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Participant Agenda

July 7th-9th 2020 via [Microsoft Teams App](https://www.microsoft.com/en-us/microsoft-365/microsoft-teams/download-app)

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| DAY ONE: Tuesday, July 7th | |
| 9:00 am -11:00 am  [Link to July 7th Morning Live Event HERE](https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_MmI1MDI5NjMtODc4MS00NTlkLTkyNDgtMDZhZTZjZDAwMzc1%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%221aa55c83-0343-4ecb-bd39-bd7f43876bd7%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%22519dd68e-7962-47a0-9651-e17d7ec44af5%22%2c%22IsBroadcastMeeting%22%3atrue%7d) Click “Launch it Now” on webpage | Opening Remarks and Keynote Session **Welcome from L4GA Program Manager**  Julie Morrill  **Georgia State School Superintendent**  Richard Woods  **United States Department of Education**  Dr. Sylvia Lyles  **Georgia Deputy Superintendent of Teaching and Learning**  Dr. Caitlin McMunn Dooley |
| 11:00 am – 11:15 am | Break |
| 11:15 am – 12:00  Participants follow links from Live Event Q&A Announcement or hotlinks on this agenda to join *Meetings in Teams App* | Regional Meeting Breakouts [**July 7th Meeting 1:**](https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_MjBmYzkzOTAtZmE5ZS00YWM3LTg0OGUtODViZmY3ZTc4NjQ4%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%221aa55c83-0343-4ecb-bd39-bd7f43876bd7%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%22519dd68e-7962-47a0-9651-e17d7ec44af5%22%7d) CSRA, First, Okefenokee, Heart of GA  [**July 7th Meeting 2:**](https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_NjliZjBkOTktZGQ2Yy00NzM5LWJiNmEtNDI5MTczODQxMThk%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%221aa55c83-0343-4ecb-bd39-bd7f43876bd7%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%22519dd68e-7962-47a0-9651-e17d7ec44af5%22%7d) West, Griffin, Metro (incl GaDOE State Schools)  [**July 7th Meeting 3:**](https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_MTZjN2MwZjMtYjRlMC00Y2RhLWJjNTItY2M5MGFkNGE0MmVj%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%221aa55c83-0343-4ecb-bd39-bd7f43876bd7%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%22519dd68e-7962-47a0-9651-e17d7ec44af5%22%7d) Coastal Plains, Southwest  [**July 7th Meeting 4:**](https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_OGQ5ZWM3MzAtMTY0OC00ZGVhLThmNzctYTQ5MjdkZmE5Yzhh%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%221aa55c83-0343-4ecb-bd39-bd7f43876bd7%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%22519dd68e-7962-47a0-9651-e17d7ec44af5%22%7d) Pioneer, Northwest, Northeast |
| 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm | Lunch |
| 1:00 pm – 2:00 pm  [Link to July 7th Afternoon Live Event HERE](https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_NjE0Y2RlNjYtNzZlYS00M2Q4LTkwMjktYTEyNzI2Y2MyZTY0%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%221aa55c83-0343-4ecb-bd39-bd7f43876bd7%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%22519dd68e-7962-47a0-9651-e17d7ec44af5%22%2c%22IsBroadcastMeeting%22%3atrue%7d) Click “Launch it Now” on webpage | Leadership Session Dr. Cary Riches, Executive Director of Secondary Education, Brandywine School District |
| 2:00 pm – 2:15 pm | Break |
| **Session 1:** 2:15 pm – 2:35 pm  **Session 2:** 2:35 pm – 2:55 pm  **Session 3:** 2:55 pm – 3:15 pm | Office Hour Meetings [**July 7th Meeting 5:**](https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_Nzg5MzU4MjAtNWY3ZC00ODVkLWI3NDEtNWE2NzQzMzVlNjUy%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%221aa55c83-0343-4ecb-bd39-bd7f43876bd7%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%22519dd68e-7962-47a0-9651-e17d7ec44af5%22%7d)  ***Community Partnerships and Evaluation of Systems***  Dr. Roberta Gardner, Kennesaw State University  Dr. Meltem Alemdar, Georgia Tech  [**July 7th Meeting 6:**](https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_NGM2NmUyZDYtNjkxZC00Njk1LWE3ZjEtNGIxZWYwYWQ2YjY3%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%221aa55c83-0343-4ecb-bd39-bd7f43876bd7%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%22519dd68e-7962-47a0-9651-e17d7ec44af5%22%7d)  ***Evaluation for Continuous Improvement***  Dr. Gary Bingham, Georgia State University  Dr. Rihana Mason, Georgia State University  [**July 7th Meeting 7:**](https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_YzY0MmQ0NTktMGY3Mi00OWQwLWE5ZTQtZmRlMDMxMWNlZTUz%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%221aa55c83-0343-4ecb-bd39-bd7f43876bd7%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%22519dd68e-7962-47a0-9651-e17d7ec44af5%22%7d)  ***Fiscal Management and Performance Plans***  Regina Hailey, Georgia Department of Education  Julie Morrill, Georgia Department of Education |
| 3:15 pm – 4:00 pm  [Link to July 7th Q&A Live Event HERE](https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_YzE5YTA2YjYtMTUzYi00MmIxLTg2OWItMzY5OTFlYzViMDMz%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%221aa55c83-0343-4ecb-bd39-bd7f43876bd7%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%22519dd68e-7962-47a0-9651-e17d7ec44af5%22%2c%22IsBroadcastMeeting%22%3atrue%7d) Click “Launch it Now” on webpage | L4GA Team Q&A |

