

Bethesda-Chevy Chase Cluster Roundtable Discussion Group

Westland MS, Bethesda ES, Chevy Chase ES, North Chevy Chase ES, and Rosemary Hills ES

Description of Approaches

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Elementary School Approaches

Approaches 1A, 2A, 3A, and 4A

Address the split articulation of Bethesda Elementary School.

No change to Grade 6 students at Chevy Chase and North Chevy Chase elementary schools.

Approaches 1B, 2B, 3B, and 4B

Address the split articulation of Bethesda Elementary School.

Reorganize Chevy Chase and North Chevy Chase elementary schools for Grades 3–5. Sixth Grade students would attend Westland Middle School.

Middle School Approaches

Approach MS-1

Construct an 8-classroom addition at Westland Middle School to accommodate 6th Grade students from Chevy Chase and North Chevy Chase elementary schools.

Approach MS-2

Open a new middle school in the Bethesda-Chevy Chase Cluster to accommodate the 6th Grade students from Chevy Chase and North Chevy Chase elementary schools.

These options may also be viewed on the MCPS website at:

http://www.montgomeryschoolsmd.org/departments/planning/CommunityInfo_Roundtable.shtml

Approach 1A

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Reassign students in Area 3B who attend Rosemary Hills ES for K–2 and Bethesda ES for Grades 3–5 to Bethesda ES for Grades K–5.

Reassign students in Area 3A who attend Bethesda ES for Grades 3–5 and Westland MS for Grade 6 to North Chevy Chase ES for Grades 3–6.

Construct an 8-classroom addition at Bethesda ES.

Construct a 10-classroom addition at North Chevy Chase ES.

No changes to Chevy Chase ES.

Schools	Capacity	Projected Enrollment
		2015–16
Bethesda ES (Grades K–5)		
Current <i>space available/deficit</i>	367	402 (35)
With changes <i>space available/deficit with changes</i>	550	462 88
Chevy Chase ES (Grades 3–6)*		
Current <i>space available/deficit</i>	429	469 (40)
No Changes		
North Chevy Chase ES (Grades 3–6)		
Current <i>space available/deficit</i>	230	394 (164)
With changes <i>space available/deficit with changes</i>	460	414 46
Rosemary Hills ES (Grades pre-K–2)*		
Current <i>space available/deficit</i>	494	643 (149)
With changes <i>space available/deficit with changes</i>	494	573 (79)
Total Elementary School		
Current <i>space available/deficit</i>	1520	1908 (388)
With changes <i>space available/deficit with changes</i>	1933	1918 15

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Approach 1B

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Reassign students in Area 3B who attend Rosemary Hills ES for K–2 and Bethesda ES for Grades 3–5 to Bethesda ES for Grades K–5.

Reassign students in Area 3A who attend Bethesda ES for Grades 3–5 to North Chevy Chase ES for Grades 3–5.

Reorganize Chevy Chase ES and North Chevy Chase ES for Grades 3–5.

Construct an 8-classroom addition at Bethesda ES.

Schools	Capacity	Projected Enrollment 2015–16
Bethesda ES (Grades K–5)		
Current <i>space available/deficit</i>	367	402 (35)
With Changes <i>space available/deficit with changes</i>	550	462 88
Chevy Chase ES (Grades 3–5)		
Current <i>space available/deficit</i>	429	469 (40)
With Changes <i>space available/deficit with changes</i>	429	379 50
North Chevy Chase ES (Grades 3–5)*		
Current <i>space available/deficit</i>	230	394 (164)
With Changes <i>space available/deficit with changes</i>	230	309 (79)
Rosemary Hills ES (Grades pre-K–2)*		
Current <i>space available/deficit</i>	494	643 (149)
With Changes <i>space available/deficit with changes</i>	494	573 (79)
Total Elementary School		
Current <i>space available/deficit</i>	1520	1908 (388)
With Changes <i>space available/deficit with changes</i>	1703	1723 (20)

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Approach 2A

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Reassign students in Areas 3A and 3B who attend Bethesda ES for Grades 3–5 and Westland MS for Grade 6 to North Chevy Chase ES for Grades 3–6.

Construct a 12-classroom addition at North Chevy Chase ES.

Construct a 6-classroom addition to Rosemary Hills ES.

