News Release: PGCPS Prepares Principals, Assistant Principals and New Teachers

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Prince George's County Public Schools (PGCPS) Office of Talent Development presents its annual leadership institute and new teacher-training program. Themed, "Striving for Academic Excellence Through a Lens on Literacy," the programs are aimed to strengthen the skill sets of principals and assistant principals, while also informing them about systemic instructional priorities and initiatives.

The Summer Leadership Institute (SLI) for principals is scheduled for August 3-5 at The William F. Bolger Center, located at 9600 Newbridge Drive, Potomac, MD, 20854. Sessions will run daily from 7:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. SLI for assistant principals is scheduled for August 12 and August 13, at Northwestern High School, located at 7000 Adelphi Rd, Hyattsville MD 20782. Sessions will run daily from 7:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

In addition to SLI, there is a Professional Educator Induction Program (PEIP) for teachers new to Prince George's County Public Schools. Beginning teachers have two opportunities to participate in pre-service training designed to prepare them for the start of the school year. Led by master teachers and teacher leaders, the New Teacher Boot Camp will engage new educators in hands-on learning experiences that are tailored to their needs. This four-day induction program is scheduled for August 3-6, from 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at Barack Obama Elementary School, located at 12700 Brooke Lane, Upper Marlboro, MD 20772.

On August 10-12, at Oxon Hill High School, PEIP continues with content-focused sessions and an opportunity for new teachers to explore important systemic initiatives. Light morning refreshments will be provided on the opening day of PEIP, and lunch will be available for purchase onsite daily. PEIP sessions are scheduled from 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. each day.

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