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# Superintendent's Message



Like every thriving community, Howard County depends upon the collaborative efforts of all of its members, each with a unique set of skills, talents, and experience. Each profession – from attorney to architect, scientist to social worker, realtor to retailer – fills an important role in meeting the diverse needs of our community. Preparing our children for productive lives and careers, where they may find fulfillment and success, requires the combined efforts and talents of every segment of our society.

Community partners are instrumental in preparing Howard County students to find places in the community and world of work where they can contribute most effectively. Partners “show the ropes” to students in a multitude of ways, from modeling positive decisions or coaching effective study habits, to demonstrating the finer points of advanced technologies. Each partner adds an invaluable dimension and depth to students’ education whose importance cannot be overstated.

The Howard County Public School System is indebted to its hundreds of educational partners, who join hands with teachers and staff in a common effort to prepare our students for responsible citizenship and productive careers. Through your ongoing support, we will continue to ensure that Howard County education, like our community, ranks among the finest anywhere.

Sincerely,

Sydney L. Cousin

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# WORK – LIFE PREPARATION

At every stage of their education, students of the Howard County Public School System (HCPSS) acquire the knowledge, skills, and confidence needed for success throughout life. Preparing students for gainful, satisfying careers is central to the HCPSS mission, “to ensure excellence in teaching and learning so that each student will participate responsibly in a diverse and changing world.” Rapid changes in technology, global commerce, and social norms are expected to challenge today’s students throughout their lives. Students must prepare for a lifetime of learning and for eventual careers and pursuits which have not yet been identified.

Many experiences in school are designed to help students explore a wide range of interests, discover their unique abilities, and cultivate a love of learning. By nurturing students’ passion for subjects that capture their interest, educators help students identify and thrive in a chosen field, and continue to grow in or change careers as they adapt to evolving interests or circumstances.

At the elementary level, career preparation emphasizes skill building and awareness of the world of work. Classroom activities focus on building essential worklife skills such as decision making, cooperation, and conflict resolution. Children begin to identify personal strengths and interests, and learn to balance work and leisure.

At the middle school level, students continue exploring personal interests and abilities, while developing important skills such as goal setting and self-motivation. Classroom activities, field trips, and special programs introduce students to career options in greater depth and offer interaction with professionals from many fields.

For high school students, the emphasis shifts to more focused preparation. Students practice skills such as effective interviewing and planning for the future, while learning to research targeted career and educational opportunities.

## THE PARTNERS’ ROLE

Community partners play an important role at every step of the career preparation process. At the elementary and middle school levels, representatives from partnership organizations visit classrooms and host field trips. They may work directly with students and teachers to augment classroom lessons with hands-on activities. These interactions help students discover the wonders of many subjects. In the upper grades, students have opportunities to work directly with industry experts. Through in-depth immersion in a subject of interest, these students gain real-world experience that is invaluable in charting a career path and preparing for success later in life.

While partnerships offer priceless experiences for students, they are equally rewarding to the partners. Many professionals from

partnership organizations report immense satisfaction from working with students and nurturing the next generation in the early stages of their careers. In addition, students often ask unconventional questions and bring a fresh perspective that can invigorate a workplace.

The following examples illustrate a few of the many varied partnership activities taking place in Howard County schools that help prepare students to lead productive and rewarding lives.



***Running Brook Elementary students get tips on teamwork from the HOWARD COUNTY POLICE at a Bear Trax meeting.***

Howard County Police and the HCPSS partner to provide a Bear Trax outreach program for elementary school students. At Running Brook Elementary School, police officers join club members once a month to enjoy active, fun, and educational activities. Each participant is matched with a police officer mentor who meets with the student weekly for lunch or recess. Howard County Police offers Bear Trax to help children build relationships with positive role models. Bear Trax members learn about the dangers of drugs and alcohol, build self-confidence, and develop mentally and physically. The program teaches children that they have choices and gives them support in making the right ones.

Scientists and other **Johns Hopkins University Applied Physics Laboratory (APL)** staff join Laurel Woods Elementary students at school twice each month for lunch and conversation. The new “Lunch Time Friends” partnership program provides mentoring, encouragement and academic coaching to students who need extra support. Interacting with professional scientists, engineers, and mathematicians can excite and reinforce students’ natural interest in these subjects.

Laurel Woods students also enjoy a similar mentoring program with members of **Grace Community Church**. Participants from both organizations are invited to take part in enrichment fairs, career days, and other school events.



Many local banks, including **The Columbia Bank**, **Chevy Chase Bank**, **Howard Bank**, **Sandy Spring Bank**, **Bank of America**, and **Baltimore County Savings Bank**, partner with schools to help students learn financial planning and math skills needed for daily life. These dedicated partners offer in-school banking and other activities to stimulate students' interest in money management and enhance their financial literacy. Representatives from the newest HCPSS banking partner, **M&T Bank, Clarksville Branch**, visit Clarksville Middle School to advise seventh grade math classes on an annual stock market project.

Many other organizations encourage their staff to donate time and talents to enhance student achievement. **Honeywell Technology Solutions, Inc. (HTSI)**, **W. R. Grace & Co.**, and the **National Security Agency (NSA)** are three dedicated HCPSS partners that give employees time away from their regular responsibilities to volunteer in schools and/or mentor students.

A partnership with **Sofiac, Inc.**, a local custom software development firm, provides Marriotts Ridge High School students and teachers with insights into the latest developments in information technology and computer science. Sofiac representatives collaborate with technology teachers to develop class projects that are relevant to current, real world applications. The company also makes presentations about a variety of information technology and business topics to interested students and school staff.



**Sixth graders plant grasses on the shoreline as part of a service learning project to support Chesapeake Bay ecology. Lime Kiln Middle School students are building a service learning website to capture photos and lessons learned with support from a partnership with **TECHLAB PHOTO & DIGITAL IMAGING**.**



**Students take a well-earned break from an SAT prep course, sponsored by **HOWARD COUNTY GENERAL HOSPITAL**.**

**Howard County General Hospital** supports an After School SAT Prep Course focused on opening the door to colleges and scholarship opportunities to many students who might otherwise not prepare or register for the college entrance exam. HCGH sponsorship provides incentives for participants to attend every session – a proven way to boost scores – of the eight-week class series offered at many county high schools each spring. A member of **Johns Hopkins Medicine**, the hospital has been a dedicated school system partner for more than twenty years, offering student internships in health care and supporting many other educational activities.