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| Building Community Engagement and Applying the Four Pillar Framework | |
| DAY TWO: Wednesday, July 8th | |
| 9:00 am -11:15 am  [Link to July 8th Morning Live Event HERE](https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_MGFkMDZkMmItMWYyOS00YjFkLWJkNzgtYjk5YzNmZGI1OGQy%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%221aa55c83-0343-4ecb-bd39-bd7f43876bd7%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%22519dd68e-7962-47a0-9651-e17d7ec44af5%22%2c%22IsBroadcastMeeting%22%3atrue%7d) Click “Launch it Now” on webpage | Morning Session **Welcome and Greetings**  Dr. Caitlin Dooley, Georgia Department of Education  Julie Morrill, Georgia Department of Education  **Inspiration**  Carmen Deedy, Children’s Author  **What is the Campaign?**  Arianne Weldon, Strategic Innovation Manager, & GGR Campaign Director, GaFCP  **Current L4GA Community**  Jamie Ray, L4GA Grant Administrator, Dublin City Schools  Betsy Glisson, L4GA Grant Administrator, Laurens County Schools;  **Engagement and Reflection**  **Participants:** Please use the Q&A to ask questions and make observations.  Moderator: Akia Lewis, Strategic Innovation Manager, & GGR Campaign Director, GaFCP  **Language Nutrition**  Ami Klin, Director, Marcus Autism Center  **Next Steps Live Q&A: Language Nutrition opportunities and known activities in your communities.**  Moderator: Mary Willoughby, Consultant, GGR Campaign |
| 11:15 am -1:00 pm | Break and Lunch |

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| DAY TWO: Afternoon Session | |
| 1:00 pm – 3:00 pm  [Link to July 8th Afternoon Live Event HERE](https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_OWU5MWQ4MWQtNzM0YS00NzI5LTk5Y2QtY2FkZjNiZWQzNzIw%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%221aa55c83-0343-4ecb-bd39-bd7f43876bd7%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%22519dd68e-7962-47a0-9651-e17d7ec44af5%22%2c%22IsBroadcastMeeting%22%3atrue%7d) Click “Launch it Now” on webpage | Afternoon Session **Welcome Back and Agenda Review**  Arianne Weldon, Strategic Innovation Manager, & GGR Campaign Director, GaFCP  **Access Pillar, Theory Presentation**  Judge Wenona Belton, Fulton County Juvenile Court  **Access Pillar, Practice Presenter**  Dr. Ebony Lee, Clayton County Assistant Superintendent  **Engagement and Reflection**  **Participants:** Please use the Q&A to ask questions and make observations.  Moderator: Akia Lewis, Strategic Innovation Manager, & GGR Campaign Director, GaFCP  **Teacher Preparation**  Nicole Patton Terry, PhD  Associate Director Florida Center for Reading Research  **Engagement and Reflection**  **Participants:** Please use the Q&A to ask questions and make observations.  Moderator: Akia Lewis, Strategic Innovation Manager, & GGR Campaign Director, GaFCP  **Regional Data Walk**  Mike Carnathan, Manager, Research & Analytics Division,  Atlanta Regional Commission  **Next Steps Live Q&A: Increasing access in communities: Brainstorm in Q&A chat**  Moderator: Mary Willoughby, Consultant, GGR Campaign |

