

## ***Gates on the Go!* Information**

*Gates on the Go!* is a partnership between the ECU College of Education and Mr. Ray Felton to support STEM education and college and career readiness in Gates County Schools through a variety of programs designed to create interest and competency among K-12 students.

An area of this partnership involves a *Sea to Air* drone competition. Upon selection, Gates County students will prepare for a drone expo that will require them to navigate a series of challenges in teams as well as complete a team “Show Me” board that includes research and reflections. This program will take both dedication and effort from the student.

Students must apply to be selected for the *Gates on the Go!* program. A total of twelve students will be selected at CMS and another twelve will be selected at GCHS. The application process will go as follows:

1. Students will receive the *Gates on the Go!* application.
2. Completed applications are due back by 1/14/22. **No applications will be accepted after this date.**
3. Teachers of the applicants will be contacted to give an overall character reference (behavior, effort, leadership skills, etc.).
4. Applicants may be interviewed using the information from this application.
5. Students will be notified of their acceptance no later than 1/28/22.