**Applied Information Technologies, Inc. (AIT)**, a Columbia-based pioneer in database website technology, has provided internship opportunities for HCPSS students in the Career Academy, GT, and Work Study programs for more than ten years. While learning valuable technical skills, interns learn about working in a business environment and how to communicate effectively within a diverse group of people. In the process, the students find out what they like doing and what they are good at, which helps focus their choice of college major and career with greater confidence. This early professional experience has proven advantageous to many interns in their college and professional careers. For one former AIT intern, the experience helped lead to a high level position at Google just a few years after graduation.

AIT also hosts the HCPSS student scholarship database on their company website, with student interns handling any needed database maintenance and upgrades.

## A PROVEN (ROLE) MODEL FOR SUCCESS

Partnerships with several fraternal and other service organizations provide academic and life skills coaching for high school students. Students and mentors get to know each other through tutoring sessions, service projects, and other activities. Often, the mentors become role models for their protégés, inspiring them to reach for higher goals.

This year, the **Columbia Alumnae Chapter** of the **Delta Sigma Theta Sorority** established a Delta Scholars organization at Oakland Mills High School to encourage girls to excel academically, establish a plan to reach career goals, and offer opportunities for leadership through community service. Mentors from the sorority meet regularly with each participating girl to support academic needs and career goals, plan service projects, and enjoy club activities.

A similar partnership between the local **Eta Zeta Sigma Graduate Chapter** of the national **Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority** and Wilde Lake High School cultivates leadership skills and academic achievement for African American girls. The sorority sponsors a Rhoer Club at the school, where members meet regularly with sisterhood representatives to collaborate on community service projects and school events.

A longstanding partnership with the **Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity - Kappa Phi Lambda Chapter** sponsors the Alpha Achievers, an honors organization for high school males of color who demonstrate academic achievement. The organization fosters academic success and leadership qualities while promoting personal responsibility and community service.



*Students and mentor confer during a Rhoer Club meeting at Wilde Lake High School. The club, an affiliate of the SIGMA GAMMA RHO SORORITY, meets regularly with sisterhood representatives for academic and life skills coaching and service activities. Chapters of several local fraternal organizations partner with Howard County high schools to serve as student mentors and role models.*

Through scholarships and grant incentives, the fraternity encourages the Alpha Achievers to enroll in advanced placement classes, conduct advanced research projects, and attend college. Alpha Achievers was originally established at Oakland Mills High School in 1997; the fraternity now sponsors groups at Wilde Lake, Reservoir, Long Reach, Howard, and Marriotts Ridge high schools, and plans to expand into additional schools.

Volunteers from **Chapelgate Presbyterian Church** mentor students in the HCPSS Teen Parenting and Outreach Program. In addition to academic tutoring, the mentors provide a breakfast once each month for students in the program, and offer several annual workshops on skills such as household budgeting.

Younger students benefit from personal encouragement and support provided by local chapters of the **Continental Societies**. The sorority's **Columbia Chapter** partners with the Cradlerock School to sponsor activities in health, education, employment, recreation, and the arts. Society members also provide tutoring, special workshops, and other assistance for students who need extra academic support.

**Continental Societies' Southeastern Howard/Laurel Chapter** offers similar support to students at Laurel Woods Elementary, Murray Hill Middle, and Patuxent Valley Middle Schools. The chapter also sponsors after-school debate programs at both middle schools. By promoting student achievement, these partnerships serve the missions of both the schools and the Society, which is dedicated to empowering children to reach their optimal potential.

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These programs are supported, in part, by the Horizon Foundation and Microsoft Corporation and in partnership with the Howard County Public School System and Howard County Library.

**You can learn more about these programs by visiting our web site:**  
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*A student trains and cares for dolphins during an internship at the NATIONAL AQUARIUM IN BALTIMORE.*



*An Automotive Technology Academy student practices auto repair skills. Career Academies offer hands-on training with the help of local organizations, such as BRITISH AMERICAN AUTO CARE, INC., whose owner, Brian England, has provided a wealth of expertise and other support for HCPSS career education.*



*This spring 131 students participated in the Passport to the Future conference. The program, offered in partnership with the HOWARD COUNTY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, certifies students as ready to work.*

## FOCUSED IMMERSION THROUGH FIELD EXPERIENCE

Several HCPSS programs give high school students direct experience in the work world and in subject areas of their particular interest. Internships and job experiences enable students to interact with and learn from professionals in the field. These opportunities can help them develop a passion for and knowledge in selected subject areas, while strengthening the workplace skills that are essential for continued success.

### GIFTED AND TALENTED INTERN/MENTOR PROGRAM

Many professionals working in organizations throughout the region mentor students one-on-one through a Gifted and Talented (GT) program internship or advanced research project. Under the guidance of a mentor, the student develops an original research study or creative production in an area of their interest. With the goal of contributing to the larger community, students apply knowledge and skills learned in the classroom in a professional environment, either at the mentor site or by consulting with the expert on work done at school.

GT student projects are conducted in a wide array of subject areas, reflecting the range of interests and expertise among students and local professionals. Examples of recent projects include designing, producing, and marketing a specialized line of clothing; researching the psychology of juvenile offenders; creating a program to track and identify ballistic missile flight paths; and designing an architecturally efficient school building.

The collaborative interaction between the student and mentor can be extremely rewarding for both. As a mentor from the **University of Maryland School of Medicine** expressed, “I experienced great pride in seeing our intern grow into a confident, active, and contributing member of our multidisciplinary team... The time and energy we put into our intern was returned to us ten-fold.”

### CAREER ACADEMIES

Career Academies, offered through the HCPSS Office of Career and Technology Education (CTE), provide specialized coursework and hands-on experience in a chosen subject area for high school students who plan to major in the field in college or continue in the profession after graduation. By exploring the field in depth, students gain confidence in their career choice while gaining practical skills and contacts that can prove invaluable to future success.

An internship with a professional in the field is an integral element of the career immersion experience. During the internship, the student develops original research, a creative production, or a community-benefit project. Students also maintain a portfolio to document and illustrate their accomplishments.

An Advisory Board for each CTE program area includes industry representatives from local companies and post-secondary institutions. Advisory Boards review curriculum goals and requirements and provide input on technology and career trends.



***A student intern confers with his mentor, a scientist at the JOHNS HOPKINS UNIVERSITY APPLIED PHYSICS LABORATORY (APL). A valued HCPSS partner for many years, APL provides expertise and resources to stimulate students' interest and knowledge in physics, engineering, math, technology, computer science and space science.***

### **CRD / PASSPORT TO THE FUTURE**

Career Research & Development (CRD) empowers students to discover career interests and explore options for work or higher education. The program is closely aligned with the business community to expose students to many work environments. In the classroom, students learn and practice skills needed on the job, identify interests and aptitudes, and investigate careers and higher education. They meet influential guest speakers, travel to area businesses, and network with professionals in diverse fields. Once prepared, each participant finds employment with a local organization, in a setting related to their career goals, while continuing to receive support and guidance from the CRD teacher. Students who successfully complete the CRD program graduate with three or more college credits.

