

ALL SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL PRINCIPALS/APs: Social Sciences- Ethical Governance Day October 19, 2017

*Category: For Your Information*

**Audience:** Principals/APs (Senior High)

Due Date: n/a

Meeting Date: n/a

**Attachment(s):** [Pre\\_Activity-Ethical Governance Day- Instructional Activity- October 19, 2017.docx](#)  
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To announce and provide information about 2017 Ethical Governance Day- October 19, 2017.

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- **The Miami-Dade Commission on Ethics and Public Trust and The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida endorse Ethical Governance Day on October 19, 2017.**
- This event will bring volunteer community leaders into Miami-Dade Senior High School classrooms to speak to students on the importance of civic participation as an avenue to promoting more ethical government at all levels.
- Public officials, civic leaders, attorneys with significant civic involvement or government experience, and other community leaders will join in this community conversation by sharing their knowledge and insight with the next generation of voters.
- It is the goal of this initiative that all Senior High School Government/Economics classes receive a guest speaker on this day.
- **Schools are asked to:**
  - Provide the names of two contact persons and other logistical information regarding the 12<sup>th</sup> grade Government/Economics teachers **by October 2, 2017** by completing an online form on the Department of Social Science's website. To access the form, click on this link: <http://socialsciences.dadeschools.net/forms/ethical-governance-day-information-form.asp>.
  - **Please note the instructions on the form regarding providing names of teachers who have either Government or Economics courses on October 19, 2017.**
- Once school personnel complete the online form, the Miami-Dade Commission on Ethics will assign the requested number of speakers to the school and provide said information to the teacher designees.
- The Department of Social Sciences, in collaboration with the Miami-Dade Commission on Ethics, has also created a resource guide with lessons and activities that will assist in preparing students for the visitors. Please see the *Ethical Governance Lessons and Activities* resource guide attached to this briefing.
- Also attached to this briefing, is an Ethical Governance Day Speaker Registration Form. If teachers or administrators know of community leaders who would be willing to register as a school speaker, please forward this registration form to them accordingly.
- **Schools SHOULD NOT SECURE their own speakers.** The speaker registration form must be submitted to the Miami Dade Ethics Commission as the instructions indicate on the form.
- Should you need additional information, or have questions, please email Mr. Robert C. Brazofsky, Executive Director, Department of Social Sciences, [rbrazofsky@dadeschools.net](mailto:rbrazofsky@dadeschools.net) or see the contact information below.

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