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Dear Colleagues,

It is that time of year again when we make plans for our summer professional development sessions. The following pages are the options for this summer's workshops. There is also a session description list provided. Please take the time to review the information and select the workshop(s) you would like to attend. Complete the registration form, last form in this packet, and return it to your principal by May 8, 2009. We will be sending you a summer information packet with your selection of workshops and any materials you may need to take with you to the session.

Some of our summer presenters include: Reading/Writing Consultant - Pat Chrisley, Promethean Sessions - Leslie Lowe, Matt Barfield, Leo Gallant, ETV – Donna Thompson, Brack Clemons, SchoolRoom & Discus – Amanda Stone, Ruth Thompson, Health – CATCH and Take 10 - Lara Peck, ADHD & Divergent Learners - Shirley Bausmith and Tracy Meetze (FMU professors), SC Geographic Alliance – Monti Caughman, Advanced Creative Curriculum – Gayle Morris, SCCEE – Financial Fitness for Life – Lori Dickes, Destiny Training – Amanda Cullars, Ella Plummer, MetaMetrics – Lexile presentation, Geocaching, Microsoft Excel, Podcasting for Beginners - Kevin Merritt, Arts Integration - Christine Fischer (Winthrop Professor), and TAP – Melesia Walden, Patricia Chandler. As you can see, we have numerous well-known folks willing to present their areas of expertise with you.

There are a few sessions which have not been confirmed yet. There are Middle School and High School science sessions on writing assessments (SA), using questioning (SB), and inquiry skills (SC) with Martha Fout as a presenter, Echalk (E) sessions, and Classworks (C) sessions. If these are of interest, make a note at the bottom of the registration form and we will contact you as soon as we have definite information.

If we have any cancellations or if any other “kinks” should arise, we will contact you so you can make another selection or adjustment to your schedule. If you should have an emergency and will be unable to attend, please be sure to call either Penny or myself.

If you have any questions concerning any of these sessions, please feel free to contact Penny Moore or myself at the above numbers and extensions.

Thank you for all you continue to do for our children of Florence District Three.

**Summer Professional Development Schedule
Florence County School District Three
July 14-16, 2009**

Monday, July 13 & Monday, July 27

Coaching for Master Teachers

8:00-3:00

Sandra Lindsay

Tuesday, July 14

All Day Sessions: 8:00-3:15

TALL1 - Advanced Creative Curriculum – 4K/5K

TALL2 - Using Lexiles to Differentiate Instruction (limited to 50)

8:00-10:00

T1A - 50 Ways to Use Streamline Video

T1B - Knowitall - Elementary

T1C - Guided Reading Groups...Flexible is the Key - Grades 1-3

T1D - Promethean Board – **ActivExpression**: Taking Formative Assessment to the Next Level

T1E - Promethean Board – **ActiVote**: Taking Formative Assessment to the Next Level

T1F - Promethean Board - **ActivInspire**: Getting Started Foundation Skills

T1G - Geographic Alliance – SS Standards and SS Literacy Elements – Grades 1-2

T1H - Integrating Arts into the Curriculum – Middle School

T1I - Financial Fitness for Life – Elementary Curriculum K-2

~~T1J – TAP Master Teachers IGP~~

T1K – Geocaching

T1L – New Fads in Teen Alcohol Use and Prescription Drugs

10:15-12:15

T2A - MovieMaker – High School

T2B - Know-it-all – Middle School/High School

T2C - Guided Reading Groups...Flexible is the Key - Grades 1-3 (repeat session)

T2D - Promethean Board – **ActivExpression**: Taking Formative Assessment to the Next Level (repeat session)

T2E - Promethean Board – **ActiVote**: Taking Formative Assessment to the Next Level (repeat session)

T2F - Promethean Board - **ActivInspire**: Getting Started Foundation Skills (repeat session)

T2G - Geographic Alliance – SC Geography – Grades 3 and 8

T2H - Integrating Arts into the Curriculum - Elementary

T2I - Financial Fitness for Life – Elementary curriculum Grades 3-5

T2J – Microsoft Excel

T2K - New Fads in Teen Alcohol Use and Prescription Drugs

1:15-3:15

T3A - How to Use Streamline Teacher Tools/Builders

T3B - Streamline Basic Searches, Images, Songs, EXTRAS

T3C - Words, Words, and Words ... What Words Do I Teach? – Grades 1-3

T3D - Promethean Board – Advanced Promethean Tips and Tricks-**must have Foundations Certificate**

