

#### "KIDS FIRST IN FRANKFORT"

A Legislative Advocacy Conference & Lobbying Day for Education Leaders

### February 22 - 23, 2012

Capital Plaza Hotel & Kentucky State Capitol Frankfort, Kentucky

#### COME TO FRANKFORT TO SPEAK OUT FOR KIDS!

Governor Beshear and the Kentucky General Assembly will make critical budget decisions that will have a direct impact on local school districts. This year, more than ever, there could not be a more crucial time for local education leaders to come to Frankfort and lobby their legislators. Education and community leaders CAN make a difference. That's why KSBA is hosting KIDS First Advocacy Conference & Lobbying Day. It is *your* opportunity to speak out for the students of Kentucky's public schools.

- Learn from legislative leaders about important legislation and budget decisions facing the General Assembly.
- Visit with your legislators and influence education policy.
- Meet with high-level officials in the Beshear administration.
- Ensure that the influence of education leaders is felt in Frankfort!

# IF YOU DON'T SPEAK OUT FOR OUR CHILDREN, WHO WILL?



# ADVOCACY CONFERENCE

and Lobbying Day

Wednesday, February 22, 2012 Capital Plaza Hotel, Frankfort

5 p.m.-8 p.m.

Legislative Reception - Assembly Ballroom

(For legislators, staff members from the governor's office and Legislative Research Commission, and all conference registrants.)



# Thursday, February 23, 2012

Capital Plaza Hotel - Ballrooms 3 & 4

Kentucky State Capitol

7:30 a.m.

Light breakfast - Ballrooms 3 & 4

8 - 9:30 a.m.

Training Meeting – Ballrooms 3 & 4
"How to Lobby Your State Representative"

10 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Visits with Legislators at the Kentucky State Capitol

11:30 a.m.-12:45 p.m. Lunch at the LRC Capital Annex will be on your own

2 p.m. House & Senate Convene

Gallery passes will be available for those who wish to observe.

REGISTRATION FORMS ARE AVAILABLE AT <u>www.ksba.org</u>, just click on the Governmental Relations tab or call 1-800-372-2962, Ext. 1205 to have a copy faxed to you today!