



Richard Woods, Georgia's School Superintendent
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Georgia Department of Education
Item for State Board of Education Approval
– Standards Adoption & Revision –

Item Name

CTAE – Standards – Junior Leadership Corps courses - New

Recommendation – Action – Approval to Post for Public Comment

It is recommended that the State Board of Education grant permission for the posting of the Georgia K12 Standards for Junior Leadership Corps I, II, III for public review and comment.

Supports the Following Education Goal or Goals in the Agency Strategic Plan

Revise/develop and implement viable academic standards that engage learners with essential knowledge, skills, and enduring concepts.

Increase the percentage of high school students who graduate ready for enrollment, employment, or enlistment.

Expand educational opportunities and non-academic supports in order to maximize student engagement, meet student needs/interests, and ensure the relevance of learning.

Standards Adoption/Revision Purpose

The Middle School Leadership program began 15 years ago with materials developed by the US Army. The purpose of this leadership program is to inspire young people to set a positive course in order to graduate and pursue further studies and/or careers beyond high school. These courses have never had Georgia K-12 standards. Instructors in the field and system CTAE Directors requested that standards be developed that mirror the materials that are developed and provided by the Department of Defense. Under the direction of the Georgia Department of Education, a committee was established comprised of experts in order to create the course standards for the Junior Leadership Corps I – sixth grade, Junior Leadership Corps II – seventh grade, and Junior Leadership Corps III – eighth grade.

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