



All PGCPS Parents and Families: Save Our Students, Save Our Schools, Save Our Staff!



Get Involved in the FY2012 Operating Budget!

Why Should I Get Involved?

The FY2012 Superintendent's Proposed Budget was \$1.68 billion, with a projected \$64 million shortfall from the state. The governor has announced an additional \$20.8 million cut to school system funding, and now we are looking at budget cuts totaling \$84.8 million.

How Will Budget Cuts Impact My Child?

While our goal is to "hold the classroom harmless," additional cuts to the budget will impact successful programs, resources, school staffing and services.

What Can Parents And Families Do?

Parents and families can get involved in three ways:

- 1) Participate in one or more of the upcoming public hearings or work sessions listed below to find out more about proposed budget cuts and share your priorities for the budget.
- 2) Submit your comments and suggestions through the PGCPS online comment form.
- 3) Contact your elected officials and ask them to support funding for education in Prince George's County.

For More Information:

- **Web Page:** www1.pgcps.org/superintendent/budget
- **Phone:** 301-952-6382 or 301-952-6090
- **Email:** striveforfive@pgcps.org

Upcoming Opportunities to Get Involved

Board of Education Public Hearings • 7 p.m.

February 3, February 10, & March 1

Board of Education FY 2012 Budget Work Sessions • 6 p.m.

February 1 & February 8

Board of Education FY 2012 Budget Work Sessions (Budget Adoption) • 7 p.m.

February 24

*All budget public hearings and work sessions will be held in the Board Room,
Sasscer Administration Building, 14201 School Lane, Upper Marlboro.*