

THE HOWARD COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM
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DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT

**Professional Development Day
November 24, 2014**

TO: All High School Principals

FROM: Linda T. Wise, Deputy Superintendent

Attached is the schedule for *Professional Development* on Monday, November 24, 2014 (12:00 pm – 2:30 pm) for **HIGH SCHOOLS ONLY**.

This time is reserved for mandatory countywide meetings for designated high school teachers, including non-tenured teachers and teachers of state assessed courses. **High school principals are reminded that participating teachers should not be scheduled for parent conferences during the time of the professional development.**

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Attachment

**Countywide Professional Development
High School Teachers
November 24, 2014
12:00 – 2:30**

Office	Grade/Participants	Leaders	Location	Title
Art	HS Visual Arts Staff	Gino Molfino Jaye Ayres	Howard HS Art Department	Program ARTiculation
CTE/ARL	Centralized Career Academies Teachers and Staff	Natalie Belcher	ARL	Technology Tools for Measuring Student Success
CTE/CRD and FACS	Teacher Academy and CRD Teachers	Laurie Collins	Oakland Mills HS FACS Food Lab	Technology Tools for Student Engagement and Lesson Rigor
CTE/FACS	HS Design Teachers	Shawanda Evans	ARL	Performance Tasks
CTE/Library Media	HS Library Media Specialists	Melissa Grabill	Centennial HS Media Center	Create, Collaborate, Connect
CTE/Tech Ed	HS Foundations of Technology Teachers	Lexi Couch	Reservoir HS Engineering and Tech Ed Classrooms	Rigorous Standards and Best Practices in Foundations of Technology
CTE/Computer Science	AP Computer Science Teachers	Sharon Kramer Reg Hahne	Howard HS Room 200	Performance Tasks in Preparation for the AP Computer Science Exam
CTE/Business Education	HS Accounting and Business Design and Development Teachers	Sharon Kramer Bernadette Bechta Mary Metzler	Howard HS Room A215	Performance Tasks in the Accounting Academy
ESOL	HS ESOL Teachers	Maha Abdelkader	Mt. Hebron HS	Best Practices for Working with Newcomers
Gifted and Talented	HS GT Resource Teachers	Debbie Blum Karen Saunderson	Mt. Hebron HS	Developing Authentic Products: Creativity in the G/T Research Program
Health Education	HS Health Education Teachers	Tempe Beall	Centennial HS	Focus on Shifts in Quality Health Education
Music	HS Band, Chorus, and Strings Teachers	Ben Denne James Ellis Brett Rankin Chris Hettenbach	Various high schools	Increased Rigor in Music Ensembles, SLO Implementation, Teacher Evaluation, Marching Band, High School Assessments and Articulation, and Collaborative Concerts
Physical Education	HS Lifetime Fitness and Strength and Conditioning Teachers	Michael Senisi	Centennial HS	Focus on Shifts in Quality Physical Education
Secondary Language Arts	HS Grade 9 Seminar Teachers	Nancy Czarnecki	Central Office Challenger	Rigorous Instruction at All Levels
Secondary Language Arts	Non-Tenured First-Year High School English Teachers	Zeleana Morris	Wilde Lake HS	Rigorous Instruction
Secondary Language Arts	High School Reading Specialists	Heidi Maciulla Melissa Mack	Central Office ML-2	Using Data to Guide Instruction and Increase Rigor
Secondary Mathematics	Math Design Teachers	Bill Barnes	Long Reach HS	Phase 2 for Math Design
Secondary Mathematics	Algebra I Teachers	Bill Barnes	Long Reach HS	Preparing for Rigorous Assessments in Algebra I
Secondary Mathematics	Algebra II Teachers	Jenny Novak	Long Reach HS	Preparing for Rigorous Assessments in Algebra II
Secondary Science	HS Science Teachers	Mary Weller Nate' Hall	Various high schools	Crosscutting Concepts and the Next Generation Science Classroom
Secondary Social Studies	HS Social Studies Instructional Team Leaders	Mark Stout Reene Bos	Mt. Hebron HS	Curriculum Updates and C3 Framework
World Languages	HS World Language Teachers	Leslie Grahn Jennifer Cornell World Language ITLs	Various high schools	Rigor and Acceleration in World Languages through Literacy