CRD students may also earn Passport to the Future certification after mastering a variety of essential workplace skills including effective communication, technology applications, and interpersonal relations. The Passport endorses students who seek employment in the region as “workforce ready.” Thus, an employer who hires a Passport-certified student can be confident that the new employee has the skills and attitudes needed to succeed on the job. Passport to the Future is offered in partnership with the **Howard County Chamber of Commerce**, which shares a commitment with the Howard County Public School System to developing of a highly educated and successful workforce.

## **A BRIDGE TO INDEPENDENCE**

Specialized work readiness programs prepare high school age students receiving special education services for successful employment. Work Study, a structured, supervised work experience program, helps students with mild to moderate disabilities develop the skills, habits, and confidence needed to work independently. Work Study teachers in each high school help students identify work interests, set realistic career goals, and obtain a job in the community. The teacher works closely with both student and employer to ensure satisfactory performance on the job.

For students needing more intensive support, Work Enclaves provide a transition step between school and independent work. Small groups of students perform basic, repetitive tasks under the close supervision of special education personnel. Students learn the attitudes and skills needed to work independently, including following directions, completing jobs, and socially appropriate communication. Local organizations enlist the Enclave to perform job tasks such as horticulture, envelope stuffing, collating, folding towels, vacuuming, dusting, bagging groceries, stocking shelves, or constructing and filling boxes.



***An Enclave student stocks shelves for PETCO.***

Employers in both programs enjoy several benefits: continuous support from the teacher in training the employee and monitoring work; reliable attendance, because the school system transports students to their jobs; and the opportunity to identify well qualified candidates for permanent employment after graduation.

Work Study and Enclave employers typically report a high degree of satisfaction with the quality of work. “The Work Study program has provided our foundation with very capable and highly motivated students,” according to Don Bard, who has hired several students for the **Lazarus Foundation**. Employers often share the gratification of helping students enter the productive workforce. As Patricia Laidig, Village Manager for the **Town Center Community Organization**, stated, “It is a joy having the Enclave students come here weekly to assist us with the variety of tasks. They arrive with broad smiles and ready-to-work attitudes.”



# Educational Partnerships

Educational partnerships are collaborative initiatives designed to achieve mutually agreed upon goals and objectives to strengthen and enhance the quality of education in Howard County. Businesses and organizations that worked one-to-one with a selected school during the 2008-09 school year included:

## Atholton Elementary

Awesome Tae Kwon Do  
Chick-fil-A, Dobbin Road

## Atholton High

Council of Elders of the Black Community  
of Howard County  
Head Start, Tubman Center  
Hickory Ridge Village Association  
Howard Community College  
Howard County General Hospital,  
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Howard County Library, East Columbia  
Branch  
Lazarus Foundation  
Schoolhouse Theatre Arts, Inc.  
Sunrise Assisted Living  
V.W. Brown Insurance  
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## Bellows Spring Elementary

Eggspectation Bistro-Café  
McDonald's, Snowden River Parkway  
On Trak Transportation, LLC  
Red Robin Restaurant

## Bollman Bridge Elementary

FIRN, Inc.  
Girl Scouts of Central Maryland  
Howard Community College  
Howard County General Hospital,  
A Member of Johns Hopkins Medicine  
Howard County Library, Savage Branch  
Loyola College in Maryland  
Mike's New York Deli  
North Laurel-Savage Multiservice Center

## Bonnie Branch Middle

Sandy Spring Bank

## Bryant Woods Elementary

Dave & Busters, Inc.  
FIRN, Inc.  
Howard County Library, Central Branch

## Burleigh Manor Middle

Spell Read/SCORE! Educational Companies  
Tersiguel's French Country Restaurant

## Bushy Park Elementary

Gallery 44  
Glenwood Lion's Club

Howard County Library, Glenwood Branch  
Legg Mason, Bethesda  
McDonald's, Lisbon Center Drive  
Pizza Hut, Lisbon Center Drive  
Super Fresh, East Ridgeville Boulevard

## Cedar Lane School

Chesapeake Rehabilitation Equipment  
Historic Oakland, Town Center  
Community Association  
Maple Lawn Business Association  
Maple Lawn Homeowners Association  
oZ. Chophouse  
PlayWiseKids

## Centennial High

Arc of Howard County  
Boy Scouts of America, Baltimore Area  
Council  
Capitol Debate

## Centennial Lane Elementary

Chevy Chase Bank

## Clarksville Elementary

Elternhaus  
Kendall Hardware  
River Hill Garden Center  
The United States Army Field Band  
Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission  
(WSSC)

## Clarksville Middle

Howard County Library, Central Branch  
M&T Bank, Clarksville Branch

## Clemens Crossing Elementary

Hickory Ridge Sunoco Gas  
Howard Bank  
Howard County Library, Central Branch  
Towson University

## Cradlerock School

100 Black Men of America, Inc.  
Continental Societies, Inc., Columbia,  
Maryland Chapter  
Cradlerock Children's Center  
East Columbia Preschool  
Family and Children's Services of  
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FIRN, Inc.  
Good Life Wellness

# Oakland Mills High School



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Talbot Springs Elementary School  
Howard County Public Library – Main  
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# River Hill High School

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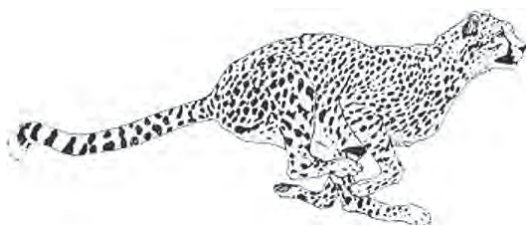
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- Council of Elders of the  
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- Heart of Maryland Chorus,  
Patuxent Valley Chapter
- Hostetler, Church & Assoc., LLC
- Howard County General Hospital,  
A Member of Johns Hopkins Medicine
- Howard County Library
- Ledo Pizza
- Linden – Linthicum United  
Methodist Church
- McDonald's, Daybreak Circle
- National Financial Legacy Group
- Plaxen & Adler
- Princeton Sports
- River Hill Garden Center
- River Hill Sports Grille
- Subway, Daybreak Circle
- SVEC Conway Printing
- Terry Westerlund & Associates
- The Cleaning Authority
- The Gathering Place
- The Horizon Foundation/Search Institute
- Three Brothers Italian Restaurant
- W.R. Grace & Co.

