

ELEMENTARY PRINCIPALS/AP'S/TEACHERS: African American History (AAH) Advocates' and Social Studies Teachers' Workshop

Category:

Audience: Principals/APs (Elementary), All Teachers

Due Date: n/a

Meeting Date: Jan 13, 2011

The Division of Social Sciences and Life Skills will host a workshop with master teacher and presenter Mr. Chike Akua, M.Ed. for African American History (AAH) Advocates and social studies teachers.

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- The purpose of the workshop is to provide elementary and secondary AAH Advocates and social studies teachers with hands-on strategies and techniques to enhance their classroom instruction. These strategies will be presented by Mr. Chike Akua, M.Ed.
 - Mr. Chike Akua is a leading authority on increasing the achievement of today's students, especially those labeled "at-risk." Mr. Akua has been the keynote presenter (and co-presenter) at regional and national conferences, school districts, colleges, and universities.
 - Mr. Akua has 14 years of teaching experience in the Virginia and Georgia school districts. In 1995, he was selected as Teacher of the Year for Newport News Public Schools, Virginia and he was also selected as one of Ebony magazine's "50 Leaders of Tomorrow."
 - Mr. Akua will present, "Infusing African and African American History into the Curriculum."
 - **Workshop date:** Thursday, January 13, 2011.
 - **Workshop Time:** 8:30 am to 3:30 pm.
 - **Workshop Location and address:** Miami-Dade College, North Campus, M. J. Taylor Lounge (Room 4207) located in Building 4, 11380 NW 27th Ave, Miami, FL 33169.
 - **Parking cost:** Free. Any updates or changes to room location and or parking details will be sent via email to all registered participants the day before the workshop.
 - **Breakfast:** Coffee and danish will be provided.
 - **Lunch will be on your own.**
 - **Substitute coverage is not provided.**
 - Teachers will receive **10 MPP**. To receive the full 10 MPP, teachers will be required to submit a homework assignment. The homework assignment requirements will be discussed the day of the workshop.
 - **To receive MPP**, teachers must register online using the District's Professional Development registration system.
 - **Registration instructions are as follows:** Go to www.dadeschools.net and log onto the Professional Development registration and menu system; Click on find a session, by instructor, on the alphabet "Z", Alayne C. Zeto, and; Scroll to find the session titled, "AAH African American History Advocate workshop."
 - If there are any questions, please contact Dr. Sherrilyn Scott, Supervisor, Division of Social Sciences and Life Skills at sherrilynscott@dadeschools.net.

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