T3E - Promethean Board – Advanced Promethean Tips and Tricks-**must have Foundations Certificate**

T3F - Promethean Board - Flipchart Creation and Promethean Planet

T3G - Geographic Alliance – Geography in a world cultures curriculum – Grades 6-7

T3H - Integrating Arts into the Curriculum – High School

T3I - Financial Fitness for Life – Economic Websites Information

T3J – Podcasting for Beginners

T3K - New Fads in Teen Alcohol Use and Prescription Drugs

Wednesday, July 15

All Day Sessions – 8:00-3:15

WALL1 - Advanced Creative Curriculum – 4K/5K

WALL2 - CATCH – LCE (must have a minimum of 10 people, to include PE, health, and an Administrator, to receive the kit)

WALL3 - CATCH – MSE (must have a minimum of 10 people, to include PE, health, and an Administrator, to receive the kit)

~~WALL4 – Using Lexiles to Differentiate Instruction – seating limited to 50~~

8:00-10:00

W1A - SchoolRoom – Elementary

W1B - MovieMaker – High School (repeat session)

W1C - CareerAisle – Guidance Counselors and others working with careers

W1D - Discuss – Middle School

W1E - TAKE 10 – Elementary

W1F - Promethean Board – Flipchart Creation and Promethean Planet (repeat session)

W1G - Promethean Board – Flipchart Creation and Promethean Planet (repeat session)

W1H - Promethean Board - **ActivExpression**: Taking Formative Assessment to the Next Level (repeat session)

W1I - Geographic Alliance – Five Themes of Geography and Mental Mapping – Grades 4-5

W1J - Financial Fitness for Life – Middle School curriculum 6-8

W1K - Words, Words, and Words ... What Words Do I Teach? – Grades 4-5

W1L - TAP Master Teacher Roundtable

W1M – Geocaching (repeat session)

~~W1N – New Fads in Teen Alcohol Use and Prescription Drugs~~

10:15-12:15

W2A - SchoolRoom – Middle School

W2B - Digital Storytelling

W2C - MovieMaker – Elementary

W2D - Discuss – High School

W2E - TAKE 10 – Elementary (repeat session)

W2F - Promethean Board – Flipchart Creation and Promethean Planet (repeat session)

W2G - Promethean Board – Flipchart Creation and Promethean Planet (repeat session)

W2H - Promethean Board - ActivInspire: Getting Started Foundation Skills (repeat session)

W2I - Geographic Alliance - SS Standards and SS Literacy Elements – Grades 1-2

W2J - Financial Fitness for Life – High School 9-12

W2K - Teaching the Writing Process... Modeling, Modeling, Modeling! Grades 3-5

W2L – Podcasting for Beginners (repeat session)

~~W2M – New Fads in Teen Alcohol Use and Prescription Drugs~~

T1J – TAP Master Teachers - IGP

1:15-3:15

W3A - SchoolRoom – High School

W3B - Streamline Teacher Tools/Builders (repeat session)

W3C - MovieMaker – Middle School

W3D - Discuss – Elementary

W3E - TAKE 10 – Elementary (repeat session)

W3F - Promethean Board – Flipchart Creation and Promethean Planet (repeat session)

W3G - Promethean Board – Flipchart Creation and Promethean Planet (repeat session)

W3H - Promethean Board - ActivInspire: Getting Started Foundation Skills (repeat session)

W3I - Geographic Alliance - SC Geography – Grades 3 and 8 – will receive SC Interactive Geography CD

W3J - Financial Fitness for Life – Economic Websites (repeat session from Tuesday)

W3K - Teaching the Writing Process... Modeling, Modeling, Modeling! Grades 6-8

W3L – Microsoft Excel (repeat session)

~~W3M – New Fads in Teen Alcohol Use and Prescription Drugs~~

Thursday, July 16

All Day Sessions: 8:00-3:15

RALL1 - Advanced Creative Curriculum – 4K/5K

RALL2 - CATCH – JCL (must have a minimum of 10 people, to include PE, health, and an Administrator, to receive the kit)

RALL3 - CATCH – SES/OES (must have a minimum of 10 people, to include PE, health, and an Administrator, to receive the kit)

