August 19, 2022

Dear Parents and Guardians

I can’t tell you how excited I am for the upcoming school year. We have been working hard all summer to help ensure students and families have a great experience during this upcoming school year!

The safety of the students and staff at Perry Hall High School continues to be my top priority. Please remember to assume the best intentions in others, be kind to those around you, and if you see anything potentially concerning, ALWAYS tell someone! Reach out, speak up, be kind!

During the past two school years, many of the events that make school fun and exciting were put on hold due to COVID. This year, we are excited to bring back many of these traditions, along with lots of new ones! The homecoming festivities will include a pep rally, homecoming parade, tailgate party and football game all on October 14th, and the homecoming dance on October 15th! Other planned events include a Lip Sync Battle Night, Perry Hall’s Got Talent Show, Trivia Night and much, much more! If you’d like to help organize these events, please get involved with your class senate and student council!

However, each student’s ability to participate in these or any school events requires students to handle their primary responsibility, that of a student, successfully. Students failing 2 or more classes, who owe a detention, or have been suspended in the previous quarter, will not be able to participate.

Communication between school and home is of vital importance. You should have received a phone call and an email on August 5th, and a letter in the mail a few days after that. If you did not get all three of these messages home, please contact us so we can update your contact information. To reduce the number of calls and improve our communication, we will share our bi-weekly newsletter, the CommuniGator, every other Friday. It will be sent via email and posted on the school’s website; please check it out!

The single greatest indicator of a student’s success is attendance! Getting to class on-time each day matters! We know that getting back into the routine of waking up early will be an adjustment, but instruction will begin at 7:45 am each day so please, make getting to school a top priority! Students who are late to school unexcused may not be able to participate in sports or extra-curricular activities that day.

We have prepared a year of rigorous instruction for all students, and it is important that everyone shows up knowing this and prepared to work hard! This year our students will be doing more reading and writing than ever before. Before the end of this year, students will have written at least 64 substantial pieces of work across all their classes and will have revised and re-written at least 32 of them. We will support students every step of the way and plenty of assistance will be available, but there is no two ways about it, your student will be working hard this year! Nothing worth having comes easy!

We have three events planned in the coming weeks to help students and families learn about PHHS! The PTSA Q+A is the evening of August 23, Early Entry Day for grade 9 students is a half day on August 25, and our Back-to-School Night is the evening of August 25th. Details for these events can be found in the CommuniGator!

Sincerely,

Mr. Craig T. Reed, Principal
Dear Team BCPS families,

Welcome to the 2022-2023 school year!

First and foremost, I hope that you and your loved ones are safe and healthy and are enjoying your summer. We will continue to prioritize the health and safety of staff and students as we resume in-person learning for students.

This school year, I look forward to continuing our focus on the equitable, high-quality teaching and learning called for in our strategic plan, The Compass: Our Pathway to Excellence. Your school has been preparing throughout the summer to support the academic and social-emotional needs of every student. We recognize that families and staff may still be encountering a variety of challenges. Schools will provide ways to reconnect that work for your community.

Wellness is so important; therefore, we are continuing to raise awareness about mental health resources for students and staff through our Mind Over Matters campaign. You should also know that every school has a counselor, psychologist, social worker, and nurse to provide direct service and support to our students.

To safeguard in-person learning, our schools and offices are continuing to use strategies recommended by federal, state, and local experts. We work closely with the Baltimore County Department of Health to monitor COVID transmission and to make any changes. Last year, we learned the importance of remaining flexible as conditions evolve. You will always find the latest information at [www.bcps.org](http://www.bcps.org).

Your most important connection is with your child's school, and I enjoy experiencing those relationships during my visits throughout the county. Whether you are new to our family or returning, I am so glad that you have chosen Team BCPS. Let's have a wonderful school year!

Sincerely,

Darryl L. Williams, Ed.D.
Superintendent
Back-to-School Night

Back to School Night will be in person @ Perry Hall High School, on Thursday, August 25 from 5:00 – 7:00 p.m.

Additional information will be forthcoming via Schoology.

FOCUS-Parent Access

Having access to FOCUS is CRITICAL to keep up with transportation, student schedules, registration, report cards, and attendance. Please make sure you have an active parent account, see the attached documents to help set up and navigate your account.

