

## Frequently Asked Questions Summer School 2009

### ↵ Summer School Dates and Times:

**Elementary School:**

July 7 to August 7                      8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

**Middle School:**

July 7 to August 7                      9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

**High School:**

*Original Credit and  
Credit Recovery:*                      July 7 to August 7                      7:45 a.m. to 12:45 p.m.

*Health and EPI:*                      July 7 to July 22                      7:45 a.m. to 12:45 p.m.

*HSA Review Courses\*:*                      July 7 to July 30                      7:45 a.m. to 12:45 p.m.  
(\*Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday ONLY)



### Summer School Sites:

**Central Area:**

**Elementary:** Riderwood ES  
**Middle:** Cockeysville MS  
**High:** Dulaney HS

**Northeast Area:**

**Elementary:** Essex ES  
**Middle:** Perry Hall MS  
**High:** Parkville HS

**Northwest Area:**

**Elementary:** Woodholme ES  
**Middle:** New Town HS for Middle School  
**High:** Owings Mills HS

**Southeast Area:**

**Elementary:** Seneca ES  
**Middle:** General John Stricker MS  
**High:** Chesapeake HS at Dundalk MS

**Southwest Area:**

**Elementary:** Woodbridge ES  
**Middle:** Windsor Mill MS  
**High:** Western School of Technology HS



**Registration:**

↪ **WHEN** can students begin registering for summer school?

**Elementary/Middle School Registration Dates**

**Elementary:** April 14 - May 15 - No late registration

**Middle:** May 4 – June 5

Late registration for *promotional* courses ONLY (Voyager and Reading/Math Promotional) will be held on June 24

3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. at the 5 middle summer school sites.

**High School Registration Dates:**

May 4 - June 18 - *BCPS students ONLY*

**BCPS Late Registration** - Thursday, June 24 BCPS high school students ONLY – at the 5 high summer school sites

9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. *Grades 9-12*

4:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. *Grades 9-12*

**Non-BCPS Late Registration ONLY** - *On a space available basis*

6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. *Grades 9-12*

Registration is on a *first come, first serve* basis. A student is enrolled when the **completed registration form and payment or waiver information is received** by the Office of Alternative Education, Dropout Prevention, and Summer School.

↪ **HOW** does a student register?

**The registration process for elementary and middle summer school is invitational.**

Forms must be completed and signed by the school. Where applicable, tuition waivers are available. The parent/guardian must mail the completed form with payment or waiver information to the Office of Alternative Education at the address listed on the flyer or registration form.

**Registration for high school:** Registration forms must be acquired from and completed by the home school. **Forms for late registration** are available at high schools and must be signed by the home school principal or designee and brought to registration on June 24 at the summer school site. Non-public school students may acquire a registration form from the nearest public high school. The non-public school principal must sign the registration form. Registration for Non-BCPS students will take place on June 24 from 6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. at the summer school sites.



**Tuition:**

**Elementary and Middle Schools: (BCPS Students ONLY)**

↪ *What are the fees for intervention courses?*

There is a \$25.00 fee for the following intervention courses:

**Elementary**  
Reading/Math

**Middle**  
Math Steps  
Reading  
Pre-Algebra  
Preparing for Algebra

↪ *What are the fees for ESOL and grade advancement courses?*

The fee to attend the ESOL course is \$ 25.00.

The fee to attend *middle school advancement courses* (Voyager-Time Warp, and Reading/Math Promotion) is \$175.00

**High School:**

↪ *What are the fees for high school courses?*

**Baltimore County Residents:**  
Original and Credit Recovery Courses  
One Credit                   \$ 275.00  
One-Half Credit             \$ 150.00

**Out of County Residents:**  
Original and Credit Recovery Courses  
One Credit                   \$ 425.00  
One-Half Credit             \$ 250.00

↪ *Are waivers available? (ONLY for Baltimore County Residents)*

- YES.** Waivers are available for the following:
- Free and Reduced Lunch – 50% reduction
  - Medical Assistance – all tuition fees waived  
(copy of *active MA card must be attached*)



**Transportation**

↪ *What if a parent/guardian wants to transport his/her child to the summer school site?*

The parent/guardian may do this, but the parent must indicate that choice on the registration form.

↪ *What if a parent/guardian wants transportation from a location other than the home school (e.g. daycare center) or out of the home school catchment area?*

This can be done if the child registers for the summer school nearest to the house where he/she will be staying. The proper transportation location for that site must be indicated on the registration form. A transportation list is available on the web site at [www.bcps.org/offices/alted](http://www.bcps.org/offices/alted).

↪ *What if a child will spend a portion of the summer school day at another location and parent/guardian wants transportation?*

Parent/guardian may ONLY choose one site for the student to be picked up and dropped off for the duration of the summer school program.



## Attendance

↪ *Must my child attend summer school all 24 days?*

**Elementary and Middle School** students must attend class on time daily. Students who miss more than four days may be withdrawn or given a failing grade. Lateness will count toward absences (3 late days constitutes 1 absence).

The programs are highly structured and missing time will impact the progress and defeat the purpose of the program.

**High School** students must attend class unless prevented by illness, death in the family, or court related matters. Summer school students who miss 10% of a class unexcused will receive a failing grade for that class (2.4 days in an Original Credit course or 1.2 days in a One-half credit course). Students who miss as much as 20% of class time, excused or unexcused, will receive a failing classwork grade (4.8 days in an Original Credit course or 2.4 days in a One-half credit course). Three latenesses will constitute one absence. Students whose attendance or punctuality do not meet the above requirements will be withdrawn from the summer school program only after contact by phone or mail, counseling and parent conferences.