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Red Robin  
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Howard Community College  
Howard County Department of  
Recreation & Parks  
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Services  
Howard County General Hospital,  
A Member of Johns Hopkins Medicine  
Howard County Health Department  
Howard County Library, East Columbia  
Branch  
Howard County Mental Health Authority  
Howard County Office of Children's Services  
Kevin Frazier Foundation  
Lowe's of Columbia, MD  
McDonald's, Cradlerock Way  
Owen Brown Community Association  
Ready At Five  
Smoothie King, Columbia  
Subway, Cradlerock Way  
Y Child Care at Owen Brown

### Dayton Oaks Elementary

National Security Agency  
Sandy Spring Bank

### Deep Run Elementary

Big Brothers Big Sisters of Central  
Maryland  
Eggspectation Bistro-Café  
ezStorage  
Grace Community Church  
Ready At Five  
Soccer Dome  
Victory Martial Arts

### Dunloggin Middle

Dorsey Hall Garden Club  
Eggspectation Bistro-Café  
Einstein Bros.® Bagels  
Outback Steakhouse, Long Gate  
Uno Chicago Grill  
Y of Central Maryland, Howard County

### Elkridge Elementary

Howard County Library, Elkridge Branch  
Soccer Dome  
The Body Factory

### Elkridge Landing Middle

Dunkin' Donuts, Washington Boulevard  
Elkridge Furnace Inn  
Elkridge Volunteer Fire Department  
Elkridge Youth Organization  
Howard County Library, Elkridge Branch  
McDonald's, Washington Boulevard  
Outback Steakhouse, Long Gate  
Pizza Hut, Montgomery Road

Staples, Inc.

Subway, Washington Boulevard  
Super Fresh, Montgomery Road  
T-Bonz Grille and Pub  
University of Maryland, Baltimore County  
Athletics  
Wheels in Odenton

### Ellicott Mills Middle

Exxon, Montgomery Road

### Folly Quarter Middle

Barnes & Noble Booksellers  
Chick-fil-A, Columbia Mall  
Coho Grill  
Eoyang Middle School, Korea  
Howard County General Hospital,  
A Member of Johns Hopkins Medicine  
Howard County Library, Glenwood Branch  
Western Howard County Soccer, Inc.

### Forest Ridge Elementary

Brickman Group  
Chesapeake Physical and Aquatic Therapy  
Howard County Library, Savage Branch  
National Security Agency  
North Laurel-Savage Multiservice Center

### Fulton Elementary

Boarman's Market  
Bra-La-La  
Howard County Fire Station 11: Scaggsville  
Maple Lawn Business Association  
oZ. Chophouse  
Sandy Spring Bank  
The Pearl Modern Spa and Boutique

### Glenelg High

Capitol Debate  
Columbia Center for Theatrical Arts/  
Toby's Dinner Theatre  
Council of Elders of the Black Community  
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E.W. Beck's  
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Glenwood Lion's Club  
Howard County General Hospital,  
A Member of Johns Hopkins Medicine  
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NASA Goddard Space Flight Center  
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### Glenwood Middle

Eggspectation Bistro-Café  
Howard County Library, Glenwood Branch

### Gorman Crossing Elementary

National Security Agency  
North Laurel-Savage Multiservice Center

### **Guilford Elementary**

Big Brothers Big Sisters of Central Maryland  
Conexiones, Inc.  
First Baptist Church of Guilford  
Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Tau Pi Chapter

### **Hammond Elementary**

BJ's Wholesale Club  
Border's Books & Music  
Maryland Association for Environmental  
and Outdoor Education, Green School  
Program (MAEOE)  
Trout Unlimited, Trout in the Classroom  
Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission  
(WSSC), Green School Program

### **Hammond High**

Arbitron  
Howard County General Hospital,  
A Member of Johns Hopkins Medicine

### **Hammond Middle**

Chesapeake Bay Foundation  
Computer Country  
National Security Agency  
PNC Financial Services Group  
RABA Technologies, LLC  
Soccer Dome  
The Columbia Bank  
Walker Ventures/Steve Walker & Associates

### **Harper's Choice Middle**

Alliance Engineering  
Awesome Tae Kwon Do  
Bank of America, Harper's Farm Road  
Columbia Association, Columbia  
Athletic Club  
Eggspectation Bistro-Café  
Grace Community Church  
Harper's Choice Village Center  
Howard Community College  
Howard County Department of Police  
Howard County Department of  
Recreation & Parks  
Howard County General Hospital,  
A Member of Johns Hopkins Medicine  
Howard County Library  
Howard County Local Children's Board  
Howard County Office on Aging,  
Florence Bain Senior Center  
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Laboratory  
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### **Hollifield Station Elementary**

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Towson University

### **Homewood Center**

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PTA Council of Howard County  
Woodstock Job Corps Center

### **Howard High**

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Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity  
Capitol Debate  
Council of Elders of the Black Community  
of Howard County  
Dance Foundations  
Howard County General Hospital,  
A Member of Johns Hopkins Medicine  
The Horizon Foundation

### **Ilchester Elementary**

DJ Doug  
On Trak Transportation, LLC  
T-Bonz Grille & Pub  
Tip Top Limousine, LLC

### **Jeffers Hill Elementary**


Awesome Tae Kwon Do  
Gables' Violin Shop, Inc.  
Schoolhouse Theater Arts, Inc.  
Towson University

### **Laurel Woods Elementary**

Continental Societies, Inc., Southeastern  
Howard/Laurel Chapter  
Dollar Plus  
FIRN, Inc.  
Grace Community Church  
Howard Community College  
Howard County General Hospital,  
A Member of Johns Hopkins Medicine  
Howard County Library, Savage Branch  
Johns Hopkins University Applied Physics  
Laboratory  
McDonald's, All Saints Road  
North Laurel-Savage Multiservice Center  
University of Maryland, Home and  
Garden Information Center  
Wilhide's Unique Flowers & Gifts

### **Lime Kiln Middle**

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Aqualand Pets, Inc.  
Blacks of the Chesapeake  
Chesapeake Ecology Center  
Climb for Hope Foundation  
Earth Treks Climbing Center  
Howard County Department of Recreation  
& Parks  
Lazarus Foundation  
Maple Lawn Business Association  
Maryland Sea Grant  
National Aquarium in Baltimore



## **Folly Quarter**

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**CoHo Grill**  
**Howard County Library, Glenwood Branch**  
**Howard County General Hospital**  
**Western Howard County Soccer, Inc.**  
**Iksan Eoyang Middle School South Korea**

## **Forest Ridge Elementary**

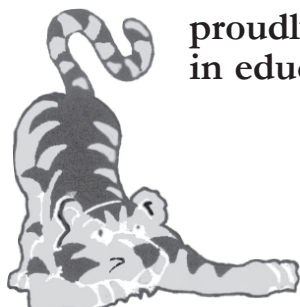
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**Omega Psi Phi**  
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# Jeffers Hill Elementary School



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ALL SAINTS ROAD**

**SAVAGE LIBRARY**

**HOWARD  
COMMUNITY COLLEGE**

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## Lisbon Elementary School Students, Staff, PTA and Community

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*Glenwood Branch Library*

*McDonalds of Woodbine*

*Pizza Hut of Woodbine*

*Sandy Spring National Bank*



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## LONGFELLOW ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

The Students & Staff wish to recognize  
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✓ **Towson University**

✓ **Sandy Spring National Bank  
of Maryland at Clarksville**

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Lime Kiln Middle continued.....