Set-up parent account link:

Navigate your account in FOCUS:
https://acrobat.adobe.com/link/track?uri=urn:aaid:scds:US:61acb916-1f6b-34a2-980a-1f5bdc59308f

* If your contact information has changed, please contact the school office with the updated information. This will ensure you receive all school communications.

Transportation

For Parent Drop Off, Pick Up & Student Parking Permits, please see the link below:
https://acrobat.adobe.com/link/track?uri=urn:aaid:scds:US:1f663c69-c4fb-3e66-a3e0-1c73f7628feb

Bus information will be coming soon via e-mail.
**Schedule Information**

All schedules are estimated to be available on August 15.

Please review your schedule in FOCUS. Log in to FOCUS.

Check for a few things:

- Make sure you are not scheduled into a class you have already passed
- Make sure you do not have a hole (an open period)
- Make sure the courses look appropriate for you
- If you are a Senior with early release: have you turned your form in? If not please complete the form using the link below and submit ASAP: [https://cdn5-ss3.sharpschool.com/UserFiles/Servers/Server_4202033/File/Counseling/2022-2023%20Fillable%20ER%20Waiver.pdf](https://cdn5-ss3.sharpschool.com/UserFiles/Servers/Server_4202033/File/Counseling/2022-2023%20Fillable%20ER%20Waiver.pdf)

If there is an error or you would like to request a change, please complete the survey here starting on Monday, August 8: [https://forms.office.com/r/aEMR4nRMR3](https://forms.office.com/r/aEMR4nRMR3)

We will do our best to try to accommodate reasonable requests. You will only get a call about your schedule if we were not able to complete your change or if we had a question. We will be processing changes from the survey up until the day prior to school starting. You will be able to review your revised schedule in FOCUS as soon as it is processed. Please do not email/call inquiring about your change. We will either complete your request or contact you if it is not possible prior to school starting.

Schedule Change Request Survey is open August 8 at 8AM through August 19th at 2:30 PM

**NO SCHEDULES CHANGES WILL BE COMPLETED ONCE SCHOOL STARTS.**

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**Bell Schedule**

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ATTENDANCE:

Did you know that the biggest predictor of student success is attendance? If a student must be absent from school, the student must present an absence note to the Main Office within 3 days after returning to school. The note must include the student's name, grade level, date of absence, the reason for the absence and must be signed by a parent or guardian. If a student is absent for more than three consecutive days, a doctor/physician's note must also be presented. Emails about attendance should be directed to Ms. Patton (spatton3@bcps.org) or to the student's administrator. NOTE: In accordance with BCPS Rule 5120, teachers are not required to provide students absent for unlawful reasons with make-up work but may do so at their discretion and in accordance with their school's established procedures. Class cuts are considered unexcused absences.

Extended Absence: The assistant principal may permit absences during a school year for unusual and/or imperative circumstances. This request must be made in writing to the appropriate administrator at least two weeks in advance of the expected absence.

EARLY DISMISSAL:

Unavoidable requests for early dismissal should be brought to the Main Office before 7:45 AM. The notes must be signed by a parent/guardian with the time and date to be excused, a parent contact number, and the reason for the early dismissal.

- Unplanned early dismissals must be arranged by the nurse or the Main Office. Students must sign out in the Main Office before leaving school property.

- Anyone who signs the student out must have a valid ID and be on our list of those who have approval to pick up the student. Therefore, we must have correct contact information on file yearly.

LATENESS:

To maximize instructional time, it is important that students arrive on time to school each day.

For a student to be counted as present for a full day, the student must be in attendance four hours or more of the school day. All students who arrive after 7:45 AM must sign in at the late check-in desk in the fine arts lobby to pick up a late pass before being admitted to class. A signed note from a parent or guardian explaining the reason for the lateness is required at the time of arrival in order for the lateness to be excused. When the late bus arrives at school, students will be given an excuse note to enter their first period class.

NOTE: Students who are tardy/late without a valid excuse note may not be able to participate in extracurricular activities that school day. This includes athletic events, clubs, etc.

Entrance to the Building: Students may enter the building at 7:15 AM at the main lobby or fine arts lobby. The building is not open prior to 7:15 AM in order to ensure adequate supervision. During inclement weather, students may enter the main lobby at 7:00 AM. Students will need to remain in the main lobby area until 7:15 AM.
Early Entry Day / 9th Grade Orientation

For all incoming 9th grade students and all students new to Perry Hall High School, we invite you to join us for an Early Entry Day on Thursday, August 25. Please see below information this far; more details will be coming soon via e-mail.

