



What's going on in Region 2 Summer 2017 !



Serving the schools of Region 2:

**Athens City, Limestone County, Decatur City, Morgan County, Hartselle City,
Lawrence County, Cullman City, Cullman County, Blount County, and Oneonta City**

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Regional In-Service Center Governing Board

Interested in serving the board and assisting with selecting professional development policies, and helping choose the path our Regional In-Service Center is taking? Contact us! We will be taking nominations for vacancies in the following positions:

Administrator, Large System

Administrator, Small System

Teacher, Small System

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Fractional Number Talks

With Sherry Parrish
For Teachers Grades 3-8

Fluency with Fractional Reasoning-
Critical foundation for determining
success in higher mathematics

When:

July 18, 2017

8:00am—3:00 pm

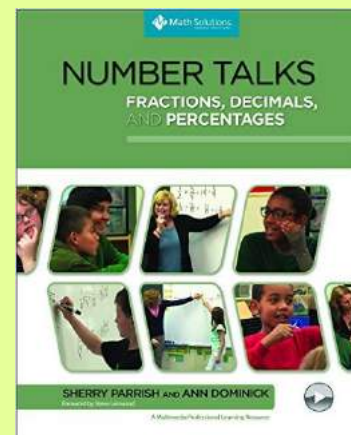
Where:

Jackson Center
6001 Moquin Dr.
Huntsville, AL 35801

REGISTER NOW! (Space is limited)

Register via link below

<https://tinyurl.com/k tcb8zd>



@Numbertalks

Number Talk— A Five to fifteen minute classroom conversation around purposefully crafted problems that are solved mentally Helping Children build Mental Math and Computation

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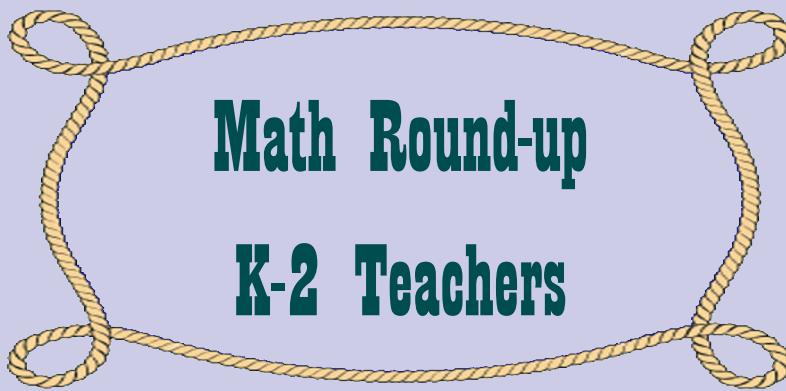
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Questions?

Contact: Holly Wood

256.233.6569



Gear up for amazing math training with two nationally sought-after math gurus!

Sherry Parrish, Number Talks & Graham Fletcher, 3 Act Tasks

When:

**July 19, 2017
8:00am—3:00 pm**

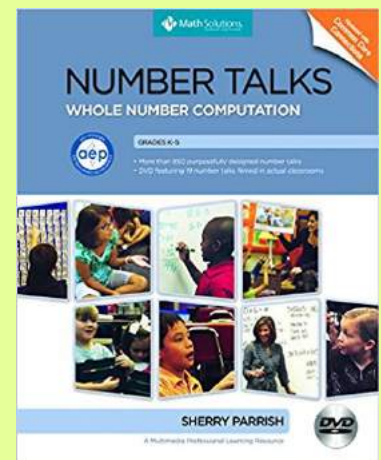
Where:

**Jackson Center
6001 Moquin Dr.
Huntsville, AL 35801**

Register via link below

<https://tinyurl.com/lhgevwc>

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**Number Talks: Helping
Children build Mental
Math and Computation**



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<https://Gfletchy.com>



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3rd-5th Grade Teachers Math Round-up

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Graham Fletcher, 3 Act Tasks
&
Sherry Parrish, Number Talks

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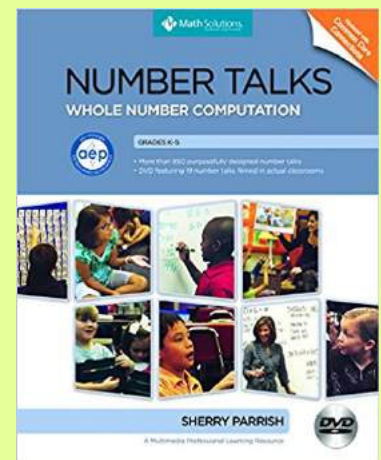
Where:

Jackson Center
6001 Moquin Dr.
Huntsville, AL 35801

REGISTER now via link below!

