

Dr. John D. Barge, State School Superintendent

Superintendent's Student Advisory Council

The Student Advisory Council will meet two times with State School Superintendent Dr. John Barge to discuss how decisions made at the state level are affecting students throughout Georgia. Members are advisors and act as liaisons between the Department of Education and the students of Georgia. All students in grades 9-12 are eligible to apply. Meeting dates are **November 7**, **2012** and **March 6**, **2013** (These dates are subject to change). To be eligible for the council, this application must be received by **September 14**, **2012**.

Name			
Home Address			
City	Zip	o Code	
Home Phone	Email		
Female Male	Race	Grade	GPA
Name of School			
Principal's Name			
School System			

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Please answer the following questions in a separate Word document. The answer for question 1 should be a minimum of 150 words and a maximum of 300 words. Applications not meeting these guidelines will not be considered.

1. State School Superintendent Dr. John Barge's vision for Georgia is "Making Education Work for All Georgians." First and foremost, this new vision requires "Making Education Work for All of Georgia's Students." What steps, in your opinion, can the Georgia Department of Education take to make education "work" for you as a student?

2. Please list school and community activities.



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I understand that if I am selected as a member of the 2012-2013 Student Advisory Council, I will be expected to attend **both meetings** held throughout the school year. I will also be expected to provide my own transportation and cover any expenses associated with the travel to the meeting destinations.

Student's Signature	Date
Parent/Guardian's Signature	Date
Principal's Signature	Date

All applicants will be notified in writing if they are selected to be a member of the 2012-2013 Student Advisory Council. Members will be chosen by a committee of Georgia Department of Education representatives.

Please email applications by **September 14, 2012**, to Kyle Newton at knewton@doe.k12.ga.us

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