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BOOST Training Update #46

Your update on training opportunities available through the BOOST Grants Program

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Training Spotlight

Join a 2024 Georgia Afterschool & Youth Development Institute in Monroe or Albany this February. Free for BOOST Grantees!

The ASYD Institutes are designed for frontline staff, site leaders, program directors and others who want to deliver high-quality, meaningful and engaging youth development and out-of-school time programs to school-age youth. This experiential youth development-focused learning opportunity will give participants a unique opportunity to immerse themselves in best practices in youth development while building relationships, networking and identifying how they will recreate these experiences back in their programs. The full-day event will be high-energy and high-involvement, engaging participants in their own learning and growth from the moment they enter the door. Click on the below video to learn more about the ASYD Institutes!

Monroe
Date: 02/22/2024
Location: Team Up Mentoring, Monroe, GA
Deadline for registration is February 9th

Or

Albany
Date: 02/29/2024
Location: New Seasons Church, Albany, GA
Deadline for registration is February 16th

[Register Here](#)

Upcoming Webinars (Virtual)



Empowering Futures: Strategies for College and Career Planning this Wednesday January 11th

We all know a high school diploma alone isn't enough to meet the country's future workforce demands. The increased focus on postsecondary credentials has challenged educators, youth development professionals and parents to be more intentional on creating successful pathways for students. During this interactive webinar, participants will explore staff practices that help to prepare young people for success beyond high school and supports their desired career goals.



Date: 01/11/2024
Time: 10:00–11:30 am

Register

January is National Mentoring Month! First 25 registrants will be entered into a raffle for an Amazon gift card!

Everyday Mentoring training focuses on fostering a mentoring mindset in adults who have regular interactions with youth. By being intentional about building relationships into the culture, young people will view staff members as adults who care about them as individuals. Trauma-Informed Mentoring training focuses supporting youth impacted by traumatic experiences or circumstances by building a supportive relationship. This training uses audio-visual content, small-group discussion, and scenarios to guide participants through a basic understanding of the effects of trauma on the brain, with in-depth exploration of how trauma can impact behaviors, actions and relationships. Sign-Up today.

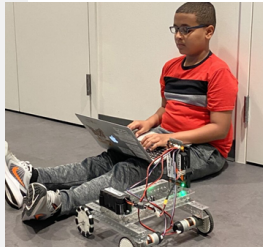


Everyday Mentoring
Date: 01/17/2024
Time: 10:00–11:30 am

Register

Trauma-Informed Mentoring
Date: 01/31/2024
Time: 10:00 am-1:30pm

Register



STEM Learning Webinar Series starts January 24th!

This first session will focus on how to ensure quality in OST STEM programming by learning about a framework that CEISMC Expanded Learning Programs uses and the key elements of the framework to ensure quality in STEM programming.

Session 1
Date: 01/24/2024
Time: 12:00 pm-1:30pm

Register

On-Demand Resources



Free Training Vouchers for GCN Courses!

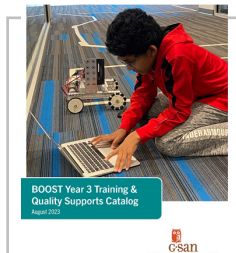
As a holiday gift to you, GSAN is excited to offer BOOST grantees a training voucher to participate in one Georgia Center for Nonprofits training course of their choice. Simply complete the below form indicating your interest in participating and the voucher will be provided to you. Up to two staff per BOOST grantee organization can take advantage of this opportunity to customize their professional development journey. This gift underscores GSAN's commitment to providing a valuable learning experience aimed to strengthen BOOST grantee organizations as we approach the BOOST funding cliff.

Sign-Up Here

BOOST Year 3 Training and Quality Supports Catalog

Check out the new BOOST Training and Quality Supports Catalog to see what is in store for BOOST Year 3! Leveraging data from grantees from Year 1 and Year 2, in Year 3 this robust offering of training and quality supports aims to address gaps/opportunities, increase access to learning communities who work collaboratively to connect, share and learn from each other and provide critical professional learning and quality support to enhance BOOST grantee's ability to strengthen capacity, infrastructure, and sustainability.

Take a Look



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Check out the below and other valuable resources available on-demand in the [BOOST OST Resource Library](#).

Want to invite other members of your grantee organization to receive these training emails? Send them this [sign-up link!](#) Employees at all levels are invited to access BOOST resources!

Want to get updates on afterschool funding opportunities? [Sign up to receive updates from Georgia Statewide Afterschool Network](#)



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