

# Internet Resources for Secondary Schools

All of these documents are available in print at the Specialty Center Fairs (held each fall). The information currently available online is from this school year, but is updated each fall.

Visit the Chesterfield County Public School website at [www.chesterfield.k12.va.us](http://www.chesterfield.k12.va.us). Click on Schools and then on Specialty Center or go directly to:

[www.chesterfield.k12.va.us/CCPS/schools/secondary\\_school\\_choices.htm](http://www.chesterfield.k12.va.us/CCPS/schools/secondary_school_choices.htm)

This page contains links to the following documents as well as links to each of the Specialty Centers.

**Specialty Center Overview** – descriptions of each of the county Specialty Centers and the two regional Governor’s Schools as well as contact information

[www.chesterfield.k12.va.us/CCPS/instruction/files/Specialty\\_CentersOverview.pdf](http://www.chesterfield.k12.va.us/CCPS/instruction/files/Specialty_CentersOverview.pdf)

**Specialty Center Brochure** – provides more detailed information about the Specialty Centers and the Governor’s Schools

[www.chesterfield.k12.va.us/CCPS/instruction/files/SpecialtyCenterbrochure.pdf](http://www.chesterfield.k12.va.us/CCPS/instruction/files/SpecialtyCenterbrochure.pdf)

**Specialty Center Event Calendar** – dates for Specialty Center Fairs and Open Houses.

Each year Chesterfield County hosts two general Information Fairs. Each Specialty Center and Governor’s School is represented at these fairs and it is a wonderful opportunity to get more information about all of the school choices. The Information Fairs are typically held in October of each year and each school then hosts its own Open House between October and November. Eight grade parents and students can attend the Open Houses to get more information about specific programs in which they might be interested.

[www.chesterfield.k12.va.us/CCPS/instruction/files/SpecialtyCenterCalendar.pdf](http://www.chesterfield.k12.va.us/CCPS/instruction/files/SpecialtyCenterCalendar.pdf)

**Application Requirements** - lists the requirements for application to Chesterfield County Specialty Centers including recommendations required; information on testing, interview, audition or portfolio review dates; and any other specific school requirements.

(Governor’s Schools are not included on this sheet.)

[www.chesterfield.k12.va.us/CCPS/instruction/files/SpecCenterRequirementsChart.pdf](http://www.chesterfield.k12.va.us/CCPS/instruction/files/SpecCenterRequirementsChart.pdf)

**Specialty Center Application** –application for Chesterfield County Specialty Centers. Each of the Governor’s Schools has their own applications and these are only available from the Guidance Counselors at your school. Note that when it comes time to apply – the Governor’s School applications are due approximately one week before the Chesterfield County applications.

[www.chesterfield.k12.va.us/CCPS/instruction/files/SpecialtyCenterApp.pdf](http://www.chesterfield.k12.va.us/CCPS/instruction/files/SpecialtyCenterApp.pdf)

**Specialty Center Recommendation Form** – for Chesterfield County Specialty Centers. See each school’s requirements regarding who should write recommendations for applications.

[www.chesterfield.k12.va.us/CCPS/instruction/files/SpecialtyCenterRecform.pdf](http://www.chesterfield.k12.va.us/CCPS/instruction/files/SpecialtyCenterRecform.pdf)

**Specialty Center Transportation** – general information regarding transportation to Specialty Centers

[www.chesterfield.k12.va.us/CCPS/instruction/files/specialty\\_center\\_transportation.pdf](http://www.chesterfield.k12.va.us/CCPS/instruction/files/specialty_center_transportation.pdf)

To find out what the current bus routes are for Specialty Centers and Governor’s Schools, you can visit the Chesterfield County website and click on [Operations](#) and then [Bus Routes](#). Click on [Specialty Routes](#) for your home school area or go directly to:

[www.chesterfield.k12.va.us/CCPS/operations/transportation/bus\\_routes.htm](http://www.chesterfield.k12.va.us/CCPS/operations/transportation/bus_routes.htm)