CTAE Winter Conference

Classic Center February 6, 2014



When will SLOs be utilized?

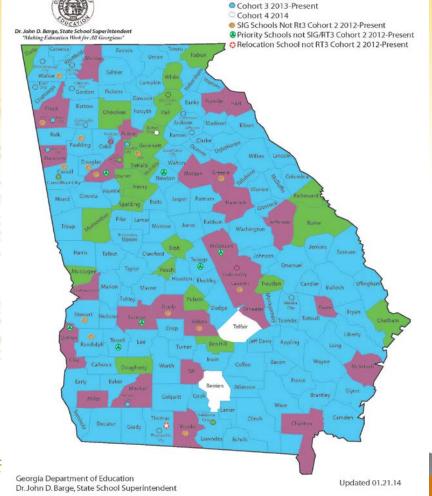


House Bill 244

- Passed during 2013 legislative session
- Mandates use of single, state-wide evaluation system for teachers of record
- Multiple observations required
- Student Achievement contributes 50%

Georgia LEAs Cohorts 1, 2, 3, and 4

Cohort 1 Green
Cohort 2 Purple
Cohort 3 Blue
Cohort 4 White



Cohort 2 2012-Present



SLO Requirements for Cohort 1 Districts

2014-2015

Minimum of two growth measures

 All district-developed SLOs must be administered district wide which may lead to three or more growth measures for some teachers.

SLO Requirements for Cohorts 2 & 3

2013-2014 SLO Assessment Development

Development of one growth measure per teacher

2014-2015 SLO Assessment Administration

 All district-developed SLOs must be administered district wide which may lead to two or more growth measures for some teachers.

Why use SLOs?





Teacher Keys Effectiveness System

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(Generates a Teacher Effectiveness Measure)

Teacher Assessment on Performance Standards

(Observations and Documentation)

Support and Documentation

Surveys of Instructional Practice

(Grades 3-5, Grades 6-8, Grades 9-12)

Student Growth and Academic Achievement

Teachers of Tested Subjects

- Student Growth Percentile
- Achievement Gap Reduction

Teachers of Non-Tested Subjects

- DOE-approved, district-developed Student Learning Objectives



Student Learning Objectives

A district-wide measurable, long-term academic **SMART** goals set to determine student growth.

Generated by student performance between two points in time.

Aligned to the course's required curriculum.

Demonstration of the teacher's impact on student learning.

Benefits of Using SLOs

Triangulation of formal data

Promote collaboration district wide

Establishment of common assessments district wide

Connect to TAPS and LAPS

Recognize success in the classroom



SLOs District Driven Process



SLO Components

SLO Statement

- Defines pre- and post-assessment windows
- Includes 100% of students in course
- Names SLO course and assessment
- Describes content emphasis of SLO assessment

SLO Growth Target

- Should be individualized for each student
- Can utilize a rubric score
- Must contain an expected and a high growth target

SLO Assessment

- Requires pre- and post-assessments
- Determined by the district with the exception of prekindergarten



SLO Process for Locally / Regionally Developed Assessments

Step 1 Step 2 Content Step 3 Table of **Alignment Criteria Table Specifications** Identifies Evaluates instructional Provides assessment emphasis assessment "Quality Control" "Blueprint"





Assessment Development Resources for Districts

2013 Item Bank 2012 Public Domain Assessments (PDAs)

SLO Resource Library Assessment
Training Guides
and Templates



Item Bank Review Process



CTAE Resourses and Supports



2013-2014 CTAE Item Development

- October 8-10 Middle School CTAE
 - 20 Participants 85 Items 9 Pathways
- November 5-7 High School CTAE Level 1
 - 79 Participants 379 Items- 10 Pathways
- Curriculum Specialist review was completed on January 28, 2014

2013-2014 CTAE Item Development

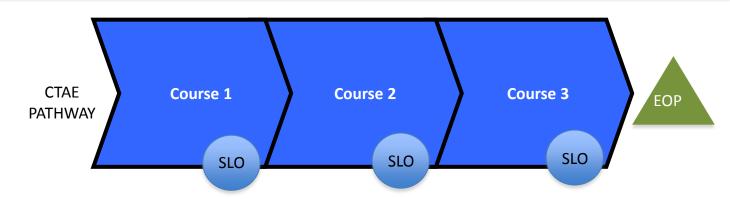
 February 25-27 Middle School CTAE being conducted at Oconee RESA

 March 18-20 High School CTAE Level 2 and 3 being conducted at Calhoun High School

CTAE/SLO Advisory Committee

- Teachers, administrators, curriculum directors
- November 2013, January 2014
- Next meeting is March 2014
- Recommendations to address CTAE specific questions and concerns

Comparison between SLO and EOP for CTAE





Student Learning Objective Assessment

- -Teacher specific
- -Measures student growth
- -Specific knowledge gain
- -Driven by course standards
- -Step in process towards certification



End of Pathway Assessment

- Represents students cumulative knowledge of subject
- Certification in certain areas
- Total achievement
- Multiple or same teachers
- Over multiple courses
- Courses not necessarily completed in same order

Questions?



