

SCSC 2013-14 Annual Training Agenda

School Governance

Invited: Governing board members and administrators

- Roles and responsibilities of school board members and administrators
- Ethics
- School funding and budgets, audit requirements
- Strategic planning
- Succession planning
- Presenters: Georgia Charter Schools Association, Georgia School Boards Association, SCSC Staff
- Timeline: December 9-10, 2013
- Location: Emory Conference Center, Atlanta, Georgia

Governmental Accounting Series

Invited: School Business Managers

- Basics of governmental accounting
- Presenter: Carl Vinson Institute
- Timeline: January 14-16, 2014
- Location: Georgia Department of Early Care and Learning, Atlanta, Georgia

Boot Camp for Potential Petitioners

Invited: Potential SCSC Petitioners

- What makes a successful charter petition?
- Presenters: SCSC, external consultants, successful state charters
- Timeline: January 27, 2014
- Location: Georgia Tech Hotel & Conference Center

State-level Initiatives, Reporting Expectations, and Other Requirements

Invited: Governing board members and administrators

- Annual reporting timeline
- State-level initiatives – CCRPI, Teacher Keys Effectiveness System, SLDS, SLOs
- Title Programs and IDEA
- Presenters: GaDOE, GOSA, expert counsel
- Timeline: February
- Location: TBD

Using data to drive student achievement

Invited: Administrators and teachers

- Overview of SLDS and portal
- Presentations on using data in the classroom to inform student achievement
- Innovative interventions and remediation
- Presenters: External experts, GaDOE, GOSA
- Timeline: March
- Location: TBD

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Best Practices in the Charter Community

Invited: Governing board members, administrators, relevant school personnel and community members

- School recruitment (students and staff)
- How to promote community involvement in your school
- Fundraising initiatives/grant opportunities
- Highlight effective practices/innovation
- Break-out groups for schools with focus areas – virtual schools, subject-area focus
- Presenters: Successful charter schools, business community representatives, philanthropic community representatives
- Timeline: April
- Location: TBD

Boot Camp for Newly Approved State Charters

Invited: Governing boards and administrators

- Expectations of state charters
- Overview of operational procedures and funding streams
- Governance principles
- Presenters: SCSC, expert consultant
- Timeline: May
- Location: TBD