<https://tinyurl.com/lc69yeg>

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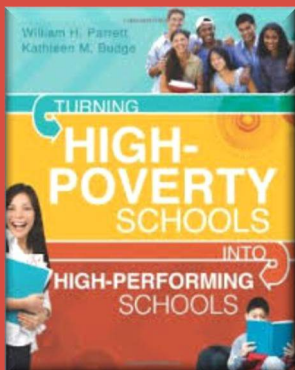
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Spotlight on Poverty with William Parrett

Turning High Poverty Schools into High Performing

July 20, 2017
8:30am—3:30 pm

*This is a 7 hour PD with lunch on-site for \$10. *

Wallace State College
Bailey Center, 12th Floor
Hanceville, AL

Lunch on-site featuring Tina Blankenship, principal of Speake Elementary. She will share her implementation of Mr. Parrett's premises and the effect on her community.

Register thru link below:

<https://tinyurl.com/mb7cca5>
(Space is Limited)

Presented by:

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In partnership with
JSU In-Service Center

**LUNCH IS \$10
CASH .**

**PAYMENT DUE AT
REGISTRATION JULY 20.**



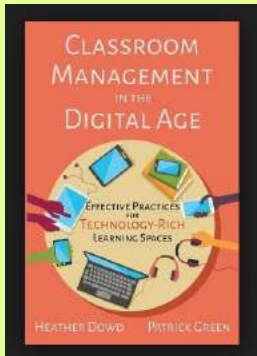


**Want professional learning you can
do in your PJs?**

Virtual book studies are here!

(Books provided to the first 20 applicants)

Register: <https://tinyurl.com/ly34zu2>



Classroom Management in the Digital Age:

Effective Practices for Technology- Rich Learning Spaces

Facilitator: Courtney Hamilton

Audience: All teachers

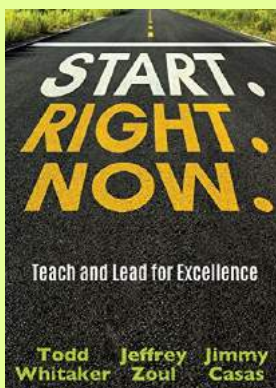
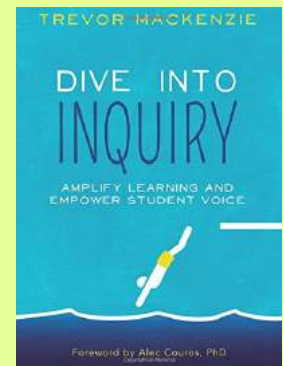
Classroom Management in the Digital Age offers teachers competency and confidence. If you have devices in your classroom already or if you're moving towards implementing tablets, iPads, Chromebooks, or any other device, Classroom Management in the Digital Age will partner with you in creating relevant classrooms where learning rules.

Dive Into Inquiry: Amplify Learning and Empower Student Voice

Facilitator: Courtney Hamilton

Audience: All teachers

Trevor MacKenzie provides readers with a strong understanding of the Types of Student Inquiry and proposes a framework that best prepares both educators and learners for sharing the unpacking of curriculum in the classroom as they work together towards co-constructing a strong Free Inquiry unit. Helpful illustrations for in-class use, examples of essential questions from a variety of disciplines, practical goals for making progress in adopting inquiry into your practice, and powerful student learning on display throughout, Dive into Inquiry will energize, inspire, and transform your classroom!



Start. Right. Now.

