PRINCE GEORGE’S COUNTY ENCOURAGES PARENTS TO ‘BRING YOUR CHILD TO SCHOOL ON THE FIRST DAY’

Parents are encouraged to bring their children to school on the first day or meet their children at school as they get off of their bus. Studies have shown, and the continuing rise in test scores in Prince George’s County Public Schools (PGCPS) has proven, that parental involvement in a child’s education is one of the best tools to guarantee high student achievement.

“Meeting a student’s teacher on the first day of school is one of the most important contributions a parent can make to the success of their child,” said Dr. William R. Hite, Jr., Superintendent of Schools. “We look forward to seeing every parent of every student at our schools on Monday morning.”

Parents will have the opportunity to meet school staff and volunteers. More information regarding school supply lists, bell schedules, immunizations, bus routes, and Back-to-School nights can be found on the school system’s Web site (www.pgcps.org).

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