

Magnet School Program Information

Magnet Program Brochures were distributed to 8th grade students on Tuesday, September 15th. These brochures contain important information about magnet programs, admission criteria, and transportation. They also have an application enclosed.

Magnet School applications must be completed and mailed to the Office of Magnet Programs at 6901 Charles Street, Towson, MD 21204. **ALL** applications must be postmarked by the deadline date, November 30, 2009, in order to be processed. Certified mail with return receipt requested is **STRONGLY** recommended. Applications postmarked after the deadline date will not be processed.

Students were also provided with information about Magnet Open House dates and school visits during the months of October and November. Discuss this information with your child and plan to attend the Open Houses for magnet programs of interest.

Important Dates:

September 22, 2009 – Randallstown High School, Auditorium – 6:00 – 7:30 p.m.
Magnet information meeting

September 23, 2009 – Parkville High School, Auditorium – 6:00 – 7:30 p.m.
Magnet information meeting

September 24, 2009 – Patapsco High School, Auditorium – 6:00 – 7:30 p.m.
Magnet information meeting

October 3, 2009 – Magnet EXPO! – Crowne Plaza, Timonium
Magnet information fair

October – November 2009 – Magnet Open Houses at individual schools
(schedule included with magnet brochure and available for download from
<http://www.bcps.org/offices/omp>)

November 30, 2009 – Magnet School Application Deadline

January 9 – 26, 2010 – Magnet Assessments
(schedule, including inclement weather dates, included with magnet brochure and available for download from <http://www.bcps.org/offices/omp> .

March 5, 2010 (date subject to change)
Mailing of Magnet Decision Letters from Magnet Office

Take the time to talk with your child about the opportunities that magnet schools provide. More information about the BCPS magnet programs is available at www.bcps.org/offices/omp or by calling the Office of Magnet Programs at 410-887-4127.

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