event will provide New York State educators and
administrators with a one-day professional development
opportunity to strengthen theoretical and practical knowledge to
implement high-quality academically rigorous instruction for
English Language Learners (ELLs).

