

**PRINCIPALS NEEDED FOR COACHING/MENTORING PROGRAM
FOR FIRST-YEAR HIGH SCHOOL PRINCIPALS**

The Georgia Association of Secondary School Principals is funding a coaching/mentoring program for first-year high school principals for the 2008-09 school year.

We are seeking veteran high school principals from all over Georgia who will volunteer to coach and mentor 1 or 2 first-year high school principals this year. Principals must be able to attend and go through a 1 ½ day coaching training session. GASSP will pay for the coaching training. This is the same model that is used by GSSA for training coaches for new superintendents.

The training is schedule for the Centreplex in Macon all day on Tuesday, September 23, and September 24 from 8:00 - 12:00 noon. Morning refreshments will be served, and lunch will be provided on September 23.

There will be an expectation that each coach have a minimum of 8 formal coaching sessions with the beginning principals with whom he/she is working. These contacts can be face-to-face, by email or telephone, or at GASSP/GAEL conferences.

If you are interested in being a coach for 1 -2 first-year principals, please email your name, school, school district information to Dr. Ronda Tighe at rtighe@gsu.edu.