Dates: 6/12-7/21

Facilitator: Stacy Hughes

Audience: Secondary Teachers

Are you ready to take the first step toward excellence? If so, join this book study! What does it take to be the very best teacher—or the very best leader? What sets excellent educators apart from their peers? And how can you join their ranks? In their work leading up to their newest book, *Start. Right. Now.* Todd Whitaker, Jeff Zoul, and Jimmy Casas studied educators from across the nation and discovered four key behaviors of excellence. Wherever you are on your journey as an educator, choose to become even greater still—our kids are worth it. *Start. Right. Now.*

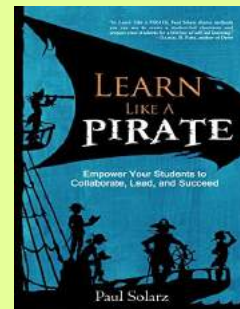
Features a Skype conversation with the Author!

Learn Like a Pirate

Facilitator: Stacy Hughes

Audience: Elementary Teachers

Join our book study of Paul Solarz's book, *Learn Like a PIRATE: Empower Your Students to Collaborate, Lead and Succeed*, which highlights how teachers can encourage student empowerment and leadership!. 2015 Teacher Prize 50 finalist Paul Solarz is known for his innovative, tech-based methods encouraging his students to become global citizens. His blog is renowned for exploring the differences in education systems around the world in an effort to help the American education system be more successful.



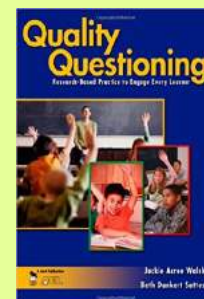
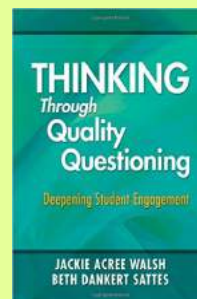
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Features a Skype conversation with the Author, and autographed copy of the book!

Quality Questioning Blended PLG

(July 24, 2017-May 2018)~ Facilitated by Rochelle Biffle

This virtual and face-to-face PLG is a great opportunity for teachers of all subjects. Join in for a year of learning by doing! "Teachers question their students to advance thinking and learning." But what if we are asking the wrong questions to improve thinking in the classroom. Join us for a book study of *Quality Questioning* a research based book written to engage every learner by Jackie Acree Walsh and Beth Dankert Sattes to improve our Questioning skills in order to improve student thinking.



Registration for the following In-Service Center Programs is through the link below. All registrations will receive a confirmation email for each session they select.

<https://tinyurl.com/kf4yuav>

All sessions will be held at the AMSTI-/In-Service Center unless otherwise noted.

Purposeful, Authentic Writing with Rick Shelton

Date: July 12, 2017 **Time:** 8:30am-3:30pm

Location: AMSTI-/In-Service Center

We will take a close look at the kinds of questions teachers can use to engage students as they plan and write in various modes. These questions will be used in both group and individual writing, and participants will learn how to apply them in gradually releasing responsibility to their students for their own writing. We will explore how these questions can be employed across the curriculum, including as catalysts for math journaling. Writing can be done in settings that best inspire your students. Meet them where they are....





Register: <https://tinyurl.com/l8dwkr6>

Online Registration Link



July 10-14, 2017

Mobile, AL

More at information:

<https://tinyurl.com/n6d35fu>

Register:

<https://tinyurl.com/n4yo2gp>



Gulf Regional Innovative Teaching Conference

July 24 - 27, 2017

Fairhope Middle School
Two Pirate Drive Fairhope, AL

Registration Begins, May 1

Alabama eLearning free classes

[http://elearning-atim.cc/Registration/
course_schedule.htm](http://elearning-atim.cc/Registration/course_schedule.htm)

Alabama ACTE Summer Conference
August 1-3, 2017
Birmingham, AL



<https://tinyurl.com/mmxudnh>



North Alabama Summit

June 2 - 3, 2016

Location: Florence High School

Register: <https://tinyurl.com/k62okg7>

**The Gulf Coast Conference
on the Teaching of Writing**
**June 26– June 29,
2017**

Sandestin Golf and Beach Resort
Destin, Florida

<https://tinyurl.com/l42v4v2>

**\$120 Pre-Registration or \$165 On-Site
Registration**

**(Registration includes: Keynotes, Writing
Workshops, Concurrent
Sessions, Morning Breaks,
Tuesday Luncheon, and
Wednesday Lunch.)**





Looking for collaboration & support as a school team/club sponsor?

