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MEMORANDUM NO. 2017-012

TO: School District Superintendents
K-12 Principals
K-12 Social Studies and History Teachers

FROM: Lisa Weigel, Chief Policy Officer

DATE: January 17, 2017

SUBJECT: George Washington Teacher Institute

GEORGE WASHINGTON TEACHER INSTITUTE

APPLICATIONS DUE JAN 31

The George Washington Teacher Institute is offering six summer residential programs featuring access to content scholars, the Mount Vernon estate, and sources, both primary and secondary.

The following programs are offered:

- Washington at War: From Soldier to Commander in Chief (June 13-17)
- Slavery in George Washington's World (June 20-24)
- First in Business: Washington, Mount Vernon, and the New Nation (July 11-15)
- Leadership and Legacy: Lessons from George Washington (July 18-22)
- Martha Washington and the Women of the 18th Century (August 1-6)
- Model Citizen: George Washington and the Founding of the U.S. Government (August 8-12).

Each week features a lead scholar who drives the content and works closely with each participant. All current K-12 teachers are invited to apply. Full scholarships, including travel stipends, are available for applicants teaching in Wyoming during the 2017-18 school year.

Applications are due January 31, 2017.

For more details, including the application requirements and formal application, visit mountvernon.org/summerresidential. The institute contact is Jackie Jecha, jjecha@mountvernon.org or 703-799-5082.

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