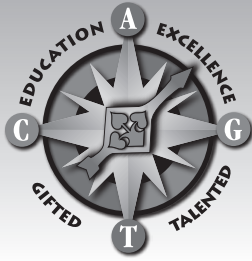


LEGISLATIVE DAY 2012 AT THE CAPITOL: CELEBRATING EXCELLENCE



Thursday, February 23, 2012 7:30 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

**Scottish Rite
Masonic Hall**
(1370 Grant Street)

**Colorado State
Capitol**
(Colfax & Lincoln)

Who should
attend?

Students (Grades 8-12); CAGT Affiliate Board Members and Interested Parents/
Educators/Administrators/School Board Members/Others

May students
attend?

Students (grades 8-12) who have applied, registered, and been accepted for shadowing a legislator or assigned to a group for all or part of the day will participate, [along with other registered adults and accompanied students], in a morning orientation and lunchtime session with legislators. Due to limited space, large groups of students and chaperones will ONLY be allowed to participate in lunchtime forum if space is available & after meals are distributed.

What is the
program
schedule for
the day?

- Required orientation for Student Shadows [7:30 – 8:15 a.m.]
- Student Shadows meet with Assigned Legislators at the Capitol [8:45 a.m.]
- Lunch with the Legislators, Student Shadows, & Adult Participants – Scottish Rite Masonic Hall (SRMH) [11:45 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.]
- Opportunity to Observe Committee Hearings at the Capitol [1:00 – 3:00 p.m.]
- Students may be picked up at Masonic Hall or pre-arranged location
- CAGT representatives will remain at the Masonic Hall until 3:00 p.m.
- Morning Program for GT advocates | Room 356 [9:30-11:30]

What will
participants
expect to
learn by
attending this
event?

- The Colorado Legislative Process: How It Works
- Critical Issues Affecting Gifted Education & Tapping Colorado's Potential (Funding, Supportive Legislation, Accountability, Academic Growth, At-risk Populations)
- Effective Advocacy at the Local, State and National Level

For more information: log onto the CAGT website (www.coloradogifted.org); call 303.520.4887 or email cagt@aol.com

Deadline for Student Shadow Application and Registration: January 31st
Registration Deadline for Adults & Accompanied Students Not
Applying as a Shadow: February 10th.

Registration may be completed online at www.coloradogifted.org or
download the forms, scan and submit electronically to cagt@aol.com .