

# Partnership Success Stories: Year-long Internships and Interns as Teachers

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# Recipe for Partnerships



It's our vision



Having the right attitude, approach



Complexity of preparing teachers



Public nature of what we do



Application!  
Breathing life into ideas



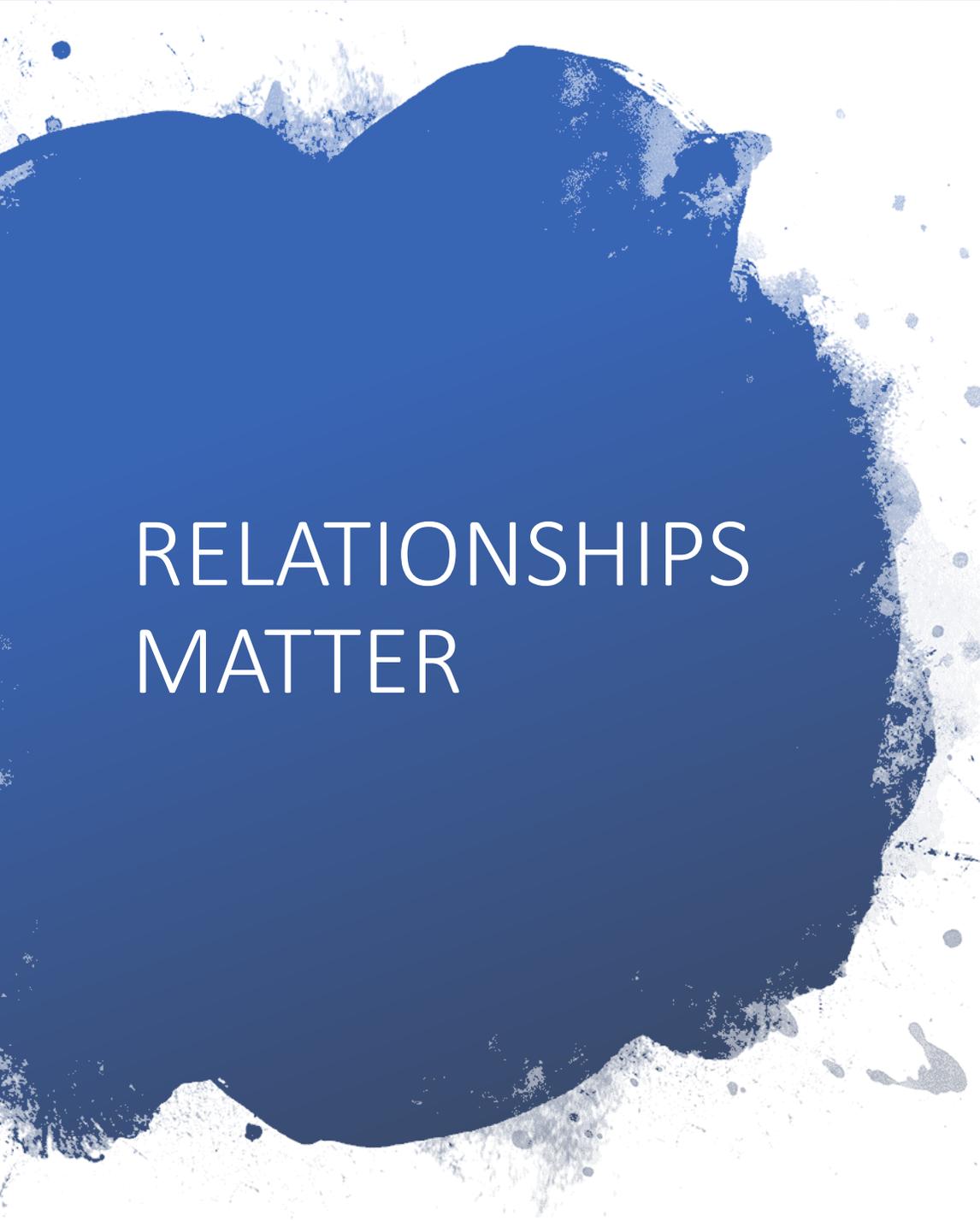
Seeking out the intellectual challenge



It is FUN!



It's rewarded (and awarded)!



# RELATIONSHIPS MATTER

*"There are no partnerships without first having relationships."*

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# Highlights



MIDDLE GEORGIA P-20



INTERNS AS TEACHERS



LITERACY INITIATIVE



# Georgia's P-20 Collaboratives

*Vision: Communities united to empower educators to maximize student success.*

**Mission Statement:** *Utilizing shared resources to provide ongoing and reciprocal learning opportunities for all stakeholders, guided by need.*

[www.gapsc.com/P20.aspx](http://www.gapsc.com/P20.aspx)



# Interns as Teachers

- School principals will identify faculty vacancies in their schools.
- School principals will also identify veteran teachers and aspiring teacher leaders who will be named “master teachers”.
- Master Teachers will step out of their originally assigned classroom and take on a 100% mentoring role.
- Two high-quality senior teacher candidates from MGA will apply for the identified vacancy (in #1 above) as well as the created vacancy (#3 above).
- Each teacher candidate will become the teacher of record in their respective classroom and be paid a stipend with full participation and credit in TRS.
- The Master Teacher will be paid an additional stipend (TBD) and will aim to spend 50% of mentoring time in each classroom in #5 above.
- Teacher candidates, the master teacher, and participating schools will receive additional professional learning and other support from faculty and staff of MGA as well as from the local school district.

