

ALL ELEMENTARY PRINCIPALS/APs/TEACHERS: Social Studies - K-12 Geography Bee and History Bee Teacher Training

Category: For Your Information

Audience: Principals/APs (Elementary), All Teachers

Due Date: n/a

Meeting Date: n/a

To announce Geography Bee and History Bee Teacher Training.

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- During this workshop, teachers will gain insight on how to effectively create a Geography and/or History Bee team and/or serve as monitors to compete in the Districts Geography and History Bee competitions.
 - By participating in this workshop, teachers will discover how to motivate students to participate in academic competitions and provide them the opportunity to focus on U.S. History and Geography subject matter. Research indicates that participation in academic competitions can be a motivating factor for students to succeed academically.
 - The training will include best practices and strategies for participating in the upcoming Geography and History Bee competitions.
 - Workshop details are as follows:
 - **Date:** Friday, January 20, 2017
 - **Time:** 8:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
 - **Location:** Miami Dade College-North Campus 11380 NW 27 Avenue, Building 2, Lecture Room 2151, Miami, FL 33167
 - **Parking:** Free
 - All registered participants will be provided with a **½ day** substitute in order to attend this training. Substitute funding information **WILL** be sent via email to all registered participants.
 - Teachers interested in registering for this workshop must access the District's MYLEARNINGPLAN and search for the course titled: "*Geography Bee and History Bee Teacher Training*" and complete the registration process.
 - **4** Master Plan Points will only be awarded upon full completion of the course and requirements of the professional development criteria.
 - If you have questions or require additional information, please contact Dr. Sherrilyn Scott, District Supervisor, Department of Social Sciences, via e-mail at sherrilynscott@dadeschools.net or see the contact information below.

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