We are creating coaching communities to allow sponsors in similar topic areas to share ideas and support each other in their endeavors. The link below will take you to a form where you put in basic information. We will sort the information and create virtual groups. It is our goal to have one person moderate each group and lend their experience to the community!

<https://tinyurl.com/mwauv8q>

Does your school need support?

The In-Service Center sponsors PD days, book studies, and other professional learning! Please complete the form below that fits your request to
holly.wood@athens.edu.

The requests will be reviewed and presented to the RIC Board for approval when funds are available.

Our General Request & Book Study Request forms can be found here:
<https://tinyurl.com/kx7p64y>

Want to know when we announce new professional learning opportunities? Sign-up thorough the link below to receive our notifications, and quarterly newsletter!

<https://tinyurl.com/lh4fyba>



<http://www.athens.edu/cll/catalogs/>



National Board Scholarship Winners for Region 2

Yolanda Hampton

Jennifer Priest

Kathey Stults

Jamie Dutton

Blakely Pemberton

Theresa Kelly

Hannah Maze

Christ Hackerott

Kimberly Hargett

Brent Hill



Join our Candidate Support Program!

Groups of candidates will work with NBCT mentors by certification area to assist candidates through the NBCT process. This is a blended program with large group, small group and virtual meetings.

Register to participate:

<https://tinyurl.com/l5zkpgm>

Contact Holly Wood with questions.

256.233.6569 or holly.wood@athens.edu

<http://edcampnbct.weebly.com/>

Thu, June 22, 2017

8:30 AM – 4:00 PM CDT

Tuscaloosa Career & Technology Academy

EdcampNBCT is a day of free, participant-driven professional development that will give educators an opportunity to grow professionally while sharing our expertise with fellow NBCTs and candidates.

NBCT Candidate Support Mentor training date TBA. You must attend training to continue mentoring, or to join our candidate support team! To receive more information,

<https://tinyurl.com/lry4vbx>



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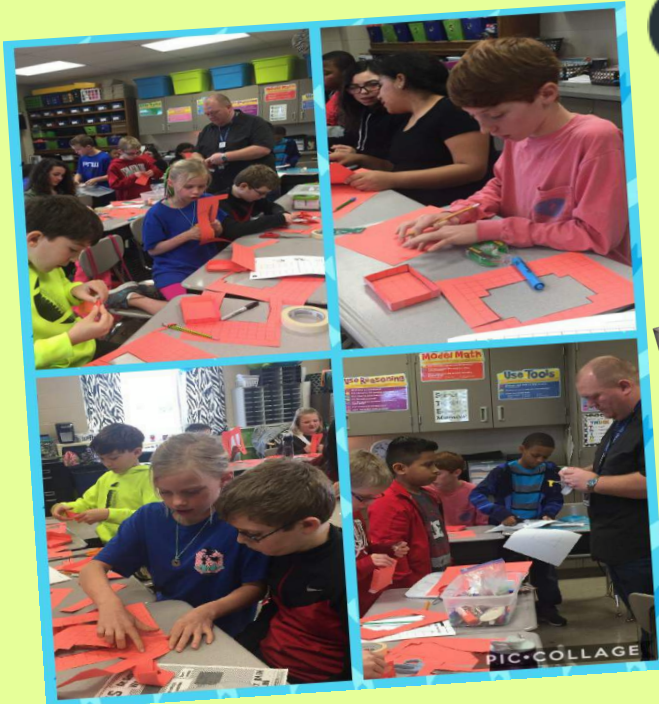
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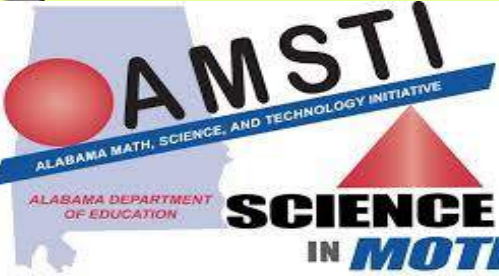
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@2daysmath




The AMSTI Warehouse






EQUIPMENT & SUPPLIES




ASIM provided \$515,000 in equipment and supplies to Alabama high school science teachers and students in one school year. But that is not our whole story.

