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invites you to attend the 2017 - 2018 School Year

REACH Georgia Signing Ceremony

[Insert date]

[location and time here]

Governor Nathan Deal designated October 2nd – 6th, 2017 as **REACH Georgia's** Statewide Signing Week. REACH Scholars and their parents or guardians in school systems across Georgia will be signing contracts, committing to satisfying the program requirements, graduating from high school, and enrolling and completing college.

RSVP by [insert date]: [Insert Contact Name] [insert contact number]

REACH Georgia is the State of Georgia's first needs-based mentorship and college scholarship program. The mission is to ensure that Georgia's academically promising students have the academic, social, and financial support needed to graduate from high school, access college and achieve postsecondary success. Beginning in the 8th grade and through high school, REACH Scholars are paired with a mentor and an academic coach. Scholars must maintain good grades (2.5 GPA), behavior and attendance. Scholars who successfully complete the program and graduate from high school are awarded a \$10,000 scholarship (\$2,500/year) that can be used at a University System of Georgia, Technical College System of Georgia, or eligible private postsecondary institution. The scholarship is in addition to any other grant or scholarship the student receives.