



2024 GACIS Legislative Priorities

Provide Adequate Funding and Resources for Georgia's Students

- Fund the K-12 funding formula and limit the diversions of public funds to private education entities.
- Provide students with high-quality academic, behavior, and mental health support services.
- Provide funding to support school safety concerns.
- Expand 21st-century instructional technology to include broadband internet, virtual educational opportunities, and digital solutions to personalize student learning, and increasing professional knowledge on Artificial Intelligence (AI).
- Increase funding for Regional Education Service Agencies (RESAs) to increase educator collaboration and professional learning to support student learning.

Provide High-Quality Teachers and Leaders to Serve Georgia's Students

- Promote teaching as a profession.
- Recruit and retain high-quality teachers and leaders by maintaining a defined benefit retirement system and through educator tax credits.
- Retain high-quality teachers and leaders through internships, mentoring, and job-embedded professional learning.
- Ensure teacher and leader effectiveness measures are valid, reliable, and consistent.
- Include teachers and leaders in the development and implementation of compensation models which use experience and degrees.

Support Local School Board Authority

- Protect local control regarding the selection, purchase, and implementation of curriculum and instructional resources to implement state standards.
- Support the professional judgment, content expertise, and authority of Georgia's teachers, leaders, and local school board members.

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The Georgia Association of Curriculum and Instructional Supervisors (GACIS) is one of the seven affiliate organizations of the Georgia Association of Educational Leaders (GAEL). GACIS promotes cooperative relations with and maintains direct contact with the Georgia Department of Education, Georgia General Assembly, teacher education institutions of the state, and other educational organizations and agencies that impact public education.

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