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Sidney Kimmel Comprehensive Cancer  
Center at Johns Hopkins  
Techlab Photo & Digital Imaging

### Lisbon Elementary

Eggspectation Bistro-Café  
Howard County Library, Glenwood Branch  
McDonald's, Lisbon Center Drive  
Pizza Hut, Corporate Office  
Pizza Hut, Lisbon Center Drive  
Sandy Spring Bank

### Long Reach High

Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity  
Beijin #22 Middle School, China  
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of Howard County  
Ellicott City Fitness and Karate  
Honeywell Technology Solutions Inc. (HTSI)  
Hunan Legend  
Rotary Club of Ellicott City Sunrise  
Smart Innovative Solutions (SIS), LLC

### Longfellow Elementary

Sandy Spring Bank  
Towson University

### Manor Woods Elementary

The Pink Cabbage

### Marriotts Ridge High

Council of Elders of the Black Community  
of Howard County  
Howard County General Hospital,  
A Member of Johns Hopkins Medicine  
McAllister and Company Insurance, LLC  
Sofiac

### Mayfield Woods Middle

Howard County Department of Recreation  
& Parks  
Howard County Library, ElkrIDGE Branch

### Mount View Middle

Johns Hopkins Children's Center  
The Maryland Zoo in Baltimore

### Mt. Hebron High

Capitol Debate  
Howard Community College, Division of  
Continuing Education and Workforce  
Development  
Howard County Conservancy  
Howard County General Hospital,  
A Member of Johns Hopkins Medicine  
Howard County Summer Theatre  
McDonald's of Howard County  
Rotary Club of Ellicott City Sunrise  
Salazar Catering Services

### Murray Hill Middle

Continental Societies, Inc., Southeastern  
Howard/Laurel Chapter  
Five Below, Inc.  
Howard County Library, Savage Branch  
Limo, Limo  
North Laurel-Savage Multiservice Center  
Silver Diner

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### Oakland Mills High

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of Howard County  
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Conexiones, Inc.  
FIRN, Inc.  
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Howard County Library, East Columbia Branch  
Kaiser Permanente  
Oakland Mills Community Association

### Patapsco Middle

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Destination Organized  
Heartlands Senior Living Village  
Howard County General Hospital,  
A Member of Johns Hopkins Medicine

### Patuxent Valley Middle

Continental Societies, Inc., Southeastern  
Howard/Laurel Chapter  
Grace Community Church  
North Laurel-Savage Multiservice Center  
Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Tau Pi Chapter  
Salazar Catering Services  
The Floral Gallery

### Phelps Luck Elementary

Chick-fil-A, Executive Park Drive  
FIRN, Inc.  
Great Harvest Bread Co.  
Helping Hands Enrichment Leadership  
Foundation  
Howard County Department of Recreation & Parks  
Howard County Library  
Our Shepherd Lutheran Church  
Ready At Five  
Sandy Spring Bank

**Pointers Run Elementary**  
Chevy Chase Bank  
Ellicott City Fitness and Karate  
Giant Food, Daybreak Circle

#### Reservoir High

Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity  
Applied Defense Solutions, Inc.  
BB&T, Maple Lawn  
Bra-La-La  
Calico Corners  
Columbia Center for Theatrical Arts, Inc.  
Conexiones, Inc.  
Corridor Mortgage Group  
Daily Grind  
Gloto Corporation  
Greenebaum & Rose Associates  
Howard County General Hospital,  
A Member of Johns Hopkins Medicine  
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Maple Lawn Business Association  
North Laurel-Savage Multiservice Center  
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Raytheon Solipsys  
Techlab Photo & Digital Imaging  
The Pearl Modern Spa and Boutique  
Toby's Dinner Theatre  
Zenyon, Inc.

#### River Hill High

Ascend One Corporation  
Bagel Bin, River Hill  
Bank of America, Ten Oaks Road  
Capital Women's Care Howard County  
Capitol Debate  
Council of Elders of the Black Community  
of Howard County  
Creig Northrop & The Northrop Team  
Everett Jewelers  
GEICO  
Heart of Maryland Chorus, Patuxent  
Valley Chapter  
Hostetler Church LLC  
Howard County General Hospital,  
A Member of Johns Hopkins Medicine  
Howard County Library  
Ledo Pizza  
Linden-Linthicum United Methodist Church  
McDonald's, Daybreak Circle  
National Financial Legacy Group  
Plaxen & Adler  
Princeton Sports  
River Hill Garden Center  
River Hill Sports Grille  
Subway, Daybreak Circle  
Svec Conway Printing  
Terry Westerlund & Associates  
The Cleaning Authority  
The Gathering Place

The Horizon Foundation/Search Institute  
Three Brothers Italian Restaurant  
W. R. Grace & Co.

#### Rockburn Elementary

Howard County Department of Recreation  
& Parks  
Howard County Library, ElkrIDGE Branch  
National Security Agency  
PNC Financial Services Group

#### Running Brook Elementary

Awesome Tae Kwon Do  
Howard County Department of Police  
Howard County General Hospital,  
A Member of Johns Hopkins Medicine  
Howard County Library, Central Branch  
Magellan Health Services, Inc.  
Volunteer, Vivian Bailey

#### St. Johns Lane Elementary

Brunswick Zone - Normandy  
Howard County Library, Miller Branch  
Jump!Zone Columbia  
Salazar Catering Services  
The Columbia Bank  
Vocelli Pizza

#### Stevens Forest Elementary

All Financial Services  
Ellicott City Fitness and Karate  
FIRN, Inc.  
Good Life Wellness  
Howard County Department of Recreation  
& Parks

#### Swansfield Elementary

Awesome Tae Kwon Do  
Gables' Violin Shop, Inc.  
Grace Community Church  
Helping Hands Enrichment Leadership  
Foundation  
McDonald's, Harper's Farm Road

#### Talbott Springs Elementary

Oakland Mills Village Board  
Parents as Teachers

#### Thunder Hill Elementary

Edible Arrangements, Catonsville  
Howard County Health Department  
Howard County Library, East Columbia  
Branch  
Mimi's Café, Columbia  
Mom's Organic Market  
The Columbia Bank  
Unique Creations

#### Triadelphia Ridge Elementary

Howard County Library, Glenwood Branch  
Western Howard County Soccer, Inc.

