



Dr. Jerry D Weast, Superintendent
Montgomery County Public Schools (MCPS)
850 Hungerford Drive
Rockville, MD 20850

September 9, 2008

Dear Dr. Weast,

As you are aware there have been recent discussions surrounding student curricular fees. Parents and community members are seeking clarification as to the actual fees charged.

It is important that parents and guardians of students in the school system have complete knowledge of what curricular fees may be charged for their particular school in each school year. It is also important that parents and guardians know whether those same curricular fees are uniform across the county from school to school.

On September 4, 2008, the Board of Directors for the Montgomery County Council of PTAs passed a motion to seek more information from MCPS to address questions raised by our members. To that end, the Montgomery County Council of PTAs Board of Directors requests from MCPS an accurate and complete list, by school, of all fees charged to students for all curricular activities.

We look forward to receiving the requested information and look forward to being able to share that information with our members.

Sincerely,

President

cc. MCPS Board of Education
Dr. Stephen L Bedford, Chief School Performance Officer, MCPS