- The schedule for the day is 7:45-11:30.
- Bus transportation will be provided to our regular bus riders.
- Car Riders and Walkers, please be sure to arrive no later than 7:45.
- Lunch will be provided.

Free & Reduced Lunches

This school year 2022-2023, school breakfast and lunch will no longer be provided without a cost. If you would like to apply for the free and reduced breakfast and lunches, please apply using the link MySchoolApps – Getting Started.

Please click the link Meal and A La Carte Price List 2022-2023.pdf (sharpschool.com) for the 2022-2023 school lunch prices.

You can add money to your child’s lunch account with the link below: MySchoolBucks

PE Classes

Physical Education Classes:

This is an important message for any student who has scheduled a physical education class including Fitness Foundations, Weight Training, or Team Sports for the upcoming school year. All students will be required to have a uniform and combination lock in order to participate safely in class activities. Beginning on August 14th, through September 4th, an online store will be open for students to purchase physical education uniform shirts and shorts. In addition, we ask that students purchase a combination lock at their convenience and bring it to school by September 1st. The link to the store can be found on the PHHS website store: https://perrylhallhighschool2022.itemorder.com/shop/sale. Purchased items will be delivered to the school and then distributed to students by the physical education department staff.
Perry Hall High Apparel

If you’re interested in purchasing Perry Hall High gear, please click on the link. https://tinyurl.com/PHHS-Ath-Appliance

Student Assignments

Perry Hall High School
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9th grade Residency Verification

To The Parent/Guardian of Incoming 9th Graders from Feeder BCPS Schools:

If your incoming 9th grader is coming from one of BCPS feeder schools to Perry Hall High School, you were required to provide what is called "Transitional Residency" to your child’s middle school during the 4th quarter of the 2021-2022 school year. This is done to confirm that the receiving high school has the most recent residency information for your child entering the 9th grade for the upcoming 2022-2023 school year.

If you did not provide this information to the middle school, is it not too late. Please email the following items to Ms. Williams in the School Counseling Office at dwilliams13@bcps.org.

*Current Lease or Deed, mortgage coupon or real estate tax bill in the guardian’s name.
*Three pieces of mail dated with the last 60 days in the guardian’s name.
*Photo ID

Thanking you in advance for assisting in the smooth transition of your 9th grader to PHHS.

Student Devices

ALL students must swap their HP device for Chromebook. If you did NOT swap at the end of a year, we will schedule a swap session in September. Please bring your device and charger every day.

If you are a freshman with a Chromebook, you do NOT need to swap your device.

Summer Reading

Perry Hall High School Summer Reading Assignment 22-23

DIRECTIONS: At Perry Hall High School, we have high expectations for our students and for their reading lives. Over the summer, we expect that they read and expand their minds and their hearts, and they can do this by reading a good book. To simplify this task for them, we are assigning a book to each grade level and each student (many of the books are also available online). If your student is attending a different school, please reach out to that school to find out what summer reading expectations are for that school.

Please note: Click the appropriate link for you.

Incoming 9th grader: Click HERE
Incoming 10th, 11th, and 12th graders: Click HERE
Incoming AP English 11: Click HERE
Incoming AP English 12: Click HERE

Please direct all questions or concerns to Chris Turner, English DC, at cturner@bcps.org
Welcome back Gator Families! We, at the PTSA, hope everyone had a nice and relaxing summer. As happens every year, it ends all too soon, and before we know it, we find ourselves reading a “Back to School” newsletters and PTSA emails instead of internet memes.

While your family has been relaxing at the beach or poolside, the PTSA has been hard at work moving to our new MemberHub account, creating a new website, and making plans for our various events for this upcoming school year. The first of which, is our New Student Social on August 23rd at 6 p.m. in the cafeteria of the high school.

This event is designed for those new to the Gator family to ask questions and get information directly from current Gator parents and students. While there, you are treated to ice cream sundaes and door prizes. All new students and parents are urged to attend, get a bit of a sneak peek at what the school offers, from clubs to boosters. If you are interested in joining us, click [here](#) to obtain a spot for you and your student.

