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Attention: The webinars referred to in this DCL have been canceled.

Subject: GAfutures Webinar Series

Dear Colleague:

GSFC will be offering a series of webinars in October and November to help more of our customers with the transition to the new **GAfutures** website. The webinars, powered by GoToMeeting, will provide an overview on some of the more prominent features and functions of the **GAfutures** website.

Things to Know

- Registration for all webinars will open Monday, October 5 at the following link: <u>GAfutures Webinar</u> <u>Series Registration</u>. Seating is limited.
- Each webinar will be one hour and presented live to allow participants to ask questions.
- Accompanying PowerPoints will be sent, along with the GoToMeeting link, prior to each webinar.
- After the series, all webinars will be posted on **GAcollege411**, then **GAfutures**, for future reference.

Webinar Topics, Dates and Times

- GAfutures for New Counselors (K-12) Dates: October 14; October 30; November 18 Times and subtopics:
 - 10 11 a.m. BRIDGE Reporting (Middle and High School)
 - o 1 2 p.m. CCRPI Reporting (Elementary School)
 - o 3 4 p.m. General Management
- *GAfutures for Returning Counselors (K-12) Dates:* October 16; November 4; November 20 *Times and subtopics:*
 - 10 11 a.m. BRIDGE Reporting (Middle and High School)
 - o 1 2 p.m. CCRPI Reporting (Elementary School)
 - o 3 4 p.m. General Management
- Customization Features on GAfutures (K-12) Dates: October 21; November 6 Times and subtopics:
 - o 10 11 a.m. Groups and Checklists
 - o 1 2 p.m. Course Planner (Individual Graduation Plan)

• GAfutures: The Student Experience (K-12) Dates: October 23; November 13

Times and subtopics:

- o 10 11 a.m. Regular Version (Recommended for Middle and High School Students)
- o 1-2 p.m. Junior Version (Recommended for Elementary and Middle School Students)

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If you are unable to attend the upcoming State Trainings or participate in the webinars, on-going training will be available after the launch of **GAfutures** later this fall and throughout the spring. We will provide more information on how to request future trainings in November and will continue to share updates and preparation instructions for **GAfutures** in the coming weeks.

We hope you find the webinars helpful and informative. If you have questions, please contact our offices at 800.505.4732 or <u>GAfutures@gsfc.org</u>.

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