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Local Educator to Become ‘Google Certified’ at Google Teacher Academy for Administrators

Walnut Creek, CA, February 05, 2010 — Google™ has selected Eric Sheninger, Principal of New Milford High School (NJ) as an attendee at the next Google Teacher Academy for Administrators, to be held in San Antonio on March 5, 2010.

The Google Teacher Academy for Administrators is a free professional development experience designed to help K-12 educational leaders get the most from innovative technologies. Each Academy is an intensive, one-day event where participants get hands-on experience with Google's products and technologies, learn about innovative instructional strategies, and receive resources to share with colleagues. Upon completion, Academy participants become Google Certified Teachers who share what they learn with other K-12 educators in their local regions and beyond.

Eric is thrilled to be among those selected, stating *"This is an incredible opportunity for me to represent New Milford High School in order to learn from some of the best educators in the country, collaborate with innovative educational leaders, and bring back ideas that my staff can utilize to engage all learners and improve student achievement. This is such an honor to be selected to participate. I am extremely fortunate to work in a district that fully supports my professional growth and pursuit of innovation"*.

Google Certified Teachers are exceptional K-12 educators with a passion for using innovative tools to improve teaching and learning, as well as creative leaders and ambassadors for change. They are recognized experts and widely admired for their commitment to high expectations for students, life-long learning and collaboration.

The Google Certified Teacher program was launched in 2006 with the first Academy held at Google headquarters in Mountain View. The program has since held several academies across the US, expanding the ranks of Google Certified Teachers. This is the first Google Teacher Academy focused exclusively on educational leaders. The Google Teacher Academy is produced by Google, in collaboration with CUE and WestEd, both educational non-profit organizations.

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