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MCS D Students Named to State Superintendent's Student Advisory Council

(Columbus, GA)-Muscogee County School District students, Cassie Cooper (Northside High School) and Amber Hart (Hardaway High School), are two of 50 Georgia students selected to represent on the State School Superintendent's 2011-2012 Student Advisory Council. The first meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, November 1, 2011, at the Georgia Department of Education in Atlanta.

As members of the council, students meet twice throughout the school year to advise Dr. John Barge, the State School Superintendent, on how state policies impact the classroom. All of the students selected have an opportunity to discuss education-related issues and serve as the State Superintendent's ambassadors at their schools.

According to the state department of education, more than 700 students applied for a seat on the Student Advisory Council. Student representatives were chosen based on the strength of essay answers submitted, school and community involvement.

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