

Learn more about the **NORTHEAST CONSORTIUM (NEC) High School Signature Programs & Choice Process**

“I See Me in All 3!”

FALL 2021 HIGH SCHOOL INFORMATION SESSION & OPEN HOUSES

Grade 8 students and their families are invited to learn about the NEC high schools, the Signature programs and Choice process. The high schools include James Hubert Blake, Paint Branch, and Springbrook, which make up the NEC. Rising high school students who reside in the NEC will participate in the Choice process.

NEC High School Parent/Student Information Session (Virtual):

Wednesday, September 29, 2021

Live on the MCPS webpage - <https://www.montgomeryschoolsmd.org/>

6 pm - NEC HS Signature Program & Lottery Choice Presentation (English & Spanish)

Join us to hear from current high school students about their *Signature* experiences, receive an overview of programs available at all 3 NEC High Schools, and learn about the Choice Process (school assignment by lottery). If you are unable to attend, the recording will be available on the NEC website <https://www.montgomeryschoolsmd.org/schools/nec/> within a week following the presentation.

NEC High School Open Houses (Virtual)

Springbrook HS* - Thursday, October 14, 2021 - 7 pm (Spanish - 6 pm)

Paint Branch HS- Wednesday, October 20, 2021, 6 pm

James Hubert Blake - Thursday, October 28, 2021, 7 pm

Links to the virtual Open houses will be available on each high school's website.

Attend them ALL!

*Application programs hosted at these schools will be offering a separate presentation. See MCPS Special Programs website for details under Programs-At-A-Glance for dates and times. Visit <https://www.montgomeryschoolsmd.org/curriculum/specialprograms/high/> in October to learn more.

Parents of private school students interested in participating in the Choice process may pre-register during the month of October. Contact our team to find out what documents are needed to pre-register and schedule an appointment.

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For students with an Individualized Education Program (IEP), annual review decisions may supersede school assignments made through the Choice process. For students in ESOL programs, results of the ACCESS assessment may supersede school assignments made through the Choice process. For students in alternative education programs, the placement decision may supersede school assignments made through the Choice process.