**Social Studies Forum**

**October 1, 2012**

**Agenda**

**8:30 – 8:45 Welcome Back and Purpose of Forum**

**Affirming Norms**

**8:45 – 9:15 Updates from NYSED**

* Potential Revision of High School Graduation Requirements: Global History and Geography

[**http://www.regents.nysed.gov/meetings/2012Meetings/September2012/912p12d1.pdf**](http://www.regents.nysed.gov/meetings/2012Meetings/September2012/912p12d1.pdf)

* The draft New York State Common Core K-8 Social Studies Framework is the  
  result of these efforts. That draft is posted on-line for public review  
  and comment, once at web-site, scroll down and click “On-line Survey”

<http://engageny.org/resource/new-york-state-common-core-k-8-social-studies-framework/>

\*Scroll down to end of engageny page and find the pdf document

**9:15 – 10:30 District Roundtable**

* **Please be prepared to share any new initiatives you may have in social studies OR any questions that you might have for your colleagues**

**10:30 – 11:30 Teaching the Election**

**11:30 – 12:30 LUNCH (provided by Joey V’s Catering)**

**12:30 – 2:30 Small Group Development Time**

* **Create an activity and/or lesson for the upcoming election**
* **Infuse CCLS and Technology**
* **Develop a rubric for student work**

**2:30 – 3:00 Sharing of Work**

* **Forum members will share work**
* **Attachments will be added to the weebly**

**e2socialstudies.weebly.com**

Future Meetings:

**December 7 (Friday)**

**March 8 (Friday)**

**May 31 (Friday)**