We hope to see you there!
Shannon Ruddock
President, PHHS PTSA

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**Nurse’s Office**

The Discretionary Medications Form will be mailed to each student in our Back-to-School mailing.
From August 16-18, the PHHS Robotics Team participated in the first annual RI3D (“Robot in 3 Days”) Camp. During the event, the team designed, built, programmed, and tested a robot for the 2022-2023 VEX Robotics Competition, Spin Up. In just three days the team created their first design iterations that will serve as a jumping point for the rest of the season. The team kept an engineering notebook that documents the design, build, and testing process that they will use throughout the season. At the end of the camp, the team evaluated their engineering notebook using the Engineering Notebook Rubric and prepared for the competitions coming this school year.

*Please check Schoology for any Club changes or updates that may occur throughout the school year.*
Club List 2022-2023

Class of 2023
Ms. Jones & Mr. Platt, Every 2nd or 3rd Wednesday on Google Meet: Schoology YFWW-BBWXX-XXM586
Planning for spirit wear, fundraising, and class activities.

Class of 2024
Mr. Henry, Ms. Ricciardi, Rem 108, Every Tuesday 2:45 PM
Planning for spirit wear, fundraising, and class activities.
Schoology: S914-G907-GSFF

Class of 2025
Ms. Stanwood & Ms. Hartman, Rem 5, 3rd Wednesday
Plan fun class events & fundraisers.

Dance of the Arts National Honor Society
Ms. Soule, Rem 13 2nd Friday of the Month at 2:30 PM
To recognize outstanding artistic merit, leadership and achievement in students studying dance.
Schoology: D5VSJ-TFR49-3H4K3

Dance Company
Ms. Soule, ssoule@bcps.org
Dance Company is a performing group that focuses on Jazz and Contemporary dance styles. They perform in the Winter Assembly, the State and County dance festivals, and in the Spring Dance Concert.

Drama Club
Mr. Goodwin, Auditorium, Wednesdays @ 2:45-3:45 PM
Provide Theatre Arts opportunities for interested students. The Drama Club is heavily involved in the fall and spring play productions as well as student driven performance projects and improve throughout the year. Schoology: XG68X-MR67W

Educators Rising (formerly Pre-FEA)
Mr. Alam, Rem 105, Thursdays @ 2:30 PM
Cultivates highly skilled educators by guiding young people on a path to becoming accomplished teachers.

Electric Car Club
Mr. Todeschi, Design, create, and race! Students will apply engineering skills to create an electric vehicle to race against other high schools in the region. Students must commit to come meeting a week (2:30-4:00 PM), multiple meetings leading up to the race, and a Saturday event (TBA).

English National Honor Society
Ms. Drusano, Rem 138, 2nd Tuesday of the Month @ 2:30 PM
Maintain a 3.5 overall unweighted cumulative GPA, attain induction each year, attend meetings, yearly dues.

Environmental Club
Mr. Johnson, Rem 210, Wednesday @ 2:35-3:30 PM
The club is organized to meet the environmental needs of Perry Hall High School and the Perry Hall community. The club provides opportunities to complete service projects, explore and learn more about the local environment, and get to know other students who care about our Earth.

E-sports Club (Pending Approval from StuCo)
Mr. Bibb, Mr. Wilker
Opportunity for students to compete in E-sports in order to earn potential scholarships.

Fashion Design Club
Ms. Strong: More info to come
Creating a space where budding designers can explore their creativity and collaborate with like-minded individuals. Aim is to use the efforts as a way to fundraise for applicable non-profit charities.

Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA)
Ms. Scala, Rem 213, Thursday @ 2:45 PM
Students will learn to talk confidently with prospective employers and experience the chance to test their business skills in state and national competitions, receive career preparation opportunities, leadership development and achievement, outstanding leadership conferences, challenging competitions, community service experience, friendship and fun, informative publications, networking with peers and business professionals. Scholarships and prizes, and Internships. SW33-HDZV-HTK6KT

French National Honor Society
Madame Tideman, Rem 219, 1st Tuesday @ 2:30 PM
Recognize high achievement of high school students in foreign language and to promote interest in studying languages and the culture.

Gender-Sexuality Alliance
Mr. Henry & Ms. Mennett, Thursdays 2:45-3:30 PM
Respect and understanding amongst the group and the general school and community population. Create a safe space and find ways to promote that idea throughout our communities.
Schoology: PHB64-935VF

Girl-Up
Ms. Vercillo, Rem 133, Every other Wednesday @ 2:45 PM
A club for empowering women around the world.