ASIM SPECIALISTS ARE MASTER TEACHERS




All ASIM specialists are experts in their science content field and exemplary teachers. Building relationships, mentoring and supporting teachers is what we do.

CLASSROOM IMPACT




Every day last year, 147 ASIM lab activities were used in Alabama classrooms. That is 26,487 overall impact days for Alabama students!

TEACHER SUPPORT



All teachers who participate in Science in Motion receive training, materials and support for every impact day.

VALUE ADDED



- ASIM monetary value - \$9.9 million
- ASIM salaries - \$2.8 million
- Added value - \$7.1 million for specialist support to schools and students.

SOURCE: <https://www.asim.org/>

@SarahLowman

@McPetersC

@MRBiffle





ASIM Biology Summer Training Opportunities

Date: Tuesday 6/13 – Friday 6/16

Title: LTF/ASIM Training, Hartselle High School

Level 1 (ASIM Instructor – Jennifer Hutchison): Comparing Cell Structures & Organelles, Cell Size, Macromolecules: Structure and Function, Leaf Disk Photosynthesis, Cellular Respiration in Crickets, Expanded DNA Extraction, Dragon Genetics, L1Enzymes, Exponential Population Growth, Evolution of Antibiotic Resistance—**Credit for the previous ASIM labs will be given to LTF**

Level 2 (ASIM Instructor – Sarah Lowman): Osmosis Diffusion, The Cell Cycle, Designer Enzymes, Chromatography, Protein Synthesis Manipulative, Disorder Detectives, Predator Prey Relationships

Date: Monday 6/19 – Friday 6/30

Time: 8:30 am—3:30 pm

Location: Athens State University, Waters Hall, Room 302

Title: ASIM Biology Pre-Service Ten Day Training, New Teacher Training, and In-Service Teacher Update,

Attendees: **Pre-Service Students** must attend all ten days of the training to earn college credit,
In-Service Teachers and new teachers may attend any of or all of the ten day session.

6/19	ASIM Policies & Procedures, Website, Notebooking, Using the Microscopes, Observing Protists, Comparing Cell Structures
6/20	Homeostasis, Thirsty for Water, Absorption of Photosynthetic Pigment, Plants and Energy
6/21	Designer Enzymes, Protein Synthesis With Words, Manipulating DNA, Disorder Detectives
6/22	Pedigree Song & Alkaptonuria, Classification of Living Things, Physical Anthropology of Fossil Hominids,
6/23	Food Webs, Biomes, Bluegill, Biogeochemical Cycles
6/26	Macromolecules: Structure & Function, Osmosis & Diffusion, The Cell Cycle, Why Must Cells Be So Small?, Pass the Molecules, Please!
6/27	Protein Synthesis Manipulative, Dragon Genetics, Evolution of Antibiotic Resistance, Whale Evolution, Pass the Molecules, Please!
6/28	Caminicules, Owl Pellets, Predator Prey Relationships, Exponential Population Growth, Pass the Molecules, Please!
6/29	Estimating Leaf Stomata, Leaf Disk Photosynthesis, Cellular Respiration in Crickets, Pass the Molecules, Please!
6/30	Measuring Human Differences, Bones of the Human Body, Fly Now, Peppered Moth

Date: August 1 and 2

Title: Level 2 Lab Updates and Refresher, Athens State University In-Service Center Rooms B and C

Instructor: Sarah Lowman, ASIM Biology Content Specialist, STIPD #ATH-ASIM-BIOLABUP

8/1	Fly Now, Global Carbon, Onion Osmosis, Termite Symbiosis, Pass the Molecules, Please!
8/2	Blood Typing, Measuring Human Differences, Bones of the Human Skeleton, Urinalysis, Reproduction & Development



ASIM Chemistry SUMMER TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES

Date: Tuesday 6/13 – Friday 6/16

Title: LTF/ASIM Training, Hartselle High School Credit for the following ASIM labs will be given to LTF

Attendees:

Level 1 (ASIM Instructor – Candace Golliver/LTF Instructor - Danny Elegante)

Level 2 (ASIM Instructor – Rochelle Biffle/LTF Instructor - Kelly Wade)

Date: Monday 6/26 – Friday 6/30 Priceville High School

Title : ASIM Chemistry Year 2 Training 8:30 am – 3: 30 pm

STIPD # - ATH-ASIM-CHEM1

Date: Monday 7/10 – 7/21 Athens State University, Waters Hall Room #302

Title: ASIM Chemistry Pre-Service Ten Day Training, New Teacher Training, and In-Service Teacher Update,
Pre-Service Students must attend all ten days of the training to earn college credit,

In-Service Chemistry and Physical Science Teachers and new teachers may attend any of or all of the ten day session.

