

CHPS WEEKLY

A weekly update from the Cherry Hill Public Schools

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for
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The Cherry Hill Board of Education is accepting applications from qualified Cherry Hill residents who want to be considered to fill a vacancy as a member of the Cherry Hill Board of Education until January 2, 2025.

All applicants must be:

- A citizen of the United States of America
- At least 18 years old
- Able to read and write
- A Cherry Hill resident of the municipality for at least one year
- Registered to vote in the District
- Not disqualified as a voter under N.J.S.A. 19:4-1
- Not convicted of a disqualifying crime pursuant to N.J.S.A. 18A:12-1
- Not directly or indirectly involved in any contract or claim against the Board

Interested applicants should submit a letter of interest and resume by December 22, 2023 at 4:00 p.m. to:

Mrs. Lynn E. Shugars

Assistant Superintendent, Business/Board Secretary

By mail:

Arthur Lewis Administration Building

45 Ranoldo Terrace

P.O. Box 5015

Cherry Hill, N.J. 08034

By email:

lshugars@chclc.org

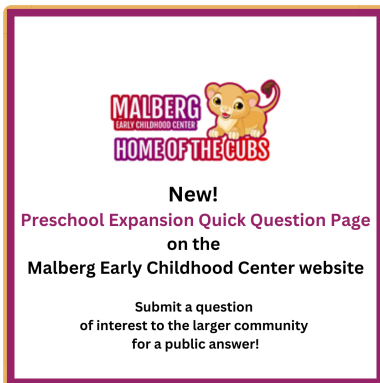
By Fax:

(856) 616-9675

Kindergarten & 1st Grade In-Person Registration Begins 1/16/24



For your planning purposes: In-person kindergarten and 1st grade registration, for children entering public or private school for the first time, begins January 16, 2024 at the Lewis Administration Building, 45 Ranoldo Terrace. Dates and times are as follows: January 16-19, 8:30 am-2 pm; January 23, 25, 26 and 31, 8:30 am-2pm; January 30, noon-7 pm; and January 31, 8:30 am-2 pm. Students must be five years old on or before October 1, 2024, to be eligible for kindergarten. Beginning January 1, 2024, please go on the [District website](#) to begin the online pre-registration process for the 2024-2025 school year. Detailed registration [information and the pre-registration link can be found directly on the District website](#) or by calling (856) 429-5600, x4429. Only the student's legal guardian may register a student for school. It is not necessary to bring your child with you to registration. Please allow one hour to complete the process and bring ALL required documentation with you for registration.



Preschool Expansion Quick Question Page Now Available

New! [The Malberg Early Childhood Center website](#) now includes a [Preschool Expansion Quick Question page](#). Have a preschool-related question that's of interest to the larger community? Submit it via the portal on the page for a public answer! Also available on the page: the [Preschool FAQ](#).

Friendly Reminders for the Months of December and January

Friendly reminders for this month and next: December 22, 2023 is a FULL DAY OF SCHOOL for all students and staff. Schools will be closed December 23, 2023-January 1, 2024 for Winter Break. School resumes January 2. Schools will be closed January 15 for the Martin Luther King Day of Service.



Black History Month Essay/Poster/Video Contest Now Accepting Entries

The Cherry Hill African American Civic Association and the Cherry Hill Public Library announce the 2024 Reverend Ivan George Essay/Poster/Video Contest for Black History Month. The contest is open to ALL public school students in Cherry Hill in grades K through 12. The theme for this year is "Their Stories Matter: African Americans in our Schools and Community." Entry deadline is January 29, 2024.

[Full information, including contest rules, rubric, and submission links, is available online.](#)

Superintendent Search Community Engagement Reports Now Available

WE thank the community for their engagement in focus groups and surveys earlier this fall in our superintendent search process!

Contracted search firm [Hazard, Young, Atea & Associates \(HYA\)](#)

has released the resulting Desired Leadership Characteristics and Qualifications, the Survey Report and the Leadership Profile Report, all available on the [Superintendent Search page](#) of the District website. We encourage all community members to read these important documents.



Upcoming Events

December 19, 2023 - Board of Education Action Meeting, Arthur Lewis Administration Building, 45 Ranoldo Terrace, 6:30 pm. This meeting will be held in person with an option to attend online.

[Agenda](#)

Join the meeting via a computer or mobile device at:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81694410918>

Join the meeting by phone:

646-558-8656 or 301-715-8592

Dial the Meeting ID followed by # when prompted

Meeting ID: 816 9441 0918

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December 23, 2023-January 1, 2024 - SCHOOLS CLOSED - Winter Break

January 2, 2024 - SCHOOL RESUMES

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