## Phelps Luck Elementary

would like to express  
**"Sincere Thanks"**  
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*The Howard County Library, Helping Hands, Great Harvest,  
Howard County Recreation and Parks, Chic-fil-A,  
Sandy Spring Bank and Our Sheppard Lutheran Church*  
for their dedication to our students and staff!



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## Reservoir High School

*Proudly recognizes our educational  
partners for the 2009-2010 school year*

Columbia Center for Theatrical Arts  
Maple Lawn Business Association  
Toby's Dinner Theatre  
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Howard County General Hospital



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## ST. JOHN'S LANE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

*Applauds Its Educational Partners!*

Columbia Bank  
Vocelli Pizza  
Brunswick Zone Normandy  
Jump Zone  
Salazar's



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## Waterloo Elementary School

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Outstanding Business Partners:

- Joe and Judy Brown of Rapid Sign Center
  - Howard Bank
  - Eggspectations
  - Chic-Fil-A of Dobbin and Executive Park
- For their Generosity and Support.



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**Veterans Elementary**

Howard County Library, Miller Branch  
Howard County Republican Women

**Waterloo Elementary**

Chick-fil-A, Dobbin Road  
Eggspectation Bistro-Café  
Howard Bank  
Victory Martial Arts

**Waverly Elementary**

Towson University  
Wilhide's Unique Flowers & Gifts

**West Friendship Elementary**

Howard County Library, Glenwood Branch  
Serafino's Italian Restaurant

**Wilde Lake High**

Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity  
Bagel Bin, Wilde Lake  
Boy Scouts of America, Baltimore Area Council  
Capitol Debate  
Council of Elders of the Black Community of Howard County  
Daniels Photography Studio  
Howard Community College  
Howard County General Hospital,  
A Member of Johns Hopkins Medicine

Howard County Library  
McDonald's, Harper's Farm Road  
Safeway, Harper's Farm Road  
Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority, Inc., Eta Zeta Sigma Chapter  
St. John's Baptist Church  
Vantage House

**Wilde Lake Middle**

All Financial Services  
Blacks of the Chesapeake  
Earth Treks Climbing Center  
Howard County Library, Central Branch  
Maryland Sea Grant  
National Aquarium in Baltimore

**Worthington Elementary**

Chick-fil-A, Executive Park Drive  
Eggspectation Bistro-Café  
Ellicott City Fitness and Karate  
Glenelg Country School  
Howard County General Hospital,  
A Member of Johns Hopkins Medicine  
Howard County Library, Miller Branch  
J.M. Gaske, Inc.  
The Columbia Bank  
The United States Army Field Band

**Glenelg High School****Thanks to:**

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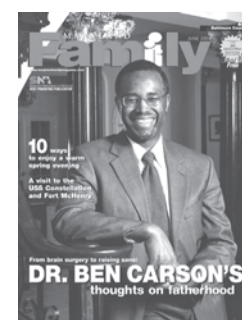
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# At-Large

**At-Large partnerships support either system-wide initiatives or multiple schools. Many At-Large partners also have individual partnerships with schools of their choice. At-Large partners for the 2008-09 school year were:**

Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity	Girl Scouts of Central Maryland	Huaxing Language and Culture Center	Rotary Club of Columbia Town Center
American Heart Association	Grace Community Church	International Reading Association, Howard	Rotary Club of Columbia-Patuxent
Arc of Howard County	Harbor Hospital	County Council	Rotary Club of ElkrIDGE
Ascend One Corporation	HC DrugFree	Jewish Museum of Maryland	Rotary Club of Ellicott City
Association of Community Services of Howard County	Head Start of Howard County	Johns Hopkins University Applied Physics Laboratory	Rotary Club of Ellicott City Sunrise
Awesome Tae Kwon Do	Helping Hands Enrichment Leadership Foundation	Johns Hopkins University, Elementary and Secondary Education Graduate Program (FlexMAT)	Rotary International, Howard County
Baltimore/Washington Corridor Chamber of Commerce	Hinkle Albert Enterprises Inc.	Johns Hopkins University, Elementary Education Graduate Program (SIMAT)	Safeway Stores
Barnes & Noble Booksellers	Hobbit's Glen Golf Club	Johns Hopkins University, Secondary Education Graduate Program (SIMAT)	Salazar Catering Services/Boardroom Café
Boy Scouts of America, Baltimore Area Council	Honeywell Technology Solutions Inc. (HTSI)	Judy Center at Cradlerock School	Sandy Spring Bank
Bright Minds Foundation	Howard Bank	Korea - The Iksan District Office of Education	Sheraton Columbia Hotel
Brunswick Columbia Lanes	Howard Community College	Korea - The Iksan Regional Office of Education, North Province of Jeolla	Shimadzu Scientific Instruments
Capitol Debate	Howard Community College Children's Learning Center	Lazarus Foundation	Smithsonian American Art Museum
Cattail Creek Country Club	Howard Community College, Music Department	Leadership Howard County	Smithsonian National Portrait Gallery
Center for Civic Education	Howard County Antique Farm Machinery Club	League of Women Voters of Howard County	Staples, Inc.
Champps Restaurant	Howard County Arts Council/Howard County Center for the Arts	Liberia -The Monrovia Consolidated School System	Terri L. Hill, M.D., P.A.
Chapelgate Presbyterian Church	Howard County Board of Elections	Lifetouch	The Business Monthly
Chesapeake Bay Trust	Howard County Chamber of Commerce	Loyola College in Maryland	The Columbia Bank
Chesapeake Physical and Aquatic Therapy	Howard County Chinese School	Magnum Limo	The First Tee of Howard County
Chick-fil-A	Howard County Conservancy	Maryland Council on Economic Education	The Horizon Foundation
China - Education Bureau of Tianjin He Xi District	Howard County Council	Maryland General Assembly	The Iron Bridge Wine Company
China - Education Committee of Beijing Chao Yang District	Howard County Department of Citizen Services	Maryland Historical Society	The Kings Contrivance
Chinese Language School of Columbia	Howard County Department of Police	Maryland Humanities Council	The Ryland Group
Clyde's of Columbia	Howard County Department of Recreation & Parks	Maryland Piano Service	The Timbers at Troy
Columbia Association	Howard County Department of Recreation and Parks, Office of Environmental Education	McDaniel College	The Tomato Palace
Columbia Association, Columbia Archives	Howard County Economic Development Authority	McDonald's of Howard County	The United States Army Field Band
Columbia Center for Theatrical Arts/ Toby's Dinner Theatre	Howard County General Hospital, A Member of Johns Hopkins Medicine	Music & Arts Center	Towson University
Columbia Foundation	Howard County Government	NAACP, Howard County Branch	Turf Valley Resort
Columbia Housing Corporation	Howard County Health Department	National Archives and Records Administration	UMBC Center for History Education
Community Action Council of Howard County, MD, Inc.	Howard County Historical Society	Nicodemus Communications Group	UMBC Martha Ross Center for Oral History
Conexiones, Inc.	Howard County Library	North Laurel-Savage Multiservice Center	University of Maryland, Baltimore County
Council of Elders of the Black Community of Howard County	Howard County Local Children's Board	Northrop Grumman Corporation	University of Maryland, College Park
Counselors Helping (South) Asians/Indians, Inc. (CHAI)	Howard County Office of Children's Services	Olney Theatre Center	University of Maryland, Cooperative Extension, Howard County
Courtesy on the Road	Howard County Office of the State's Attorney	Patuxent Publishing Company	University of Maryland, Cooperative Extension, Howard County Master Gardeners
Digi-Block, Inc.	Howard County Office on Aging	PNC Financial Services Group	Voices for Change, Howard County Department of Recreation & Parks
Eggspectation Bistro-Café	Howard County Summer Theatre	PTA Council of Howard County	Volunteer Center Serving Howard County
Fairway Hills Golf Club		Ready At Five	W. R. Grace & Co.
Feet First Sports		Road Runner Sports Retail Inc.	Washington Mystics
FIRN, Inc.		Rotary Club of Clarksville	Waverly Woods Golf Club
Frederick Keys		Rotary Club of Columbia	Western Howard County Soccer, Inc.
Giant Food Stores			Western Howard County Youth Baseball

