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## Three Houston County Academic Bowl Teams to Participate in State PAGE Academic Bowl Competition







Pictured from top: Perry Middle School, Mossy Creek Middle School and Bonaire Middle School

HOUSTON COUNTY, GA – Out of 16 teams in Region 4, Academic Bowl team members from Perry Middle School, Mossy Creek Middle School, and Bonaire Middle School will compete in the Professional Association of Georgia Educators (PAGE) Academic Bowl for Middle Grades State Competition. These teams, respectively, earned the top three places in early December at the PAGE Regional Bowl at Lamar County Middle School. The PAGE Academic Bowl for Middle Grades is sponsored by the Professional Association of Georgia Educators, Georgia's largest educator association.

These three teams from Houston County are among 23 other regional team winners from across the state who are invited to compete in the state championship at Georgia College & State University in Milledgeville on January 21. The PAGE Academic Bowl for Middle Grades features teams of middle school students fielding questions on subjects ranging from history to mathematics, science, literature, and the performing arts. Cheered on by coaches, parents, and fellow students, team members answer toss-ups and bonus questions to score points.

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The PAGE Academic Bowl, conceived in 1983, encourages participants to excel academically, boosts confidence and self-esteem through high academic achievement, and stimulates a competitive spirit.

For more information about academic bowl, please contact Olethia Thomas, Director of Gifted Education/Coordinator of Fine Arts & Advanced Placement, at <a href="mailto:olethia.thomas@hcbe.net">olethia.thomas@hcbe.net</a> or (478) 988-6200 x 3450.

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