Instructor – Rochelle Biffle, ASIM Chemistry Content Specialist

STIPD # - ATH-ASIM-CHEM1

Agenda

Physical Science Days are in yellow

7/10	ASIM Policies & Procedures, Website, Notebooking, Skills: Tools for Understanding Matter, Measurement Challenge, Celsius to Fahrenheit
7/11	Lab Safety, 3 Dimensional Learning and 5E + IA Model, C4. Density of a Liquid, C4. Intensive and Extensive Properties, C3a. Periodic Trends
7/12	C1. History of the Atom , PS1. 6a. Journey into the Atom, C1. Excited Electrons , C2. Calculating Average Atomic Mass
7/13	C6a. Molarity, C9. Melting Points, C9. Extraction & Separation of Dyes
7/14	C3a. Bond Types and Physical Properties, C3b. Covalent Bonding and Lewis Structures, C3b. Molecular Shape and Polarity, C5. Chemical Reactions
7/17	PS5. Law of Conservation of Matter, PS3. C5. Chemical Changes, PS4. Using Indicators and the pH Scale, PS6. Half-Life, PS6a,b. Analyzing Radiation
7/18	C11a. Endo/Exothermic Reactions, C11. C11b. 3a. 4. Specific Heat of Metals, C11. C11b. Hand Warmer Calorimetry
7/19	C11. C11b. Energy Content from Foods, C8. Chemical Equilibrium, C10. Kinetic Molecular Theory
7/20	PS2. C7. Charles' Law , PS2. C7. Boyle's Law, C7a. Gay Lussac's Law, C7. C7b. Ideal Gas Law and Molar Volume,
7/21	C6d. Micro-titration of Vinegar, C6d. Acid Ionization, C6d.Titration Lab

Date: Wednesday – Friday, July 26 – 28 Year 2 ASIM Chemistry Training (last three days continued from June)

Date: Monday – Tuesday, July 31 – August 1 ASIM Chemistry Level 3 Training Athens State University In-service/AMSTI

STIPD # - ATH-ASIM-CHEM3



ASIM Physics Summer Training Opportunities

Date: Tuesday 6/20—Friday 6/23 and June 26-29, 2017

Time: 8:30 am—3:30 pm

Where: AMSTI Regional In-Service Center Hwy 31 South, Athens AL

Title: ASIM Physics Training – Year 2 Labs

STIPD Title #: *ASIM-ATH-PHYSL2*

Attendees: In-Service Teachers and new teachers may attend any of or all of the sessions.

Instructors: Carla McPeters, Dan O'Halloran, and Doreen Brisendine, ASIM Physics Content Specialists

AGENDA

6/20	Intro To Graphing (4 step method with Logger Pro), PHET Energy Forms and Changes, Heat Transfer, Mass Lifter
6/ 21	Cold Specific Heat, Simple Harmonic Motion, Wave Behavior, Vibrating String, Doppler Rocket Demo
6/22	Properties of Sound, Speed of Sound, Palm Pipes, Light Intensity
6/23	GPS, Spectrum of Stars, Plane and Curved Mirrors, Concave Mirrors
6/26	Snell's Law, Convex and Concave Lenses, Concave Lens, Double Slit Diffraction, Po-
6/27	Electricity Elicitation, A Sticky Situation, Pie Pan Neon Light, Electroscopes, Electric Field Mapping, PHET Charges and Fields, Van de Graaf Demos
6/28	Coulomb's Law Video Analysis, Circuit Basics, Discovering Ohm's Law, Resistors In Series
6/29	Resistors in Parallel, Kirchoff's Law, Magnetic Field Mapping, Electric Swing

I have been with the In-Service Center for the past 28 and half years. I began working at the Center in October of 1988 as the secretary, and I have served in every capacity and was named director in June 2015. I love working with our region of 10 school systems, and I believe that we have the best systems, superintendents, principals, teachers, and students in the state.