# Work Study - Transition Program

Work Study provides students with structured, hands-on work experience (paid or unpaid) in a community-based setting that is directly related to students' needs as reflected in their Individualized Education Plans. The purpose is to provide an opportunity for special education students to engage in activities that transition to areas of employment. Partners for the 2008-09 school year included:

7 Delta, Inc.  
AIRmania Fun Zone  
Arthritis Care Specialists of Maryland  
Athelas Work Program  
Bet Yeladim Preschool and Kindergarten  
Bra-la-la  
Bright Stars Learning Academy  
Brunswick Zone - Normandy  
Burger King, Minstrel Way  
Cinnabon  
Columbia Association, Columbia Athletic Club  
Columbia Association, Supreme Sports Club  
Columbia Montessori School  
Coventry School For Dogs  
Daily Grind  
Ellicott City Health & Rehabilitation Center  
Ellicott City Senior Center  
Food Lion, Robert Oliver Place  
Food Lion, Waterloo Road  
Fresh Cuts/Coastal Produce  
Giant Food, Daybreak Circle

Giant Food, Dorsey Hall Drive  
Giant Food, Fairlawn Street  
Giant Food, Washington Boulevard  
Head Start, Ellicott City  
Head Start, Tubman Center  
Howard County General Hospital,  
A Member of Johns Hopkins Medicine  
Howard County Health Department  
Howard County Library, Central Branch  
Howard County Library, East Columbia Branch  
Howard County Office on Aging,  
Florence Bain Senior Center  
Jiffy Lube, Clarksville Square Drive  
Jilly's Bar & Grill  
Johns Hopkins University, Financial Aid Office  
Kinetics Dance Theater  
Ledo Pizza, Route 216  
Leisure World Golf Course  
Little Lighthouse Daycare  
Looney's Pub  
Lornwood Day Care & Gifted Center

MaggieMoo's, Daybreak Circle  
Marshalls  
Maryland Department of Labor,  
Licensing and Regulation,  
Howard County One Stop Center (Columbia)  
Michael's Pub  
Morningside House of Ellicott City  
Nightmare Graphics, Inc.  
Nika's Hair Studio  
Nora's Café & Bakery  
Owen Brown Senior Center Plus  
Petco  
Raytheon Solipsys  
Safeway, Baltimore National Pike  
Small Miracles Cat Rescue  
Super Fresh, North Ridge Road  
Tasty Shirt Factory  
Techlab Photo & Digital Imaging  
The Young School, Kendall Ridge  
Walmart, North Ridge Road  
Weis Market, All Saints Road  
Zenyon, Inc.



***Middle school students learn valuable life skills in the classroom. Partnerships augment career education by exposing students to many different fields through internships and other experiences.***

# Student, Family, and Community Services

**Dedicated community organizations, governmental agencies, and faith-based groups work with the Howard County Public School System's Office of Student, Family, and Community Services to support student achievement. Services provided include tutoring, mentoring, career exploration, and social and cultural experiences. Organizations that partnered with the Office of Student, Family, and Community Services during the 2008-09 included:**

African American Coalition of Howard County  
Alianza para la Comunidad  
Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc.  
A-OK Mentoring  
Black Student, Family, and Community Network  
Columbia Center for Theatrical Arts/  
Toby's Dinner Theatre  
Columbia Housing Corporation  
Conexiones, Inc.  
Council of Elders of the Black Community of Howard County  
Education and Career Empowerment Center  
Guilford Gardens, Howard County  
Department of Housing and Community Development  
Howard County Department of Police  
Model Citizens Models, LLC  
NAACP, Howard County Branch  
National Network of Partnership Schools,  
Johns Hopkins University  
Stevens Forest Apartments, Howard County  
Department of Housing and Community Development

# Career Research & Development and Passport to the Future

Career Research & Development empowers students to create a vision for their future through quality academic coursework, progressive career development, and appropriate work opportunities. After a series of interest, aptitude, and personality assessments, students identify their assets and strengths and apply that knowledge as they investigate careers and college options. Passport to the Future is a joint initiative between the Howard County Chamber of Commerce and the Howard County Public School System. A Passport business employs students who have earned a Passport certificate by demonstrating a mastery of workplace skills. Career Research & Development and Passport to the Future partners for 2008-09 included:

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Ascend One Corporation  
British American Auto Care, Inc.  
Carrollton Bank  
Eleve Group, Inc.  
Honeywell Technology Solutions Inc. (HTSI)  
Howard Community College  
Howard County Chamber of Commerce  
Howard County General Hospital,  
A Member of Johns Hopkins Medicine  
Johns Hopkins University Applied Physics  
Laboratory  
Lazarus Foundation  
Lincoln Technical Institute  
M&T Bank, Clarksville Branch  
Maryland Department of Labor,  
Licensing and Regulation,  
Columbia Workforce Center  
PNC Financial Services Group  
Spectrum HR Solutions  
State Farm Insurance  
Volunteer, Jane Schuchardt  
Wilhelm Commercial Builders, Inc.  
Woodstock Job Corps Center  
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Abercrombie & Fitch  
ACL Computers and Software, Inc.  
AE Outfitters Retail Company  
AMC Theatres  
American Eagle Outfitters  
Apex Plumbing  
Arby's  
Arthritis Care Specialists of Maryland  
BeautyFirst  
BJ's Wholesale Club  
Bloom  
Bright Stars Learning Academy