# Interns as Teachers

## 3 Districts

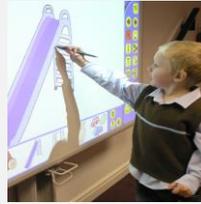
Bibb  
Dublin City  
Pulaski

## Just In-Time Support

## Lessons Learned

- Modified Curriculum
- Constant Communication
- All Hands on Deck

# Literacy Initiatives 2 Districts



Family Literacy  
Engagement



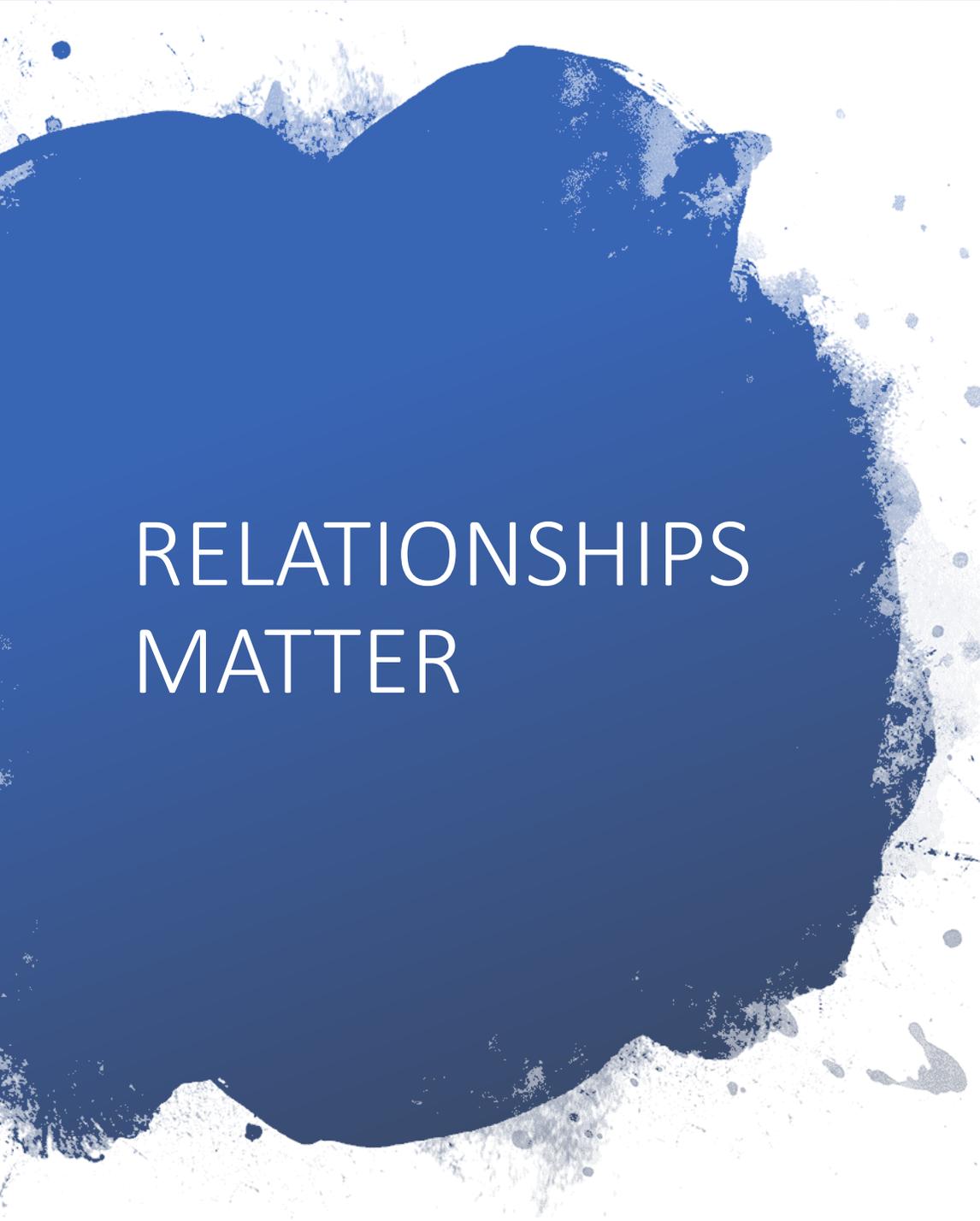
Small Group Instruction



Customized Approach  
Mini Libraries Project  
ESOL Training

# More Examples of Our Successful Partnerships

- Partner Schools
- Georgia PSC; GA DOE; USG
- Project NURTURE (w/ Georgia State)
- CEEDAR
- RESAS – two!
- Starbase Robins
- FIRST Lego League regional tournament
- Upward Bound – Westside High School
- Collaborations and pipeline building with CTAE directors
- Partnerships with sister institutions
- Accreditation



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# Mutually Beneficial





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