RALL4 - Mentor Training for School Induction Mentors

8:00-10:00

R1A - TAKE 10 – Elementary (repeat session)

R1B - Have You Ever Met the Divergent Learner?/ADHD: Facts and Myths

R1C - Shared Reading–How to Effectively Use Grade Level or Age Appropriate Text with ALL Students-Grs. 3-6

R1D - Promethean Board – Flipchart Creation and Promethean Planet (repeat session)

R1E - Promethean Board – Advanced Promethean Tips and Tricks-**must have Foundations Certificate**

R1F - Promethean Board - ActivInspire: Getting Started Foundation Skills (repeat session)

R1G - Geographic Alliance - SS Standards and SS Literacy Elements – Grades 1-2

R1H - Financial Fitness for Life – Elementary K-5

R1I - Destiny Training – High School

R1J – Destiny Training – Elementary school

R1K – Geocaching (repeat session)

~~R1L – New Fads in Teen Alcohol Use and Prescription Drugs~~

10:15-12:15

R2A - TAKE 10 – Elementary (repeat session)

R2B - Self Selected Reading...Not Recreational Reading – Grades 3-5

R2C - Promethean Board – Flipchart Creation and Promethean Planet

R2D - Promethean Board – Advanced Promethean Tips and Tricks-**must have Foundations Certificate**

R2E - Promethean Board - ActivExpression: Taking Formative Assessment to the Next Level

R2F - Geographic Alliance - SC Geography – Grades 3 and 8

R2G - Financial Fitness for Life – Grade 6-12

R2H - Destiny Training – Elementary (repeat session)

R2I – Destiny Training – Middle School

R2J – Podcasting for Beginners (repeat session)

R2K – TAP Master Teachers – Modeling Differentiated Instruction in Cluster

~~R2L – New Fads in Teen Alcohol Use and Prescription Drugs~~

1:15-3:15

R3A - TAKE 10 – Elementary (repeat session)

R3B - Self Selected Reading...Not Recreational Reading - Grades 6-8

R3C - Promethean Board – Flipchart Creation and Promethean Planet

R3D - Promethean Board – Advanced Promethean Tips and Tricks-**must have Foundations Certificate**

R3E - Promethean Board - ActiVote: Taking Formative Assessment to the Next Level (repeat session)

R3F - Geographic Alliance - Five Themes of Geography and Mental Mapping – Grades 4-5

R3G - Financial Fitness for Life – Economic Websites (repeat session from Tues. & Wed.)

R3H - Destiny Training – Middle School (repeat session)

R3I - Destiny Training – High School (repeat session)

R3J – Microsoft Excel (repeat session)

~~R3K – New Fads in Teen Alcohol Use and Prescription Drugs~~

ActivExpression: Taking Formative Assessment to the Next Level

Learn how to register devices and create opportunities for formative assessment in any classroom using ActivExpression devices. Challenge students with multiple-choice, text/numeric response, sort in order, likert scales and more. Focus goes beyond question answering into higher order questioning, peer assessment, and so much more! Limited to 15 participants

ActivInspire: Getting Started Foundation Skills

Just getting started? Learn the basics of Interactive Technology in the classroom and obtain hands on experience with the most commonly used tools in the software. This session will also offer a brief overview of Promethean Planet and ActivLearning. Limited to 15 participants

ActiVote: Taking Formative Assessment to the Next Level

Learn how to register devices and create opportunities for formative assessment in any classroom using ActiVotes. These formative assessment opportunities go beyond multiple choice and delve into higher order questioning, peer assessment, and so much more! Limited to 15 participants

Advanced Promethean Tips and Tricks-Utilizing advanced features of the ActivSoftware allows educators to let their lessons explode into a vibrant, multifaceted learning environment that provides opportunities for student engagement. This session will explore some of those advanced features, including containers, restrictors, and actions. Attendees will learn how to use these techniques to revitalize flipcharts and dazzle students of all ages! **YOU MUST HAVE YOUR PROMETHEAN FOUNDATIONS COURSE CERTIFICATE.** Limited to 15 participants

CATCH Training includes a \$1000 school kit with a minimum of 10 school participants – A proven Coordinated School Health Program designed to promote physical activity, healthy food choices, and prevent tobacco use.