Burger King, Center Park Drive  
Burger King, Columbia  
Capital Women's Care Howard County  
Cattail Creek Country Club  
Champion Landscape LLC  
Champs Sports  
Cinnabon  
Columbia Association  
Columbia Association, Before and  
After School Care  
Columbia Psychiatric Office  
Columbia Teen Center  
Crazy 8  
Domino's Pizza  
Edwin Zaghi, DMD PC  
Einstein Bros.® Bagels  
Ellicott City Motor Sports  
Ellicott Mills Brewing Company  
Exxon  
Famous Dave's  
Fastenal Company  
Fatburger Inc.  
Finish Line, Inc.  
Five Below, Inc.  
Food Lion  
Fresh Start  
Giant Food, Center Park Drive  
Giant Food, Cradlerock Way  
Giant Food, Daybreak Circle  
Harris Teeter  
Head Start, Tubman Center  
Hollister Co.  
Home Depot  
Howard County Chamber of Commerce  
Howard County Department of  
Recreation & Parks  
Howard County General Hospital,  
A Member of Johns Hopkins Medicine  
Howard County Library  
Jiffy Lube  
Kendall Hardware

KFC  
Kohl's Department Store  
Lady Foot Locker  
Laurel Pancakes  
Ledo Pizza, Route 216  
Maggie Moo's  
McDonald's, Liberty Road  
Merriweather Post Pavillion  
Morningside House of Ellicott City  
New York J & P Pizza  
Nightmare Graphics, Inc.  
Offit Kurman, Attorneys at Law  
Orthosport Physical Therapy  
Panera Bread  
Petco  
Physicians Eye Care and Laser Center  
Pinnacle Energy  
Pizza Hut  
Potbelly Sandwich Works  
Pump It Up of Elkridge  
Raj Real Estate Consultant  
Raytheon Solipsys  
Red Sky Steak & Fish House  
Royal Farms, Ten Oaks Road  
Safeway, Baltimore National Pike  
Safeway, Harper's Farm Road  
Safeway, Long Gate  
Sears, Roebuck and Co.  
Subway, Guilford Road  
Target  
TCBY  
The Canopy  
The Tomato Palace  
Two Sisters Cleaning Service  
UPS Customer Center  
Vocelli Pizza  
Weis Market, Birmingham Way  
Winter Growth, Ruth Keeton House  
Woodstock Job Corps Center  
Worthington Elementary School  
XP Laser Sport



**Pam Klahr, President/CEO, HOWARD COUNTY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, congratulates students on their successful completion of the Passport to the Future program.**



# Gifted & Talented Program

The Gifted and Talented Program provides accelerated and enriched learning opportunities to students showing exceptional ability or interest in advanced-level studies. Gifted and Talented Resource Teachers at the elementary and middle school level enhance the standard curriculum and provide specialized services to develop students' unique talents and aptitudes. At the high school level, intern/mentor opportunities provide a formal, site-based, academic relationship between a high school student and a professional. In this structured relationship, mentors guide students in the pursuit of knowledge and scholarly research. Program partners for the 2008-09 school year included:

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American Film Institute  
Aquatic Rehabilitation Center  
Arbitron  
Axis Sport Performance Training  
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Baltimore Jewish Times  
Baltimore Orioles  
Banta-Campbell Architects  
Barnes & Noble Booksellers  
Baywood Design/Build Group, Inc.  
Bear Creek Dental  
Brookville Animal Hospital  
Capitol Debate  
Cat & Dog Hospital of Columbia  
CENTERSTAGE  
Central Maryland Oncology Center  
Chesapeake Physical and Aquatic Therapy  
Columbia Animal Hospital  
Columbia Center for Theatrical Arts/  
Toby's Dinner Theatre  
Comcast Cablevision of Howard County  
Comfort Suites  
Coover & Barr LLC  
Crafton Dental Suite  
D.R. Brasher Architects Inc.  
Days End Farm Horse Rescue  
Dermatology & Advanced Skin Care  
Dr. Fred Lewis

Dunloggin Veterinary Hospital  
Earth Treks Climbing Center  
E-City Corporation  
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**Dale Jackson and Linda Behsudi of the HOWARD COUNTY OFFICE OF CHILDREN'S SERVICES** enjoy interesting company and conversation at the annual Howard County Public Schools Partnerships Celebration.

## Employee Incentive Program

Through the Employee Incentive Program, Howard County businesses contribute free or discounted products and services to teachers and staff. This program helps the Howard County Public Schools Human Resources office attract and retain the best educational staff available. **Businesses that participated in 2008-09 included:**

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# Career and Technology Education

The Office of Career and Technology Education (CTE) is responsible for the development of courses and curriculum in the areas of Business Education, Career Academies, Career Research & Development, Computer Science, Family and Consumer Science, and Technology Education. CTE programs integrate the strengths of an academic education with the practical benefits of career and technology education. With the guidance of advisors and industry mentors, students have the unique opportunity to explore a career interest in-depth during high school. CTE partners for the 2008-09 school year included:

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## **Student Services**

The Office of Student Services coordinates prevention and intervention programs and services to support students, parents, and schools by addressing the cognitive, behavioral, social, and emotional health and safety needs of all students to maximize student achievement. The range of programs offered includes School Counseling, Pupil Personnel, Psychological Services, Health Services, Home Schooling, and Home & Hospital Teaching. The Office of Student Services also coordinates the Connection Center, which links families with community agencies for needed support, and Prepare for Success, a community-wide campaign to provide school supplies for children in need.

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**Marriotts Ridge High School principal Pat Saunderson and his two "assistant chefs" celebrate at the IRON CHEF competition, an annual highlight of the Howard County Fair. The trio faced teams from Atholton, Hammond, and Mt. Hebron High Schools in a grilling contest incorporating locally grown produce.**

# Superintendent's Advisory Council for Business/Education Partnerships

The Superintendent's Advisory Council for Business/Education Partnerships (SACBEP) is a forum for dialogue between the Superintendent and key members of the Howard County business and service community. The following members of the community share current and emerging business and workplace issues with the Superintendent and a cross section of HCPSS staff:



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Howard County Public School System*



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