

July 12, 2019

Dear AAGC Board Members and Selected Colleagues

We are inviting you to a training session on the K-2 Thinking Skills Program that we are using in the Bass Project, *Wired for Learning*. We have planned to video tape this event to use with future school districts and to develop clips to use in marketing efforts. We need your help as participants to learn about this successful program and to participate in Q and A during the session. Duke's Media Services will provide the professional videotaping for this event.

The training session will be held on **July 31st in Room A103 in the Erwin Mill Building, 2024 West Main St., Durham NC, 27708.** Ms. Christine Lange will do the training. She is our official trainer for the *Wired for Learning* Project within Bass Connections and Durham Schools. She was our official trainer for Thinking Skills throughout our Javits Grant in Wake County, 2013-2017. Your presence will be greatly appreciated since this project is our main focus of achieving our goal for closing the achievement gap for underrepresented groups. Training Materials will be provided.

During this coming school year AAGC will be working on articles and brochures for publishing results of our grants and marketing to future clients. We hope that many of our Board Members will work on committees to accomplish this goal. We are hoping to continue our Bass Project in Durham Schools for another school year.

Please E-Mail or call Margaret Gayle, by July 25th, if you have questions and regarding your availability to attend. meg43@duke.edu c: 919-801-2384

Agenda July 31, 2019

- 9:45 - Registration
- 10:00 - Overview of K-2 Thinking Skills Program
- 11:30 - Lunch – Catered
- 1:00 - Implementing a Model Lesson
- 1:30 - Q & A

Thanks,
Margaret