Golden Majorettes!
Ms. Jones, Thursdays @ 3:30-4:30 PM
Hip-hop dance group that combines the choreography of gymnastics, modern, ballet, jazz, African and hip-hop dance moves into high energy synchronized hip-hop dance routines.
Schoology: MV02-VXK-Q3G-K43T

Guitar Ensemble
Mr. King, Rem 152, Wednesday @ 2:45 PM
Non-Auditioned group that rehearses and performs guitar ensemble arrangements for concerts and events at PHHS. Anyone can join! No experience necessary!

Hallways Yearbook
Ms. Richardson, Rem 113, TBD @ 2:30 PM
Elective course offered at PHHS. Yearbook staff and editors meet daily during class and after school.

Hallmark Newspaper
Ms. O’Brien, Rem 213, TBD @ 2:30 PM
Sign up for Journalism 1. Become part of the Hallmark student-run online newspaper. kobrien@bcps.org

Health Occupations Students of America
Ms. Lambe & Mr. Losinger, Rem 310, Friday 2:45 PM
A student organization that operates pursuant to federal and state laws which recognize the need for HOSA activities to be available components of career-technical education programs in health occupations or health science education.
Schoology: 9GF-W-HPA4-BHMSC

International Thespian Honor Society
Ms. Purseker, Rem 148, Friday @ 7AM
The mission of ITHS is to honor student excellence in the theatre arts, its motto is “To all who play there all the honor lies.” The ITHS is the Education Theatre Association’s student honorary organization. ITHS recognizes the achievements of high school and middle school theatre students. Members are required to participate in theatre presentations in their school & service to the theatre program as part of their membership.
Schoology: 29W7-J65K-4SRK

Marching Band
Mr. Auffarth, Rem 154
Ensemble supplement musical offerings that students get during the school day. Marching Band incorporates diverse styles that students can only learn in specialized settings.

Math Honor Society
Mr. Lohrer, Rem 212, Thursday @ 2:30-3:30 PM
Love of Mathematics: excitement of competition; accomplishment of problem solving; comradeship, fellowship
Dobies@bcps.org

Mock Trial
Ms. Fulwiler, Rem 100, Wednesdays
Create a defense and prosecute for a mock case and compete with other schools. Learn more about law and the court system.
Remind: @pghmockt

Model UN
Ms. Robinson, Rem 155
Open to 12 students. Global politics by simulating the work of the United Nations: college prep; learn diplomacy and negotiation skills.
Schoology: TH9G-GP5-GW22C

Muslim Student Association
Ms. Alam, Rem 106, Wednesday @ 3PM
A place where students can freely talk about their religion and discuss common problems; carry on social and cultural activities.
To educate all people regardless of their beliefs, race, gender, etc. about Islam. Remind: @phsemsa@81010

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National Honor Society
Ms. Turner, Cafeteria, 1st Wednesday of every month
Meet new individuals, become more active in the community
through donation drives and charities; able to honor your accomplishments & high academic achievements
nhs@phhs@gmail.com

Quill & Scroll Honor Society
Ms. Richardson and Mr. Strazzie, Rm 115, TBD
Journalism Honor Society membership is by invitation application. It’s an Honor!

Philosophy Club
Mr. Sawyer, Rm 112, Every Tuesday 2:45-3:45 pm
Learn and think about interesting ideas from many different perspectives! Communicate and listen like philosophers!
Remind: @b3age

PII Orchestra
Mr. Auffarth
All interested enrolled band or orchestra members to join for spring musical. See Mr. Auffarth in room 154 or on Schoology

Robotics
Mr. Tedeschi & Mr. Weber, Meetings Tuesdays & Thursdays @ 2:45-4 pm Design, create & compete!

Rock & Roll Workshop
Mr. King, Rm 152, Wednesdays @ 2:45 PM
Auditioned group that does covers of popular rock tunes for events and concerts at PHHS. Schoology 28XV-6BVC-DGNSF

Rotary Interact Club
Ms. Bostrom & Ms. Vickery, Media Center, 2nd & 4th Wednesday @ 2:45 PM
Gives students an opportunity to participate in fun and meaningful service projects while developing leadership skills and meeting new friends. “Service above self” Schoology D2BF-0ZCC-G84G8

Science National Honor Society
Ms. Blake & Mr. Yelovich, Rm 211, 2nd & 4th Thursday @ 2:30 PM Juniors and Seniors with the requisite GPA can apply in October. Members of SNHS are committed to advancing scientific endeavors to the school and community. They also commit to maintaining an interest in any field of science.