Destiny - This workshop will look at the programs available for use by teachers, parents and students through the Destiny Library program. Participants will look at *Standards Search* and *WebPath Express* which links to current books located in school libraries and websites pertaining to the topic or academic standard of study. (Amanda Cullars)

Financial Fitness for Life – The Financial Fitness for Life Curriculum consists of high quality materials that assist students from kindergarten to grade 12 make better decisions for earning income, and spending, saving, borrowing, investing, and managing their money. The materials at the four levels (grades K-2, 3-5, 6-8, and 9-12) focus on a fitness theme. Participants will receive this curriculum free of charge.

Five Themes of Geography and Mental Mapping – Grades 4-5 - This session will focus on the five themes of geography and mental mapping. Participants will learn about the five themes and how they are imbedded throughout the SC Social Studies Standards and the SC Social Studies Literacy Elements. Participants will learn how to use appropriate literary genres, such as historical fiction, biographies, and diaries, to effectively teach geography using the five themes framework. Participants will participate in an activity using children's literature that will also give them the opportunity to make cross-curriculum connections. Participants will learn about mental mapping and current research concerning spatial intelligence. Select titles will be shared that support instruction in making maps, teach map elements and different perspectives. Participants will complete a map activity that includes the essential map elements. Connections to the standards and literacy elements will be shared. The CD-ROM Map Folio will be demonstrated and each participant will receive a copy. (Monti Caughman)

Flipchart Creation and Promethean Planet

Want to know more about creating flipcharts from scratch? Join this session to revisit Promethean Planet, search for lessons online and edit the lessons. Hands on training will review the basics of flipchart creation, layering tricks, text editing, using existing resources and adding personal resources to the library. Limited to 15 participants

Geocaching – A HIGH TECH SCAVENGER HUNT - Come join Kevin Merritt for a primer on the hottest new outdoor activity - Geocaching. You will learn all about GPS (Global Positioning System) and actually go outside to find some hidden treasure with handheld GPS units. Learn how to use www.geocaching.com <<http://www.geocaching.com/>> as your treasure map and jumping-off point for the great adventure. Ideas and sample lessons will be given to participants to help them go back and use this engaging activity in their own classrooms. Limited to 15 participants

Geography in a world cultures curriculum – Grades 6-7 - This session will focus on geography in a world cultures curriculum. Participants will discover how to integrate informational text, historic and current maps, and other primary documents to engage students in learning content included in SC's Social Studies Academic Standards. Specific strategies will be shared for making connections with the language arts curriculum as well as websites for using technology to enhance instruction. Participant will receive a map of Africa and the SCGA poster "Physical and Cultural Landscapes of Africa". (*Monti Caughman*)

Guided Reading Groups...Flexible is the Key – This workshop will discuss the purpose of Guided Reading Groups and their place in a balanced Literacy Model. Participants will also learn what to do during the small group time to be sure that students move along the literacy continuum becoming fluent readers. (*presented by Pat Chrisley*)

Lexile – This full day Lexile hands-on workshop will show teachers how to actually differentiate instruction with specific strategies across content areas. (*presented by MetaMetrics*)

Microsoft Excel – EXCEL FOR PEOPLE WHO DON'T EXCEL AT EXCEL - Kevin Merritt will show participants how to set up and use some basic Excel spreadsheets. Formatting techniques, sorting, and basic formulas will be taught. Learn how to use spreadsheets to collect and sort data, create graphs and charts, and "color code" data for "at-a-glance" analysis. A very useful handout with step-by-step instructions for some of these techniques will be provided. Limited to 15 participants

Podcasting for Beginners – If you are new to the concept of podcasting, then this session is for you. Kevin Merritt will walk participants through the process of making their own podcast. He will show how to create a script, record and edit the audio file, and publish the podcast so that others may download and listen to it. Podcasting is a great way for students and teachers to share lectures, book reports, speeches, stories, or any other information that spoken words would convey. Step-by-step handouts will be provided. NO iPod skills required!!! Limited to 15 participants

