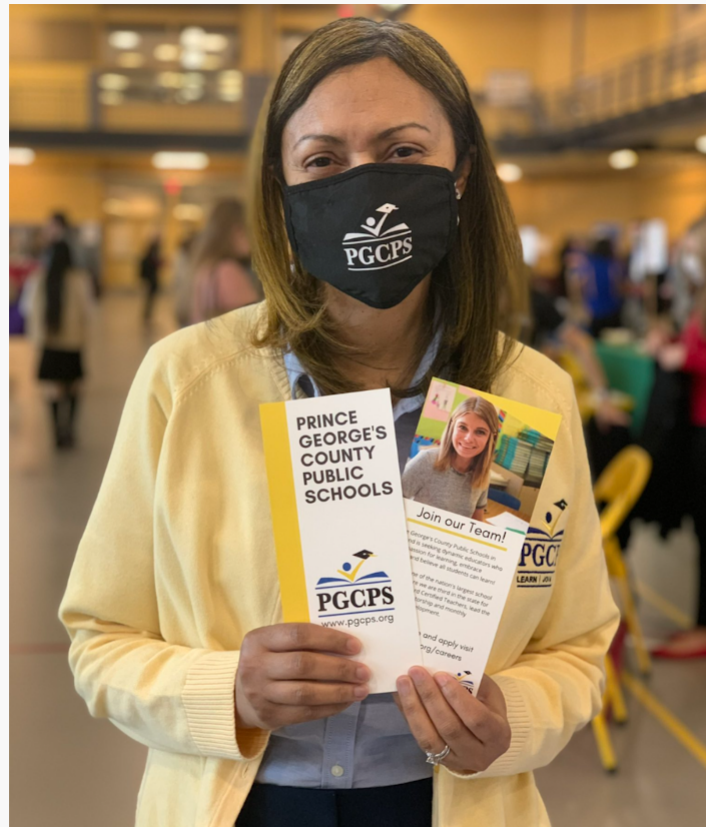


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Top News

#TeachWithUs: Help Spread the Word!



Our recruitment team is busy sharing the many reasons to #TeachWithUs with

future educators! There is no form of advertising more powerful than word of mouth and employee referrals often yield higher-quality candidates who stay longer than non-referrals!

Heading into prime recruitment season, we ask you to join us as a #PGCSPride ambassador to help us build momentum and spread the word about careers with PGCPs.

Upcoming Hiring Events

International Social and Emotional Learning (SEL) Day!



Carrollton Elementary School students and educators celebrated International Social Emotional Learning (SEL) Day through a range of traditional games including egg-and-spoon races, cornhole, hula hoops, jump rope, hopscotch, ring toss, Simon Says, musical chairs and more!

“Play is the foundation of all learning, including social and emotional learning — so what better way to celebrate SEL Day than through hours of traditional childhood games?” said Dr. Jacquelyn Gordon, PGCPs Psychologist.

“Research supports the innumerable benefits of playful communication, including imagination, creativity, problem solving abilities and emotional well being.”

#PGCSProud: Celebrating Women’s History

Celebrating
**WOMEN'S HISTORY
MONTH**

Judith P. Hoyer



Did you know Judith P. Hoyer was a Suitland High School grad and early childhood education leader whose legacy lives in Judith P. Hoyer Center Early Learning Hubs, also known as “Judy Centers?” Judy Centers benefit families across Maryland by preparing children ages birth through kindergarten for school readiness.



11th Annual Parent Empowerment Conference Series and Resource Fair



Save the date for the 11th Annual Parent Empowerment Conference series on Saturday, March 19! With the theme "Together We Are Making Education Accessible," Samuel and Dan Habib will share strategies for creating a culture of inclusion in the family, school district and community. The virtual conference features multiple sessions that will run Saturday, March 19 through Tuesday, May 10.

[Learn More](#)

Help Elect #TeamPGCPS as State Board of Education Teacher Member!



There is still time to vote for one of two PGCPS educators who are candidates for the Maryland State Board of Education Teacher Member! You can cast your vote for Shawn Mitchell of DuVal High School or Cashana Morrison of Robert R. Gray Elementary School through Sunday, March 13. Anyone with an active Maryland teaching certificate is eligible to vote! Check your email for voting instructions from MSDE.

Spotlight

#TeamPGCPS Featured in GoVAX Campaign



Why Camille's Son Got the Shot

from Kaiser Permanente Mid-Atlantic



CAMILLE HILL
Community School Coordinator
Prince George's County Public Schools

Check out PGCPS Community Schools Coordinator Camille Hill and son who are [featured](#) in the Kaiser Permanente GoVAX campaign, urging Marylanders to be vaccinated against COVID-19.

Douglass, Roosevelt to Compete in State Finals!



Join us in cheering on Frederick Douglass and Eleanor Roosevelt will be representing PGCPS in the Boys' State Final Basketball games! Both teams will compete Saturday, March 12 at the University of Maryland Xfinity Center, Douglass at 3 p.m. and Roosevelt at 8 p.m.

Tickets

Announcements

“Teacher Talk:” Building Civic Engagement in Students



Learn from fellow PGCPS educators on ways to encourage students to use their voices and take action to grow into the leaders of tomorrow. During this panel, PGCPS teachers will discuss strategies for building civic engagement in students through community service, social media and more.

Register

Upcoming Special Education Resources for Transitioning Youth



Transitioning youth ages 13-21 with Individualized Education Programs (IEPs) and their families are invited to attend the following:

Disability Benefits and Other Resources Webinar | March 15, 6 p.m.
Register

College and Career Fair | April 6, 6:00 p.m. Register

Nominate an Outstanding Educator!



The Christa McAuliffe Award recognizes excellence in teaching in honor of the educator who lost her life in the 1986 Space Shuttle Challenger explosion. The award is presented annually to a teacher who shares the mark of distinction that McAuliffe achieved for the teaching profession. **Deadline: April 1**

[Learn More/Nominate](#)

ICYMI: In Case You Missed It

2022 Spring Pre-Retirement Virtual Conference



The 2022 Spring Pre-Retirement virtual conference is this Saturday, March 12. The conference is recommended for employees within three to five years of retirement. Space is limited and registration is required. Additional details and the online registration form can be found on the web page.

[Learn More](#)

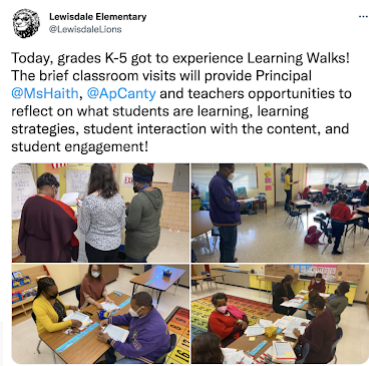
Excellence in Education Foundation Scholarships



The Excellence in Education Foundation for PGCPs, Inc. is accepting applications for the 2021-22 scholarship program for graduating seniors. The **deadline to apply is March 18**.

[Apply Now](#)

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