



COSMOS COLLABORATIVE COUNCIL

November 7, 2007

GOALS OF THE CCC

- planning high quality professional development by gauging district needs
 - seeking available science and mathematics professional development funding from state and national sources
 - assisting with data collection and analysis to evaluate effectiveness of professional development and guide teachers in making data based decisions
 - sharing timely information, best-practice strategies, and updates regarding science and mathematics education at the local, state, and national levels
 - providing curriculum and assessment support aligned with the content standards and state initiatives
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INTRODUCTIONS AND CONTACT LIST

Welcome!!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- a. Wireless connectivity information: this is available, as long as you have a wireless ready computer
- b. OAT and OGT Short Answer/Extended Response item bank CDs distributed
- c. Grants submitted
- d. Center meeting updates and IMSE proposal
- e. Inquiry Series next meeting is December 6, 2007 at Owens Community College

WORKING ITEMS

- a. The AIMS Center on campus will share some information about their work. The goal of the Academic Investment in Math and Science (AIMS) program is to increase the number of women and students of color who graduate from BGSU with majors in mathematics, computer and natural sciences.
- b. Curriculum Topic Study overview and discussion of Resource CDs
- c. Algebra II End of Course Exam information
- d. The time remaining will be based on group discussion and will be reserved for brainstorming ideas together in small groups

DISCUSSION TOPICS (AS TIME PERMITS)

- What do you want this group to be? Who else would you like to see around the table?
- Are the times and dates for the meetings convenient for all? 2007-08: 11/7, 12/5, 1/9, 2/6, 3/5, 4/2, 5/7, 6/4; from 3:00-4:30 in room 246 MSC
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