

## **GSMST**

### **2017-2018 Accomplishments**

#### **GA S.T.E.M. CERTIFICATION**

GSMST was awarded the GA S.T.E.M. Certification by the State Dept. of Education. A science, technology, engineering, & math (STEM) school is one dedicated to the STEM education of every student within the school. The entire curriculum & every teacher are committed to preparing students for careers in a STEM field. Through this certification, the GA Dept. of Education recognizes & supports the critical contributions made by Georgia's STEM programs.

#### **NATIONAL BLUE RIBBON SCHOOL OF EXCELLENCE**

GSMST is a 2016 National Blue Ribbon School of Excellence and is recognized as an exemplary high performing school. The National Blue Ribbon Schools Program recognizes public and private elementary, middle, and high schools based on their overall academic excellence or their progress in closing achievement gaps among student subgroups. The National Blue Ribbon School award affirms the hard work of students, educators, families, and communities in creating safe and welcoming schools where students master challenging content.

#### **2017-2018 GSMST TEACHER OF THE YEAR!**

Congratulations to Mr. Adam Brown, GSMST Teacher of the Year.

#### **2017 AATSP OUTSTANDING TEACHER**

The American Association of Teachers of Spanish and Portuguese has named Jamie Vega as the Georgia Chapter AATSP Outstanding Teacher of the Year.

#### **GSMST RANKED MOST CHALLENGING HIGH SCHOOL IN GA**

The Washington Post ranked GSMST No. 27 in the country and No. 1 in Georgia.

#### **2016 GSMST SAT SCORE is 1870**

GSMST is 411 points above the state average of 1459.

GSMST is 386 points above the national average of 1484.

GSMST is 367 points above the GCPS average of 1503.

GSMST is 221 points above the next closest Gwinnett HS.

#### **ACADEMIC LETTER WINNERS**

121 GSMST students earned their academic letter for the 2016-2017 school year. To earn an Academic Letter, the student must have a combined 95% or higher average in all courses taken during the Fall 2016 and Spring 2017 school year.

#### **2017 NATIONAL AP SCHOLAR AWARDS**

72 GSMST students achieved National AP Scholar recognition. This award is granted to students who receive an average score of at least 4.0 on all AP Exams taken, and scores of 4 or higher on eight or more AP Exams.

#### **NATIONAL MERIT WINNERS**

16 GSMST students have been named semifinalists for the 2017 National Merit Scholarship Program.

#### **JIANGSU CUP CHINESE SPEECH COMPETITION**

A GSMST 11th grade student won 1st Place in the event hosted by the Georgia Chinese Language Educators Association.

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### MODEL UN

GSMST MUNC IV: GSMST's Model UN Club hosted the 4th annual Model UN conference.

Georgia Tech Model UN Conference: 2 GSMST students representing Norway received Honorable Delegate awards and one GSMST student won the Best Delegate award representing the Democratic People's Republic of North Korea.

### ORCHESTRA

7 GSMST students were selected to the Kendall Honor Orchestra and the Gwinnett County Youth Symphony.

### REFLECTIONS WINNERS

Sixteen GSMST students are Reflections winners at the local school level for their competition entries in Literature, Photography, Visual Arts, Musical Composition, and Dance Choreography. These students will now compete at the county level competition in January.

GSMST students received the following awards at the county level:

- 2nd Place - Literature
- 2nd Place - Musical Composition
- 1st Place - Photography
- 1st Place - Visual Arts
- 2nd Place - Visual Arts
- 1st Place - Dance Chorography

### SCIENCE OLYMPIAD

GSMST Science Olympiad placed 2nd among 28 teams in the 4th Annual UGA Science Olympiad Tournament. GSMST students also received individual medals in Mousetrap Vehicle, Microbe Mission, Dynamic Planet, Thermodynamics, Helicopter, Astronomy, Optics, and Fermi Questions.

