**OFFICE OF CHIEF ACADEMIC OFFICER**
**Summary of State Board of Education Agenda Items**
**May 15-16, 2014**

**OFFICE OF INSTRUCTIONAL ENHANCEMENT**

**Mississippi School of the Arts**

09.   Approval of the Mississippi School of the Arts (MSA) to host a summer arts camp
      and participate in the summer feeding program

      The Mississippi School of the Arts (MSA) requests permission to host its first
      summer camp and to participate in the summer feeding program through the
      United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) and the MDE Office of Child
      Nutrition. The purpose of the camp is to provide students with the opportunity to
      receive intensive arts training in creative writing, dance, theatre, visual art, and
      vocal music as part of MSA's outreach efforts. Students will study two art forms
      of their choice. This camp will take place on the campus of MSA on June 1-6,
      2014, for up to 125 students in 8th- 10th grade. Registration will be on a first-come
      first-served basis. The registration cost for a residential student is $395, and the
      cost for a commuter student is $195. The registration cost will cover most of the
      camp expenses. Additional camp expenses will be offset through a grant from
      the Mississippi Arts Commission and through the MSA Foundation.

      Recommendation:  Approval

      Back-up material attached

**DANCE** *THEATRE*
**VOCAL** MUSIC
**VISUAL ARTS**
CREATIVE WRITING

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mississippi arts commission
support inspire enrich

**msa**
mississippi**school**of the**arts**

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Attn: Summer Camp
Mississippi School of the Arts
PO Box 229
Brookhaven, MS 39602

summer
2014
**arts**
CAMP

STUDENTS GRADES 8-10

**JUNE 1-6**

mississippi**school**of the**arts**

The Mississippi School of the Arts will host a summer arts camp for students entering grades 8-10 that will offer one week of intensive arts training in creative writing, dance, theatre, visual art and vocal music with classes by our extraordinary faculty. Students will have the opportunity to study two art forms of choice for the week, culminating with a showcase for families.

Students can get the experience of living in a residential environment or participate as a commuter for the week. Our dynamic educational environment is unlike any other. We offer students the opportunity to focus on creative expression and innovation.

The Mississippi School of the Arts is located on the historic Whitworth College Campus in Brookhaven, about sixty miles south of Jackson. The historic buildings and new construction provide an exceptional place to study.
Don't you want to be a part of it?

The camp space is limited.
Reserve your place today.
First come, first served.
No previous arts training required.

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A limited number of scholarships are available for documented financial need. Please request an application for scholarship in order to apply

## Residential Student $395

Includes three meals daily, daily snack, t-shirt, and supplies for classes

## Commuter Student $195

Includes lunch daily, t-shirt, and supplies for classes

**SCHEDULE**

JUNE 1
5-6PM REGISTRATION AND CHECK IN
6PM PROCEDURES MEETING

JUNE 2-5
8:15 AM BREAKFAST
9AM-12PM SESSION ONE
12-1PM LUNCH
1-4PM SESSION TWO
5PM DINNER
6-9PM RESIDENTIAL ACTIVITIES
10PM ROOM CHECK
10:30PM LIGHTS OUT

JUNE6
8:15AM BREAKFAST
9AM-10:30AM SESSION ONE
10:30-12PM SESSION TWO
12-1PM LUNCH
1:30PM CULMINATING ACTIVITY

Detach this portion of the brochure and send with a non-refundable $25 registration fee (applicable toward camp cost) to the address below. A packet of registration forms will be sent to you to complete prior to enrollment.

NAME

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PARENT'S NAME

_____

ADDRESS

_____

CITY                    ZIP

_____

EMAIL

_____

HOME PHONE

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CELL PHONE (TWO PLEASE)

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TSHIRT SIZE **8 9 10**
S M L XL

adult sizes
GRADE ENTERING IN THE FALL 2014

**ART FORM**   SELECT TWO
Please Circle

DANCE   VISUAL ARTS   THEATRE
CREATIVE WRITING   VOCAL MUSIC

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