

PRELIMINARY Subdivision Staging Policy FY 2021 School Test Results Summary

Reflects the Potential Impacts of the County Executive's Recommended FY 2021 Capital Budget and Recommended FY 2021-2026 Capital Improvements Program (CIP)

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IMPORTANT: These are preliminary results of the FY2021 Annual School Test that would take effect on July 1, 2020. These results are based on the non-recommended reductions identified by the MCPS Superintendent, at request of the Chair of the County Council's Education and Culture Committee, in response to the County Executive's recommended FY2021 Capital Budget and recommended FY21-26 CIP. The preliminary results will be updated throughout the budget cycle as future decisions are made by the County Council. The official and final test will be conducted in June 2020 after the County Council has adopted the FY2021 budget and FY21-26 CIP.

School Test Description and Details	School Test Outcome	Elementary School Inadequate	Middle School Inadequate	High School Inadequate
CLUSTER TEST Inadequate if cluster is over 120% utilization, by level Test year 2025-26	MORATORIUM Moratorium required in cluster service areas that are inadequate.			Montgomery Blair ¹ Albert Einstein ¹ Walter Johnson ² Richard Montgomery ³ Quince Orchard ³
	OPEN CONDITIONALLY - Placeholder Placeholder projects prevent these cluster service areas from entering moratoria. <i>See notes.</i>			
	OPEN CONDITIONALLY - CIP Planned projects in other clusters and/or future reassignments prevent these cluster service areas from entering moratoria. <i>See notes.</i>			Northwood ⁴
INDIVIDUAL SCHOOL TEST Inadequate if school is over 120% utilization and at or above seat deficit thresholds Elementary: 110 seats Middle: 180 seats Test year 2025-26	MORATORIUM Moratorium required in school service areas that are inadequate.	Highland View ES (Northwood) Mill Creek Towne ES (Magruder) Judith A. Resnik ES (Magruder)	Argyle MS (Kennedy)	
	OPEN CONDITIONALLY - Placeholder Placeholder projects prevent these school service areas from entering moratoria. <i>See notes.</i>			
	OPEN CONDITIONALLY - CIP Planned projects in other schools and/or future reassignments prevent these school service areas from entering moratoria. <i>See notes.</i>	Rachel Carson ES ⁵ (Quince Orchard) Clarksburg ES ⁶ (Clarksburg/Seneca Valley) JoAnn Leleck ES ⁷ (Springbrook) Strawberry Knoll ES ⁸ (Gaithersburg) Summit Hall ES ⁸ (Gaithersburg)		

FY2021 ANNUAL SCHOOL TEST NOTES

The test outcome for any school or cluster service area not identified on the results summary table is "open."

¹ The Blair and Einstein cluster service areas continue in moratorium because the approved CIP projects that will reassign students among Blair HS, Einstein HS, Northwood HS and Woodward HS will not be completed until September 2026.

² The Walter Johnson cluster service area continues in moratorium because the approved CIP project that will reassign students between Walter Johnson HS and Woodward HS will not be completed until September 2026.

³ The Richard Montgomery cluster and Quince Orchard cluster service areas enter moratoria because the approved CIP project that will reassign students among Gaithersburg HS, Richard Montgomery HS, Quince Orchard HS, Wootton HS and Crown HS will not be completed until September 2026.

⁴ The Northwood cluster service area is open conditionally due to the temporary relocation of Northwood HS to a reopened Woodward HS in September 2024.

⁵ The Rachel Carson ES service area is open conditionally due to an approved CIP project that will reassign students between Rachel Carson ES and DuFief ES in September 2023.

⁶ The Clarksburg ES service area is open conditionally due to an approved CIP project that will reassign students among Clarksburg ES, Cedar Grove ES, Wilson Wims ES and Clarksburg ES #9 in September 2023.

⁷ The JoAnn Leleck ES at Broad Acres service area is open conditionally due to an approved CIP project that will reassign students between Leleck ES and Roscoe R. Nix ES/Cresthaven ES in September 2022.

⁸ The Strawberry Knoll ES and Summit Hall ES service areas are open conditionally due to an approved CIP project that will reassign students among Gaithersburg ES, Rosemont ES, Strawberry Knoll ES, Summit Hall ES, Washington Grove ES and Gaithersburg ES #8 in September 2022.