

# GIPS Summer 2008 Teaching & Learning Activities

## Summer 2008 Curriculum & Assessment Design

(generally 8:00 a.m.-3:30 p.m. at the Administration Building; the T&L Crew will communicate exact times & locations)

June 11-12 and 16-20	K-12 Mathematics C&A design work [seven days]
June 10-11 and 16-19	K-12 Social Studies C&A design work [six days]
June 4-6 and 9-10	K-12 Science C&A design work [five days]
June 4-6 and 9-12	K-12 Language Arts C&A team [seven days]
TBD	6-8 Technology Education C&A design work [approximately five days]
TBD	6-12 Performing Arts C&A teams [one-two days]

**C&A Team Members - Let Virginia Fosket (vfosket@gips.org) know by April 15 if you cannot attend all dates.**

## Other Summer 2008 Activities

June 2-3	K-12 School Improvement Teams with Jay McTighe (K-5 teams of four; 6-12 teams of six)
June 13, 8:00 - 10:30 a.m.	K-12 Administrators with Allison Zmuda
June 13, 11:30 - 2:00 p.m.	School-Based Differentiation Teams with Allison Zmuda
June 26-27	K-12 Grading & Reporting Task Force with Ken O'Connor (Extended Task Force involvement TBD)

## Summer 2008 Professional Development

(generally 8:00 a.m.-3:30 p.m. at the Administration Building; the T&L Crew will communicate exact times & locations)

May 28	* Worksheets Don't Grow Dendrites with Marcia Tate at GISH (three UNK graduate credits available with followup activities on June 13 & 27)
May 28-30	* Top 20 Teams at Walnut MS (three Doane graduate credits, with additional time commitment)
June 30 - July 3	* Kagan Cooperative Learning (two-three Doane graduate credits with additional time commitment)
July 21-25	* Science Inquiry Institute for Selected 3rd-8th Science Teachers (see principal if interested)
August 1	Coteaching for All New 6-12 Coteaching Partners (assigned partners must train on same day)
August 4	Reading and Writing Strategies for all New Secondary (6-12) Nonlanguage Arts Teachers
August 5-6	Standards-Based Mathematics for all New K-5, 6-8, and 9-12 Mathematics Teacher
August 5-6	New Instructional Resources Training For Secondary Language Arts Teachers
August 6 or 7 8:30-11:00 am	* Infinite Campus Gradebook for <u>New</u> 6-12 Teachers in GISH Media Center
August 6 or 7, 12:30-3:00 pm	* Optional Infinite Campus Gradebook for <u>Returning</u> 6-12 Teachers in GISH Media Center
August 7	Year One Mentors
August 8, 8:00-11:30 am	Year One Mentors and Mentees
August 8, 12:30-3:30 pm	Year Two Mentors
August 12	Middle School Team Leaders at Westridge MS
August 13	K-8 Rtl Leader Training

**\* Separate information will be sent to all staff regarding qualifying participants and the registration process.**

## All Teachers New to GIPS

August 11, 8:30-3:30 pm	New Teacher Orientation for all New GIPS Teachers
August 12-13, 8:30-3:30 pm	Well-Managed Classroom (Boys Town Model) for all New GIPS Teachers
Wednesdays (twelve sessions from August 27 - March)	Balanced Literacy Course for New GIPS Language Arts Teachers (three Doane graduate credits paid for by GIPS or Professional Growth points available)

**NOTE: New GIPS teachers will receive a letter listing all professional development activities designed for them.**