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CCGPS: COMMON CORE GEORGIA PERFORMANCE STANDARDS

Georgia is one of 45 states, along with the District of Columbia and the U.S. Virgin Islands, that has adopted a set of core standards for Kindergarten through 12th grade in the areas of English language arts and mathematics.

Join Superintendent John Barge and Department of Education staff on September 21, 2011 from 3 p.m. - 4 p.m. on Georgia Public Broadcasting at http://www.gpb.org/education/common-core for a live stream professional development event that explains what the new standards mean to you. The session will repeat again on the same date from 4-5 PM and will be archived after being formatted for close captioning 3 days after the broadcast.

This is the first in a series of live streaming professional development sessions that cover the Common Core Georgia Performance Standards for English language arts, literacy, and mathematics. Subsequent workshops will begin airing January 2012.

For more information visit the Georgia Department of Education website. Also, expect to learn more on CCGPS at Winter Conference as a session is being planned on this very pertinent topic.

It is in our best interest to stay abreast of these changes so as to keep our 4-H programming timely and relevant to the new CCGPS

Past DeskTopicks... and School Matters are archived on the County Operations page on our intranet at http://www.caes.uga.edu/intranet/coextopr/. Just follow the path to Strategic Initiatives found in the left sidebar.

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