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| Building Community Engagement and Applying the Four Pillar Framework | |
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| 9:00 am -10:20 am  [Link to July 9th Morning Live Event HERE](https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_MDdkMWNkNTgtMjcxNS00NGNiLTlmOWMtZGJjZjM0ZDc2Zjlk%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%221aa55c83-0343-4ecb-bd39-bd7f43876bd7%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%22519dd68e-7962-47a0-9651-e17d7ec44af5%22%2c%22IsBroadcastMeeting%22%3atrue%7d) Click “Launch it Now” on webpage | Morning Session **Welcome Back and Agenda Review**  Arianne Weldon, Strategic Innovation Manager, & GGR Campaign Director, GaFCP  **Inspiration**  Randy Nix, State Representative (R-LaGrange),  Georgia House of Representatives  **Climate Theory & Practice**  Garry McGiboney, Deputy Superintendent, Office of School Safety and Climate, Georgia Department of Education  **Live Q&A**  **Engagement and Reflection**  **Participants:** Please use the Q&A to ask questions and make observations.  Moderator: Akia Lewis, Strategic Innovation Manager, & GGR Campaign Director, GaFCP  **Next Steps Live Q&A: Who sets the tone for climate in your setting? How can climate be improved?**  Moderator: Mary Willoughby, Consultant, GGR Campaign  ***Transition to Meeting Breakouts*** |
| 10:30-11:30  Participants follow links from Live Event Q&A Announcement or hotlinks on this agenda to join *Meetings in Teams App* | Grade Band Meeting Breakouts [**July 9th Meeting 1:** **B5**](https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_OGVmYTEyMjItNzY3YS00Y2ExLTg3ZjQtOTc1MTZjYTlhMGQ4%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%221aa55c83-0343-4ecb-bd39-bd7f43876bd7%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%22519dd68e-7962-47a0-9651-e17d7ec44af5%22%7d)  [**July 9th Meeting 2:** **Elementary**](https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_NGQwYmMwOWItNWYxZi00ZDVlLThkMTctODZiZTBmY2Y2OTQz%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%221aa55c83-0343-4ecb-bd39-bd7f43876bd7%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%22519dd68e-7962-47a0-9651-e17d7ec44af5%22%7d)  [**July 9th Meeting 3:** **Middle**](https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_ZTJhYzk2ZmMtY2RkNi00ZWQyLWFhNmQtZTZlMjEyZmVjYjY2%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%221aa55c83-0343-4ecb-bd39-bd7f43876bd7%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%22519dd68e-7962-47a0-9651-e17d7ec44af5%22%7d)  [**July 9th Meeting 4:** **High**](https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_Yjk4OWFiN2MtNzE2ZC00NzFkLWFhNzEtNDU5ZjFkYjBjMWFi%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%221aa55c83-0343-4ecb-bd39-bd7f43876bd7%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%22519dd68e-7962-47a0-9651-e17d7ec44af5%22%7d) |
|  | Stakeholder Exercise ***Brief four pillar review***- facilitator will remind participants of framework and post four pillar image on screen while briefly describing – 5 min  ***Describes stakeholder exercise*** – considering the various talks and experiences shared so far, who in our community has the potential to work with us to improve L4 outcomes? Think about who is already on the team, and in a second list, think about who is needed to engage in the effort to improve results. List in chat and discuss – facilitator has prompting questions ready to start conversation rolling – participants may speak or write some of their responses.  A picture containing screenshot, drawing  Description automatically generated  *During exercise session, moderator will be reflecting items in chat to group verbally. Session observer will prepare notes to report from meeting to Live event – each group will be asked to* ***report on 3 essential and already engaged stakeholders and to identify 3 needed but not yet engaged stakeholder groups*** |
| 11:30 am -1:00 pm | Break and Lunch |

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**Get Georgia Reading Campaign Team**

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