

Georgia Performance Standards (GPS) Teacher Training 2009-2010

The following courses will be conducted through the Educational Technology Centers in GA:

Assessing for Mathematics EOCT Success (Please Make Note of the Listed Exceptions)

This one day training session is built around the Mathematics I EOCT released items. Mathematics I and II teachers will be able to discuss and model the construction of test items, use Depth of Knowledge (DOK) in daily planning, and analyze results that will impact instruction in Tier 1 general classes and Tier 2 Mathematics Support classes.

Audience: Mathematics I and II Teachers

<u>Date</u> <u>Location</u>

September 29 Educational Technology Centers in GA (Except Armstrong Atlantic & First District)

September 30 Educational Technology Centers in GA (Except Armstrong Atlantic & First District)

(September 30th Class has been Cancelled)

October 1 Educational Technology Centers in GA (Except Armstrong Atlantic & First District)

October 7 GaDOE Training Center in Atlanta (Room D)
October 8 GaDOE Training Center in Atlanta (Room D)

October 28 Educational Technology Centers in GA

(Except First District, & West Georgia)

October 29 Educational Technology Centers in GA (Except First District)

January 26 Educational Technology Centers in GA (Except Armstrong Atlantic & First District)
January 27 Educational Technology Centers in GA (Except Armstrong Atlantic & First District)

January 28 Educational Technology Centers in GA (Except First District)

Teaching Grammar Through Literacy

This one day course will offer strategies on how to integrate grammar instruction in the classroom. Teachers will integrate grammar instruction through the use of novels, focusing on how authors purposefully use grammatical structures to show style, voice, and diction in their writing. The workshop will include sample lessons as well as the opportunity for the participants to create additional lessons.

Audience: Middle School ELA Teachers Date Location

October 13 Educational Technology Centers in GA
October 14 Educational Technology Centers in GA
October 20 GaDOE Training Center in Atlanta (Room D)
October 21 GaDOE Training Center in Atlanta (Room D)



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Using Lexiles to Create Differentiated Lessons

This one day course will demonstrate how to create differentiated lessons in all content areas through the use of Lexiles. The focus will include connecting a Lexile to reading text and using the information obtained to enhance writing and speaking. The course will focus on how Lexiles can support the content area Georgia Performance Standards and the knowledge that students must have to understand the standards. The workshop will include sample lessons as well as the opportunity for the participants to create additional lessons with Lexiles.

Audience: High School Content Area Teachers

Date Location

January 19 Educational Technology Centers in GA
January 20 Educational Technology Centers in GA
February 4 GaDOE Training Center in Atlanta (Room D)

Audience: Middle School Content Area Teachers

<u>Date</u> <u>Location</u>

January 21 Educational Technology Centers in GA

February 2 GaDOE Training Center in Atlanta (Class Cancelled)

February 3 GaDOE Training Center in Atlanta (Room D)

The New GPS for Physical Education

This $\frac{1}{2}$ day course (AM Session 8:30 – 11:30 and PM Session 12:30 – 3:30) will address the new PE standards and elements. Specific examples will be provided for each of the six standards for each grade level. Additionally, clarification and explanation will be given on the importance of the vertical alignment for each standard. This training session will be recorded and posted on to our website for future use: www.GeorgiaStandards.Org.

Audience: K-12 PE Teachers and District Coordinators

| <u>Date</u> | <u>Location</u> | Grade |
|-------------|-------------------------------------------|-------|
| October 20 | Educational Technology Centers in GA | K-5 |
| October 21 | Educational Technology Centers in GA | 6-8 |
| October 22 | Educational Technology Centers in GA | 9-12 |
| October 27 | GaDOE Training Center in Atlanta (Room A) | K-5 |
| October 28 | GaDOE Training Center in Atlanta (Room A) | 6-8 |
| October 29 | GaDOE Training Center in Atlanta (Room A) | 9-12 |

Registration for all ETC courses will occur at this link:

http://admin.doe.k12.ga.us/gadoe/sla/gpstrain.nsf/GPSOfferings.html

Registration will open on Friday, September 4, 2009.