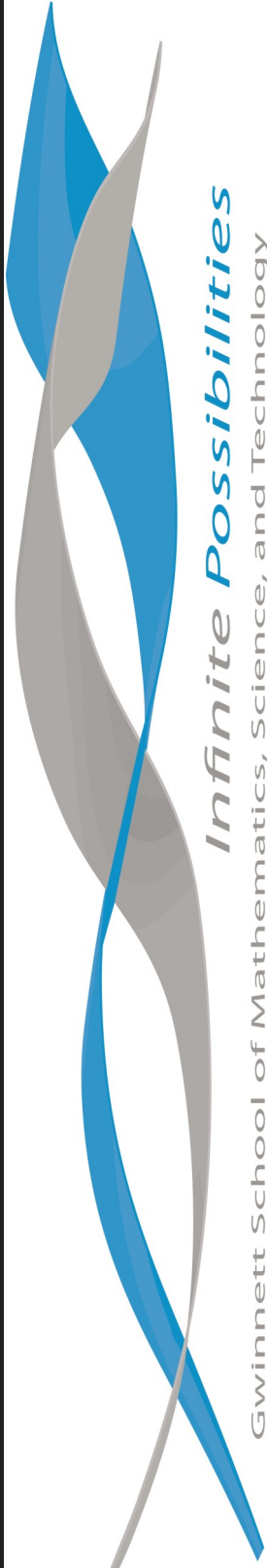
### TSA

GSMST's Technology Student Association competed against over 100 high schools at the Fall Leadership Conference at Jekyll Island. GSMST had the fastest time in the Armada Boat Race and took 1st place overall. GSMST VEX team 675D took 1st place in the VEX tournament and team 675A made it to the semi-finals.

