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NEWS RELEASE

“Compute the Future” Writing Contest

(Columbus, GA)- In celebration of National Technology Learning Month in October, the Division of Technology Services of the Muscofee County School District is sponsoring a technology and writing contest. The contest is open to all students in the Muscofee County School District.

Theme

“What role will technology play in shaping the world our students will lead?”

The top three entries from each school will go to a panel of judges. All entries must be authentic student work and correspond with the Georgia Performance Standards for Language Arts. The deadline for entries is 5:00 p.m. on Friday, November 14, 2008.

Entries will be judged based on the following criteria:

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| ▶ Organization | ▶ Ideas |
| ▶ Style | ▶ Convention |

Writing Prompt for Elementary School Students:

- When you grow up, what will technology look like at home and work?
(500 words max)

Writing Prompt for Middle and High School Students:

- In your future, how will technology advances shape your world and career?
(1,000 words max)

The winners of the contest will receive a brand new computer!