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HCBOE Welcomes New School Food Services Coordinator



HOUSTON COUNTY, GA – The Houston County Board of Education approved Superintendent Dr. Robin Hines’ recommendation on Jan. 10, 2012, to name Shana Wood School Nutrition Coordinator. She will oversee the menus and nutrition of food products served to ensure compliance with USDA regulations. She will also supervise nutrition education and manage personnel systemwide.

Wood is a graduate of the Houston County School System. She earned a bachelor’s degree in Dietetics from the University of Georgia and a master’s degree in Human Nutrition from the University of Alabama. After completing her dietetic internship, she worked as dietitian for the Houston County School System for four years. In 2008, she began working as the School Nutrition Director for the Monroe County School System.

“Houston County's School Nutrition Program has always been recognized as a high-performing program among the state and nation,” commented Wood. “It is a privilege for me to be a part of such a great group of people again. I am looking forward to working with the school nutrition team to provide healthy, balanced, quality meals to ALL students so that they can focus on their studies while in the classroom and not on their empty stomachs.”

She is excited to return home to Houston County. She has been married to her husband, Chad, for more than six years. They have a son and are expecting another child in July. For more information, please contact Wood at 478-322-3308 or Shana.Wood@hcbe.net.

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