The Office of Advanced Studies and Programs invites you to the fall Magnet Program Information Sessions. These events will provide valuable information on the county's Magnet Programs as part of the Superintendent's Programs of Choice. Each fall, we invite Grade 5 and Grade 8 students interested in applying, along with their parents/guardians, to one of our highly informative gatherings. This year, to support family schedules, we are offering in-person and/or virtual sessions at each Magnet school.

The offerings for rising middle school students for SY 2023-24 are:

- Apex Arts (formerly PVA) at Bates Middle and Brooklyn Park Middle
- International Baccalaureate (IB-MYP) at Annapolis Middle, MacArthur Middle, and Old Mill Middle North
- Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math (STEM) at Old Mill Middle South, Lindale Middle, and Central Middle

The offerings for rising high school students for SY 2023-24 are:

- Apex Arts (formerly PVA) at Annapolis and Broadneck High Schools
- Vocal and Instrumental Music at Broadneck High
- ➤ Visual Arts, Film and New Media, Creative Writing, Acting, Dance, and Theater Design and Production at Annapolis High
- STEM BioMedical/Allied Health (BMAH) at Glen Burnie High
- International Baccalaureate (IB-MYP/DP/CP) at Annapolis High, Meade High and Old Mill High
- Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math (STEM) at North County High and South River High

Please use the link provided below to access the Magnet Information Sessions flyer and disseminate to all stakeholders, faculty, and parents/guardians who interact with students in Grade 5 and Grade 8. Please note that due to recent updates to Google Meet, the links for virtual meetings will be shared 2-3 days prior to the meeting. Visit <a href="https://www.aacps.org/magnet">https://www.aacps.org/magnet</a> for those Google Meet links.

Fall Information Nights (English and SPANISH)

 $\underline{https://www.aacps.org/cms/lib/MD02215556/Centricity/Domain/269/Fall%20Information%20Sessions.p.} \\ \underline{df.pdf}$ 

Your participation is valued. Magnet applications for students interested in beginning their Magnet studies in the 2023-24 school year will open on October 10, 2022, and close at noon November 21, 2022.

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