My husband of 47 years, George, is a CPA. We have 3 children: Dawn South and husband, John; Will Feigley and fiancé, Beth Hudson; and Mary Katherine Littrell and husband Adam. We have 5 beautiful grand children: Brynn and Maxlyn South; and Savannah, Ella and Jack Littrell. They keep us young!

One of my favorite things that the RIC has fostered, is The 7 Habits of Highly Effective People which captures the personal development that makes the Leader in Me possible in our schools. It has been amazing to watch the transformation of schools, teachers and students in these schools. My favorite LiM moment is when a principal in our region shared the change in one specific family in her school. The student went home, to the hotel that she lived in with her mother, who was an addict, and taught her mother the Seven Habits. One year later that mother met with the principal and shared her story of change. The family now had an apartment and she had a job. All because her child learned something life changing at school and brought those principles home. The possibilities of change are endless when we can teach the whole child. By fostering that child, that school grew a family, and that is what we are here to do. I am so proud that we can work together to help our children grow. I truly enjoy offering opportunities that help you to grow and improve your craft.

Sincere Regards,

Charlotte

Charlotte.feigley@athens.edu
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Charlotte & George



Grands- Savannah, Maxlyn, Ella, Jack, & Brynn



Will



Dawn & John



Mary Katherine & Adam

Meet Courtney, our new ATiM!

I am Courtney Winn Hamilton, and currently serve as the Instructional Specialists for Alabama Technology in Motion (ATiM) at the Region 2 Inservice Center on the campus of Athens State University.

A product of the Huntsville City School System, I am a graduate of Lee High School as a participant of the magnet program. I received my Bachelor of Arts in Elementary Education from Tuskegee University and a Masters of Education with a focus on Curriculum and Instruction from Nova Southeastern University. At present, I am working on a Doctorate in Education, my focus is Instructional Leadership. I am an avid learner who genuinely enjoys expanding my knowledge base and sharing it with others.



My career in education began in 2010 when I was employed by the Madison County School system as a first grade teacher. During my seven years there, I served in many capacities to include the Superintendent's Advisory Board Member, Minority Leadership Council Member, and a Technology Integration Mentor (TIM). It was my service as a TIM that led me to deeply engage in the pursuit of strengthening instructional practices via a wide array of technology resources. In doing so, I was able to see a drastic shift in student engagement and achievement. Such experiences fostered a passion for technology in the classroom which led to my desire to want to help other educators; thus, my pursuit to work for ATiM.

Since accepting the position in September of 2016, I have had the pleasure of sharing with educators statewide in regards to effective technology integration and infusion. I truly enjoy taking advantage of opportunities for collaborating with other educators with the intent of shifting instructional practices. Such shifts include the submersion of a variety of technology resources as I am very passionate about conveying a true understanding of the difference in using technology tools, and integrating technology resources into teaching practices. I absolutely love seeing and hearing the successes of teachers who try integrating new technology tools/techniques into traditional teaching methods! In all of the professional development that is provided through ATiM, it is my ultimate goal that individuals leave better equipped to meet the needs of the digital learners that enter their classrooms.

My husband and I reside in Madison County and are the new and proud parents of a baby girl! I enjoy working with the youth at our church, reading, traveling, and motivational speaking.



Courtney & Husband, David



Sweet Baby, Jackson

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Twitter: @winningeducator



This year has been a journey for all of us. I am very proud of the resilience and community that our educators and state initiatives have shown this year. We banded together to keep things that we feel are valuable to our children's education. As we move forward, each initiative is looking inward and evaluating the jobs we are doing to update and improve to better serve you. My passion for education grows as I look at the impact it has on my children. It was on my heart to bring you a little of who we are-the people behind the names, to show you who we are, and share a little bit of us.

I am a product of Athens City Schools, and graduate of Auburn University. I come from a horde of teachers-my mom, a classroom teacher and project director of HASP and AMSTI, my aunts who were classroom teachers, principals, reading coaches, and instructional partners. Education surrounded me. I love to read, sing, spend time with "my village," create and dream.

My husband, Andy, is an international programs specialist at Redstone Arsenal. In his first life, he did three tours in Iraq with his Marines. He loves to fish, hunt, play and watch sports. He is the calm to my storm.