SC Geography - Grades 3 and 8 - This session will focus on teaching about South Carolina's geography. We will discuss the five themes of geography using primary source documents and assorted literary genres with emphasis on SC's history. Participants will also use *SC: An Atlas* to find examples of the five themes and make connections to the SC Social Studies Standards and SC Social Studies Literacy Elements. Each participant will receive a copy of the atlas. Hands on activities for teaching SC's geography and SC Daily Geography will be shared. In addition, activities from the CD-ROMS SCIG (SC Interactive Geography) and (SC Interactive Geography Lessons for Elementary Teachers) will be demonstrated. Participants will receive copies of the cds, also. (*Monti Caughman*)

SchoolRoom - is a new K-12 online multimedia discovery place for South Carolina students, teachers, parents and librarians! SchoolRooms provides resources, built around school curriculum, to assist students with homework and school projects. Search your library's catalog, educational websites, and selected DISCUS databases all at once. Designed not just for students, SchoolRooms includes practical and relevant guides to assist parents, educators, and librarians.

Self-Selected Reading...Not Recreational Reading – This workshop will discuss the purpose of Independent Reading and its place in the Balanced Literacy Model. Participants will learn how to conduct a reading conference, organization tips and other strategies to help students become lifelong readers. Grs. 3-5 and 6-8 *(presented by Pat Chrisley)*

Shared Reading – How to Effectively Use Grade Level or Age Appropriate Text with ALL Students – Grs. 3-6 - This workshop will look at the Shared Reading component of the Balanced Literacy Model. Participants will learn strategies for ensuring all students are successful and actively involved in analyzing text. *(presented by Pat Chrisley)*

SS Standards and SS Literacy Elements – Grades 1-2 - This session will focus on the five themes of geography and mental mapping. Participants will learn about the five themes and how they are imbedded throughout the SC Social Studies Standards and the SC Social Studies Literacy Elements. Participants will learn how to use children's literature to effectively teach geography using the five themes framework. Participants will participate in an activity using children's literature that will also give them the opportunity to make cross-curriculum connections. Participants will learn about mental mapping and current research concerning spatial intelligence. Select titles will be shared that support instruction in making maps, teach map elements and different perspectives. Participants will complete a make and take map activity appropriate for the primary classroom. Again, connections to the standards and literacy elements will be shared. *(Monti Caughman)*

TAKE 10 – This is a classroom-based physical activity program for kindergarten through fifth grade. TAKE 10 is a curriculum tool created by teachers for teachers and students. This session is for all Elementary classroom teachers and PE teachers. This is one way to guarantee the required physical activity minutes needed for your students. Each school has already received the TAKE 10 program. Check with your PE teachers. Every classroom teacher should attend this session for Health activities to integrate throughout the course of the day. *(Lara Peck)*

Teaching the Writing Process...Modeling, Modeling, Modeling! This workshop will show how to get organized to teach ALL students the writing process. Participants will learn about conferencing on roller-skates, writing graphic organizers, revision and editing mini-lessons and other effective writing practices. Grs. 3-5 and Grs. 6-8 *(presented by Pat Chrisley)*

Words, Words, and Words...What Words Do I Teach? This workshop will discuss the purpose of the Word Component in a Balanced Literacy Model. Participants will review the importance of Word Walls and how they relate to writing. Participants will also learn about concept words, vocabulary and word analysis strategies. Grs. 1-3 and Grs. 4-5 *(presented by Pat Chrisley)*

Summer Professional Development Registration Form Florence County School District Three July 14-16, 2009

Name _____ School _____ 09-10 Grade Level Teaching _____

Summer Telephone Number _____ (for cancellation purposes only)

Certified _____
 _____ Stipend
 _____ CEU credit
 \$30 per session or all day \$100

Classified _____
 _____ Stipend
 _____ CEU credit, if applicable
 \$20 per session or all day \$75

Please enter the 3-4 digit code found in front of the listed session of your choice.
 Example: RALL1 - Advanced Creative Curriculum – 4K/5K – Enter beside ALL DAY Session - RALL1
 Example: T1A - 50 Ways to Use Streamline Video – Enter beside Tuesday Session 1 – T1A

I will attend the following sessions:

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

Tuesday, July 14, 2009

Wednesday, July 15, 2009

Thursday, July 16, 2009

ALL DAY Session _____

ALL DAY Session _____

ALL DAY Session _____

Or

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Session 1 _____

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I am interested in the possible sessions of _____ should they become available.
Put in the codes from the letter above.

I calculate my stipend to be \$ _____ or my CEU credits to be _____ (1 credit per 1 hour)