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**MEMORANDUM**

**TO:** Local and Intermediate School District Superintendents  
Public School Academy Directors

**FROM:** Sally Vaughn, Ph.D. *Sally*  
Deputy Superintendent/Chief Academic Officer

**RE: Out-of-School Time Professional Development Opportunity**

The Michigan Department of Education is pleased to announce the Michigan After-school Collaborative (MAC) Summer Summit to be held May 21, 2010 from 8:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. The MAC Summer Summit is for Michigan's out-of-school time community including teachers, on-site staff, administrators, child care providers, and parents. The MAC Summer Summit is sponsored by the Michigan Department of Education in collaboration with state and local agencies, associations, and organizations.

The Summit emphasizes the importance of integrating services through collaboration among out-of-school time programs, public schools, community agencies, and families. The goal of the Summit is to provide participants with a format to discuss current information regarding research studies, collaborative planning, teaching strategies, ideas and techniques, and to affirm the importance of establishing a rich, supportive environment and high quality services for school-age children and youth, and their families, during the summer months.

Registration is now being accepted at [www.miafterschool.com](http://www.miafterschool.com). Registration deadline is May 7, 2010. For further details regarding the summit, please visit: [www.miafterschool.com](http://www.miafterschool.com) or contact Lorraine Thoreson, Consultant, Office of Early Childhood Education and Family Services at (517) 241-4974 or by e-mail at [thoresonl@michigan.gov](mailto:thoresonl@michigan.gov).

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