

2019 Summer Program

Walt Whitman High School
7100 Whittier Boulevard Bethesda, Maryland 20817

Session 1: June 24- July 12
Session 2: July 16– August 1
8:10 am – 1:55 pm

Calendar

May 8	Registration begins for Session 1 and Session 2
June 10	Last day to register for Session 1
June 21	Last day to register for Session 2
June 24	First day of Session 1
June 28	Last day to request a refund for Session 1
July 3	Interims distributed
July 4-5	Holiday—no school
July 12	Last day of Session 1
July 16	First day of Session 2
July 17	Report cards mailed
July 22	Last day to request a refund for Session 2
July 24	Interims distributed
July 25	Student graduation packets due to the summer school secretary
August 1	Last day of Session 2
August 7	Report cards mailed

Algebra 1 A/B (3111/3112)

Algebra 1 is designed to analyze and model real-world phenomena. Exploration of linear, exponential, and quadratic functions forms the foundation of the course. Key characteristics and representations of functions – graphic, numeric, symbolic, and verbal – are analyzed and compared. Students develop fluency in solving equations and inequalities. One- and two variable data sets are interpreted using mathematical models.

Geometry A/B (3201/3202), Honors (3203/3202)

Prerequisite: Attainment of the outcomes of Algebra I A and B

Geometry formalizes deductive reasoning and mathematical argument. Theorems are used to prove relationships and solve problems about triangles, quadrilaterals, other polygons, and circles. Measurement of two- and three-dimensional objects includes circumference, area and volume. The rectangular coordinate system is used to verify relationships.

Algebra 2 A/B (3301/3302), Honors (3310/3302)

Prerequisite: Attainment of the outcomes of Algebra I A/ B and Geometry A/B

Curriculum 2.0 (C2.0) Algebra 2 formalizes and extends students' algebra experiences from C2.0 Algebra 1. Building on their work with linear, quadratic, and exponential functions, students extend their repertoire of functions to include polynomial, rational, radical, and trigonometric functions. Students work closely with the expressions that define the functions, and continue to expand and hone their abilities to model situations and to solve equations, including solving quadratic equations over the set of complex numbers and solving exponential equations using the properties of logarithms.

The technology component of math courses requires the use of a TI-83+ or TI-84 graphing calculator. Parents are responsible for providing transportation for their students. For information on Ride On's Summer Youth Pass (\$18 to ride all summer) and Youth Cruiser SmarTrip® card (\$2) visit www.youthcruiser.com or call 311.

How to Register

Enrollment is limited and classes will be filled on a first-come, first-served basis.

Incoming Grade 9 students must have their registration form approved by their middle school counselor and high school principal or designee.

1. Student schedules a time to meet with counselor to verify course needs, and completes the Google registration form <https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSee7Kae4W4Wie-6kl-VF8S4b2VvBne6SLIEe84tbEf5p8FixA/viewform>
2. Once the form is submitted, both parent/guardian and student will receive the completed form via e-mail and then must print the form and obtain required signatures.
3. Counselor meets with student to review course selection, sign the registration form, and returns completed form to Mr. Kuhn, Math Resource teacher.
4. Payments:
 - Checks/Money Orders: Make check payable to MCPS and include student ID number. Check must be preprinted with name and address, or check will not be accepted.
 - Credit/Debit Cards (Visa/MasterCard only): Pay online using MCPS Online School Payments <https://osp.osmsinc.com/montgomerymd/>
 - Students are registered ONLY when payment is received.
5. Students will be notified only if class is cancelled due to low enrollment.

Tuition

Montgomery County Residents: \$300

Nonresidents: \$340

Application for Partial Waiver of Summer School Tuition

<https://www.montgomeryschoolsmd.org/departments/forms/pdf/325-4.pdf>

General Information

ACCOMMODATIONS

On the first day of class, parents and/or legal guardians should provide Mr. Kuhn with a copy of the accommodations included on the student's Individualized Education Program (IEP) or 504 Plan (if applicable).

ATTENDANCE

The highly concentrated programs offered in the high school summer school sessions make full-time attendance necessary. Explanatory notes from parents will be required for absences and tardies, and all cases will be subject to verification. Students having more than two absences or six tardies will be withdrawn and no credit, no grade, and no refund will be given.

CANCELLATION OF COURSES

Classes that do not meet enrollment requirements will be cancelled. Students will be notified if their class is cancelled and provided a refund.

CLEARANCE

All fees must be paid and all books and materials loaned to students for the summer session must be returned to the appropriate teachers.

DISCIPLINE

Students are expected to comply with all rules and regulations of MCPS and their summer school site. A student who is suspended for more than two days will be withdrawn from the program. The summer school program is accelerated and a student who misses more than two days would be impacted educationally and would have difficulty passing the class.

ELIGIBLE STUDENT

The high school summer school is for students who are presently enrolled in Grades 9–12. Students who have completed Grade 8 may take a credit course with the recommendation of their home school principal (or designee) and the approval of their receiving high school's principal (or designee). Careful planning is critical to the high school program.

INTERIMS

Interims will be distributed to all students: Session 1- July 3, Session 2—July 24

INCLEMENT WEATHER

In case of inclement weather resulting in school closures, the school day may be extended by up to 1.5 hours. Emergency weather-related messages will be announced (as during the school year,) via television and radio stations and the MCPS website. Recorded emergency information also can be accessed by calling 301-279-3673.

MEDICAL INFORMATION

Please Note: Notify the summer school site of any important medical information pertaining to the student.

PROGRESS CHECKS

MCPS mandated progress checks will be administered at designated times each session.

REFUNDS

The deadlines to request a refund:

- Session 1: June 28
- Session 2: July 22

Refund guidelines:

- Full refunds will be made if a class is cancelled due to insufficient enrollment.
- Full or partial refunds may be made for students who attend class for the first five days of a session or less. A parent/guardian must request the refund prior to the refund deadline.
- Full or partial refunds may be made for students who must withdraw due to hospitalization or a documented personal illness. A parent/guardian must request the refund prior to the refund deadline.
- No refunds will be made if a student is withdrawn from summer school due to excessive absences.
- No refunds will be made if a student is suspended or expelled from summer school. Refunds may take up to eight weeks and will be processed in the form of checks (including tuition payments that were originally paid with credit cards).