Select Choir
Mr. Puttett & Ms. Pritt, Rm 148, Thursdays @ 2:30-4 PM
Do you like to sing? We perform a lot of fun pop arrangements! Open to students in Choir and also students who for some reason are great singers but couldn’t take a choir this year.

Skills USA (Pending approval from StuCo)
Ms. Caugil
SkillsUSA empowers its members to become world-class workers, leaders and responsible American citizens. We improve the quality of our nation’s future workforce through the development of SkillsUSA Framework skills that include personal, workplace and technical skills grounded in academics. Our vision is to produce the most highly skilled workforce in the world, providing every member the opportunity for career success.

Social Studies National Honor Society, Rho Kappa
Ms. Krause and Mrs. Evans, Rm 139, 2nd Wednesday of the Month @ 2:45 pm
The purpose of our honor society is to acknowledge students who have flourished in the social sciences and are devoted to giving back to their community to promote civic participation.

Spanish National Honor Society
Ms. da Costa
To further understanding of Spanish and Latin American culture beyond the language. Members also help organize the culture convention, celebrate Spanish heritage month, participate in the World Language induction and have field trip opportunities to learn more about Spanish culture.

Student Council
Ms. Krause, Mr. Cates, Rm 130, Tuesday @ 2:30-4:00 PM
Represents the student body; prepares for homecoming, pep rally, parade, dance, spirit week. Snow dance, winter spirit week, canned food drive, senior citizen, etc. and various projects.

Schoology PKK72-CZ847

Oh! The things you can do...

Perry Hall Gators Club Listings 2022-2023
190 Club/Leesun Club
Mr. Roland, Rm 215 jroland@bcps.org
Student-led club; conversations and connection with God and each other. Everyone is welcome!

Anime Club
Mr. Daganhart, Rm 7 Every other Tues @ 2:45-3:45 PM
Watch various anime and have anime-related, manga-related and Japanese-related discussions with other members!
Schoology Code RQNN-3JNF-V8M64

Art National Honor Society
Mr. Whipple, Rm 225, 4th Thursday of the Month @ 2:30-3:30 PM
Students enrolled in art classes may apply to join the society after their first quarter grades are finalized. Students participate in art-related events at the school and can take field trips to art museums.

ASCEND/TIA, in partnership with the AKA sorority
Ms. Lacks
Provides female students the opportunity to receive academic enrichment and life skills leading to successful completion of high school. Schoology CLACKSBROWN@BCPS.ORG

Asian Student Union
Ms. Leford
Students explore and discuss their appreciation of Asian cultures and their influence worldwide.

Book Club
Mrs. Adam, Library, Tuesdays 2:30-3:15 PM, Media Center of Google Meet: cadam@bcps.org
Make friends, read/discuss books, suggest/promote books; create book displays; battle of the books in partnership with BCPL

Chess Club
Mr. Haughey, Rm 111, Every other Thursday 2:45-3:45 pm
Play chess with emphasis on instruction, rules, strategies, and preparation for competition and tournament play.
Community News

Perry Hall High Food Pantry

Available for any student or family member in need. To gain access, reach out to social worker Jennie Strauss, jstrauss3@bcps.org (410-809-7141) or call the front office and request to speak with the person in charge of the Perry Hall High Food Pantry.

PHHS, as a community, understands times are hard. We are here for you!
• College Board Universal Fee Waiver—see link below

All students should complete this form only one time if you qualify. If you’ve already completed the form, you do not have to re-submit.

• Save the date for BCPSfest 2022

"BCPSfest," the annual BCPS back to school festival, will return this summer, with a new, larger, more-centrally accessible location. The event will be held on Saturday, Aug. 20, 2022, from 11 a.m. – 1 p.m. at George Washington Carver Center for Arts and Technology, 938 York Road in Towson. (The tentative rain date is Saturday, Aug. 27, 2022.)

The event will be designed to help share excitement about learning in general and the upcoming school year in particular -- and to connect BCPS families with needed resources such as job opportunities and basic services. Please share this information with your staff, students, and families. In addition, event organizers are seeking BCPS staff or student groups to perform 15–20-minute sets at the festival. For additional information or to express interest, please contact Diana L. Spencer, communications officer, at dspencer4@bcps.org.