QCM Details (Action Required)
Counselor Network
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Directors’ Meeting
Tutor.com Admin Access Adjustments (Action Required)
Student Numbers for Texas Instruments Match (Action Required)

PLEASE NOTE: We have started adding action items in bold red. Any items indicated with this heading need a response or action from GEAR UP coordinators. This will be a feature of the bi-weekly bulletin moving forward. Thank you for your timely consideration and response to the action items.

QCM Details
LEAs & IHEs: Please make every effort to attend the QCM in Asheville on Monday, Dec. 5th beginning at 10am and concluding on Tuesday, Dec. 6th at 12:30pm. We have an agenda that is relevant to both our LEA and our IHE partners, and we're excited for some engaging discussion. Appalachian GEAR UP will provide lunch on Monday and breakfast on Tuesday plus snacks on both days. Come hungry, bring a finance team member, and be ready to engage in the important work that we do together. Coordinators need to RSVP using the link provided. GO, GEAR UP QCM!
Survey Update
LEAs: As a reminder, the final date for collecting the Control Student Survey and Teacher Survey is Friday, November 18. As of November 5 (Saturday), the overall Control Student Survey response rate across GU school districts was 15.07%. Thank you for helping increase the rate from only 0.24% a week ago, and hopefully by November 18 you will be able to help us close in on our goal of 70% for the Control Student Survey response rate.

You should also have received a list of teachers who have completed a teacher survey, but if not please let us know. Currently, across 10 school districts, 510 teachers have completed the survey. Based on what has worked best in the past to improve teacher survey completion, we would like to ask that each school consider taking a few minutes during a staff meeting to request completion of the Teacher Survey. Thank you as always for your valuable assistance with this vital/important data collection.

Directors' Meeting
LEAs: Our first in-person Director's meeting of the year is next Wednesday, November 16th. Details have been sent to all Directors, and we're looking forward to seeing everyone at The Grind Cafe in Morganton, NC from 11am-2pm. Agenda will be sent to Directors early next week.

Coordinator Action Items:
Tutor.com Administrative Access Adjustments-
LEAs: Coordinators, please take a look at your county’s Tutor.com accounts. Please code every administrator account as one of the following options; Green is good to go, Red needs deleted, Yellow needs adjustment or changes. For any item that is Yellow, provide a comment or suggested change in the Notes column.
Coordinator Action Items (Continued):

Marketing & Communications Files
Do you need anything in our GEAR UP Resource Folder personalized? Do you want us to create something similar in your district? We can tweak any resource to fit the needs of your district, and we encourage you to brainstorm any ideas of how our resources can serve your needs! Districts may use any of the resources from this folder at any time. If a district wants to make any edits to an existing item in the folder, they will need to complete the Resource Request form. We will continually add items to this folder, so be sure to check back often.

If you would like App State to print a resource in the folder, please allow 30 days for printing and delivery of the materials. Contact Elyssee Gibson (gibsonse@appstate.edu) with any questions. New items in the folder include GEAR UP Zoom backgrounds, test date reminders, social media posts, GEAR UP services login flyers, survey graphics, and more!