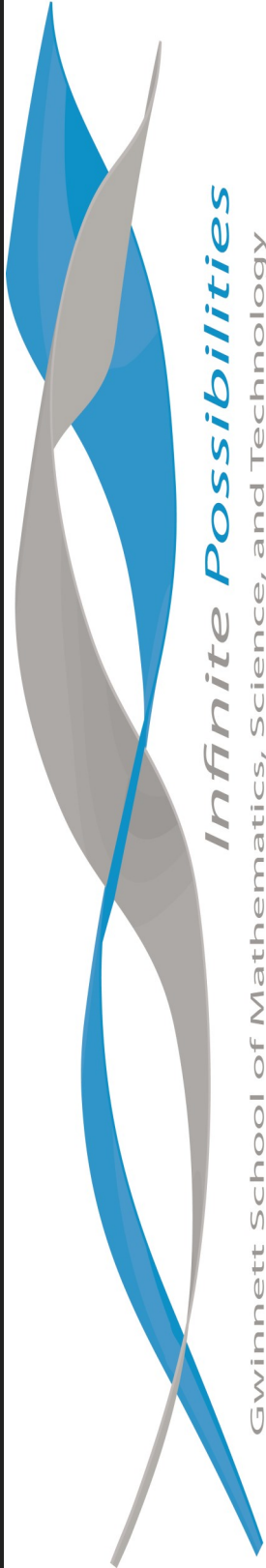
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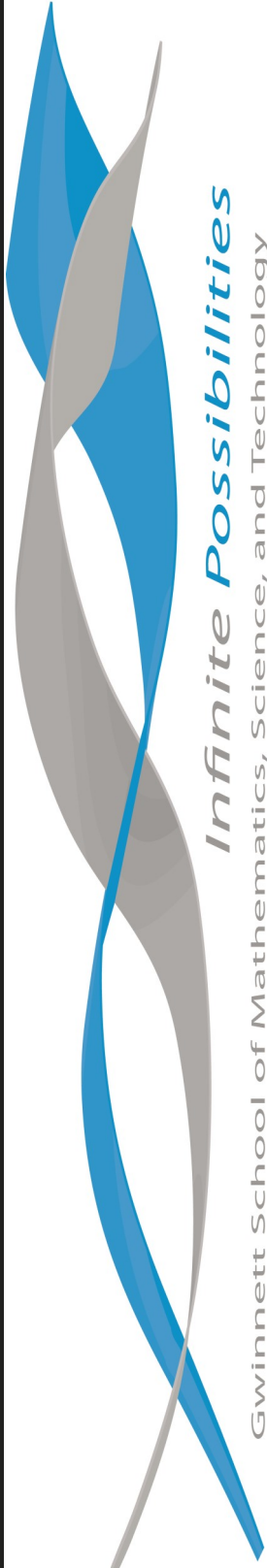
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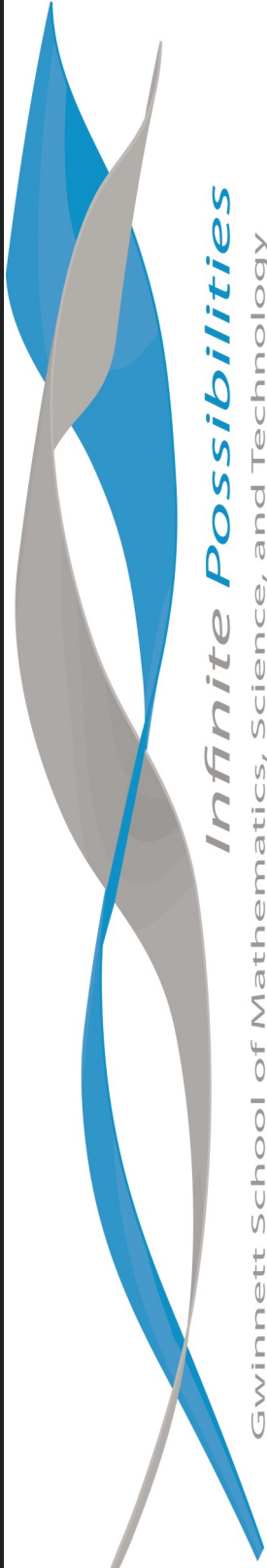
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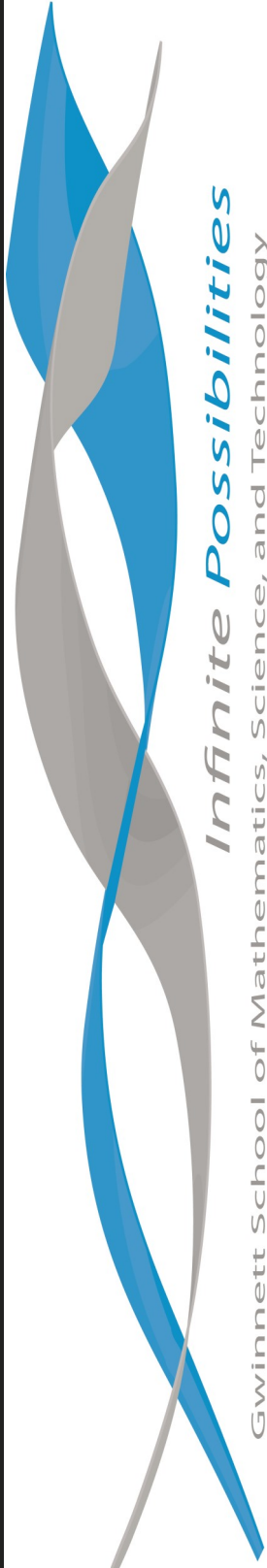
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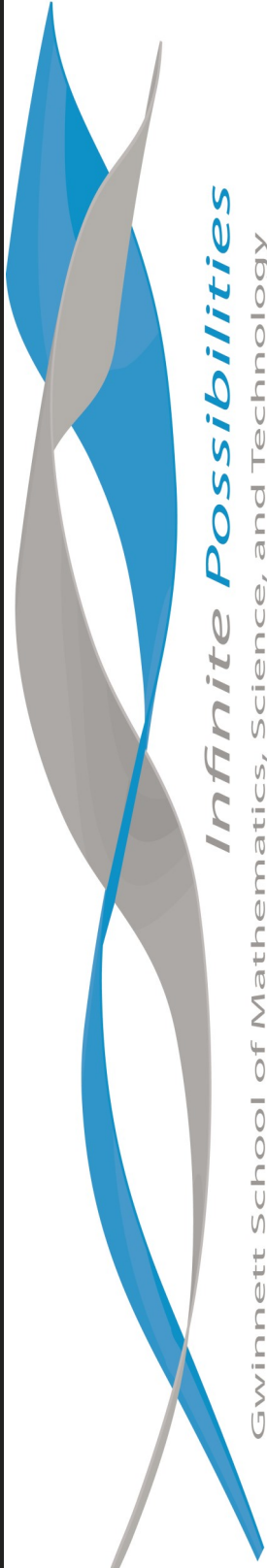
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