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MEMORANDUM

TO: District School Superintendents
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FROM: Dr. Frances Haithcock
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Chancellor, Division of Career and Adult Education

DATE: February 4, 2011

SUBJECT: 2011 Career and Technical (CTE) Spring Professional Development Integration Institute

The Spring Professional Development Integration Institute has been scheduled for May 11-12, 2011. The event is a CTE/Academic alignment workshop available to teams of CTE and core teachers from schools that offer the CTE programs listed below. The intent is to better prepare CTE students to take the applicable end-of-course academic exams and to enable teachers to develop integrated lessons.

CTE Program	Integrated Academic Course
Agriculture Biotechnology Animal Biotechnology Environmental Science Plant Biotechnology	Biology
Industrial Biotechnology	Biology
Biomedical Science	Biology
Architectural Drafting Drafting Technology Electrical Drafting Electronic Drafting Mechanical Drafting Structural Drafting	Geometry
Drafting/Illustrative Design	Geometry
Automation and Production	Algebra
Building and Construction	Geometry

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The two-day workshops, facilitated by selected Florida CTE, Biology and Geometry teachers, will be offered at an Orlando/Tampa location (to be determined) and is limited to the first 150 registered participants. Attendees will receive reimbursement for their hotel expenses, travel, and meals at the state rate, and districts will be reimbursed the cost of necessary substitute teachers.

The registration form is attached. Please share this information with your teachers and encourage them to participate. If you have any questions please contact Jodi Tillman at Jodi.Tillman@fldoe.org or at 850-245-9439.

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