

**Baltimore County Public Schools**

# **SUPERINTENDENT'S TEACHER ADVISORY COUNCIL**

**2017-2018**



# BALTIMORE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS SUPERINTENDENT'S TEACHER ADVISORY COUNCIL

## **Introduction**

The purpose of the Superintendent's Teacher Advisory Council is to provide the opportunity for participants to give input on ways to improve communication with teachers and obtain input on school system initiatives. Meetings are held with the superintendent and Baltimore County Public Schools' Teacher of the Year, and facilitated by the chief of staff.

## **What is the structure of the Superintendent's Teacher Advisory Council?**

The Superintendent's Teacher Advisory Council is composed of three teachers representing the geographical areas of the county, one each from elementary, middle, and high school.

## **What is the process for teachers interested in serving on the Superintendent's Teacher Advisory Council?**

Teachers interested in serving on the advisory council may submit an application with a principal's recommendation letter. The deadline for submission of applications for the 2017-2018 advisory council is **Friday, October 6, 2017**. Applications are available on the [BCPS Web site](#) under "What's Happening," by requesting a copy via e-mail to [Tracy Gover](#), or by calling 443-809-8706.

## **How are members chosen to serve?**

To ensure broad representation, the applications for potential members will be evaluated on a variety of factors, including geographic location of school, grade level, and areas of interest.

## **When will the Superintendent's Teacher Advisory Council meetings be held?**

The meetings will be held quarterly during the school year in the Administration Building, Greenwood campus, from 4:30 to 6 p.m., on the following dates (subject to change):

- Tuesday, October 17, 2017
- Wednesday, January 10, 2018
- Wednesday, March 21, 2018
- Wednesday, May 16, 2018

## **What will be expected of the Superintendent's Teacher Advisory Council?**

Advisory members will be expected to:

- Attend all scheduled meetings.
- Prepare for each meeting as needed.
- Work in a collaborative manner with each other and with school system staff.
- Express views and opinions openly, constructively, and respectfully.

Although staff will develop an agenda for each meeting, teachers may submit discussion items for consideration to the chief of staff.