My son, Holland, is a 3rd grader, who teaches me something everyday. His current obsessions: mythology, Latin, books, and video games. His life goal is to discover how to harness gravitational waves, which he will use to power inter-dimensional transport. His heart is beautiful. He is my sunshine.



The Diva, Asa Gray, is 5 and will start Kindergarten this fall. She keeps us all on our toes, including our neighbors. She dances, plays soccer, and could successfully man an entire village during the apocalypse. She is amazingly intuitive and sassy, a miracle of prayer and science, and I am forever thankful for the journey that brought her to us. She is my twinkle star.



As I prepared for summer at the Regional In-Service Center, I thought more and more about what we are here to do. I have been able to collaborate with other

Centers across the state to bring things to you that I hope meet you where you are: a focus on poverty; mathematics; virtual and blended book study formats; and a chance to create some coaching communities for our amazing club sponsors. As always, we want to hear from you and meet your needs. It is an honor to be here to support you in the most important endeavor I know, shaping the destinies of our children.

Very truly yours,
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****Registration for sessions below are done through STI PD. ****
If you do not have STI access please contact Jennifer by phone or email.

Workshop Title: Secrets of Color Matching and Color Illusion **STI PD TITLE #** ATH-ACA-Summer17

Date: Wednesday, June 7, 2017 **Time:** 10:00am-12:00pm (please arrive 15 minutes prior for registration).

Location: The Alabama Center for the Arts in Downtown Decatur (across from the Princess Theatre)

Address: 133 2nd Avenue NE, Decatur, AL 35601 **Room:** 208

Instructor: Kathryn Vaughn, Calhoun Community College Art Instructor

Fee: \$10.00 for supplies (payable to the ACA)

Description:

Two hands-on practical projects will test facts introduced in brief lectures and demonstrations. You will take away examples of profound color physics created with traditional and non-traditional media. Typically, this visible spectrum and saturation/desaturation information would constitute part of an in-depth semester in color theory. In addition, the material illuminates a “never-fail” way to match color in oil paints. Supplies are included for one color-matching project using oil paints and one cut-paper “illusion” project. Expect to have fun while learning more about Color in this class.

•Teaching Standard I -1.1, 1.2, 1.3, 1.4, 1.5; •Standard 2- 2.1, 2.2, 2.3, 2.5, 2.6, 2.7, 2.8, 2.9 •Standard 5: 5.1, 5.2, 5.3

Workshop Title: Printmaking: Carousel of Learning **STI PD TITLE #** ATH-ACA-Summer17

Date: Thursday, June 22, 2017 **Time:** 8:00am-3:30pm (please arrive 15 minutes prior for registration)

*You will have an hour and 15 minute break for lunch. You may bring your lunch or choose from several restaurants within walking distance of ACA.

Location: The Alabama Center for the Arts in Downtown Decatur (across from the Princess Theatre)

Address: 133 2nd Avenue NE, Decatur, AL 35601 **Room:** 313, 312, 113, 116

Instructor: Tammie Clark, Alabama Art Education Association, North Ala. Region Rep.

Fee: \$10.00 per registrant for supplies (probably to the AAEEA)

Target Group: Art Educators, Gifted Ed, Art Integration School Educators

Description: Four different printmaking techniques you can take right back to your classroom will be offered in this six hour workshop: Gelli Plates, Silk Screening using die cuts, linoleum/block printmaking, and monoprinting. Suitable and adaptable for all grade levels.

Workshop Title: Visual Thinking Strategy **STI PD TITLE #** ATH-ACA-Summer17

Date: Wednesday, July 12, 2017 **Time:** 1:00-3:00pm (please arrive 15 minutes prior for registration)

Location: The Alabama Center for the Arts in Downtown Decatur (across from the Princess Theatre)

Address: 133 2nd Avenue NE, Decatur, AL 35601 **Room:** 313

Instructor: Dr. Mary Beth Johns, Athens State University, Assistant Professor Visual Art Education

Fee: n/a

Description: A way to talk about art with students of all ages that leaves behind the old – describe, interpret, analyze and judge method – for more meaningful discussions and understanding.

Teaching standard 1.1.3