Schools	Capacity	Projected Enrollment
		2015–16
Bethesda ES (Grades K–5)		
Current <i>space available/deficit</i>	367	402 (35)
With changes <i>space available/deficit with changes</i>	367	332 35
Chevy Chase ES (Grades 3–6)*		
Current <i>space available/deficit</i>	429	469 (40)
No Changes		
North Chevy Chase ES (Grades 3–6)		
Current <i>space available/deficit</i>	230	394 (164)
With changes <i>space available/deficit with changes</i>	506	504 2
Rosemary Hills ES (Grades pre-K–2)		
Current <i>space available/deficit</i>	494	643 (149)
With changes <i>space available/deficit with changes</i>	632	643 (11)
Total Elementary School		
Current <i>space available/deficit</i>	1520	1908 (388)
With changes <i>space available/deficit with changes</i>	1934	1948 (14)

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Approach 2B

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Reassign students in Areas 3A and 3B who attend Bethesda ES for Grades 3–5 to North Chevy Chase ES for Grades 3–5.

Reorganize Chevy Chase ES and North Chevy Chase ES for Grades 3–5.

Construct a 6-classroom addition at Rosemary Hills ES.

Construct a 10-classroom addition at North Chevy Chase ES.

Schools	Capacity	Projected Enrollment
		2015–16
Bethesda ES (Grades K–5)		
Current <i>space available/deficit</i>	367	402 (35)
With Changes <i>space available/deficit with changes</i>	367	332 35
Chevy Chase ES (Grades 3–5)		
Current <i>space available/deficit</i>	429	469 (40)
With Changes <i>space available/deficit with changes</i>	429	379 50
North Chevy Chase ES (Grades 3–5)		
Current <i>space available/deficit</i>	230	394 (164)
With Changes <i>space available/deficit with changes</i>	460	369 91
Rosemary Hills ES (Grades pre-K–2)		
Current <i>space available/deficit</i>	494	643 (149)
With Changes <i>space available/deficit with changes</i>	632	643 (11)
Total Elementary School		
Current <i>space available/deficit</i>	1520	1908 (388)
With Changes <i>space available/deficit with changes</i>	1888	1723 165

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Approach 3A

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Reassign students in Areas 3A and 3B who attend Bethesda ES for Grades 3–5 and Westland MS for Grade 6 to Chevy Chase ES for Grades 3–6.

Construct an 8-classroom addition at Chevy Chase ES.

Construct a 10-classroom addition at North Chevy Chase ES.

Construct a 6-classroom addition at Rosemary Hills ES.

Schools	Capacity	Projected Enrollment
		2015–16
Bethesda ES (Grades K–5)		
Current <i>space available/deficit</i>	367	402 (35)
With changes <i>space available/deficit with changes</i>	367	332 35
Chevy Chase ES (Grades 3–6)		
Current <i>space available/deficit</i>	429	469 (40)
With changes <i>space available/deficit with changes</i>	613	579 34
North Chevy Chase ES (Grades 3–6)		
Current <i>space available/deficit</i>	230	394 (164)
With changes <i>space available/deficit with changes</i>	460	394 66
Rosemary Hills ES (Grades pre-K–2)*		
Current <i>space available/deficit</i>	494	643 (149)
With changes <i>space available/deficit with changes</i>	632	643 (11)
Total Elementary School		
Current <i>space available/deficit</i>	1520	1908 (388)
With changes <i>space available/deficit with changes</i>	2072	1948 124

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Approach 3B

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Reassign students in Areas 3A and 3B who attend Bethesda ES for Grades 3–5 to Chevy Chase ES for Grades 3–5.

Reorganize Chevy Chase ES and North Chevy Chase ES for Grades 3–5.

Construct a 6-classroom addition at Rosemary Hills ES.

Schools	Capacity	Projected Enrollment
		2015–16
Bethesda ES (Grades K–5)		
Current <i>space available/deficit</i>	367	402 (35)
With changes <i>space available/deficit with changes</i>	367	332 35
Chevy Chase ES (Grades 3–5)*		
Current <i>space available/deficit</i>	429	469 (40)
With changes <i>space available/deficit with changes</i>	429	449 (20)
North Chevy Chase ES (Grades 3–5)		
Current <i>space available/deficit</i>	230	394 (164)
With changes <i>space available/deficit with changes</i>	230	299 (69)
Rosemary Hills ES (Grades pre-K–2)		
Current <i>space available/deficit</i>	494	643 (149)
With changes <i>space available/deficit with changes</i>	632	643 (11)
Total Elementary School		
Current <i>space available/deficit</i>	1520	1908 (388)
With changes <i>space available/deficit with changes</i>	1658	1723 (65)

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Approach 4A

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Open an elementary school in the B-CC Cluster.

Schools	Capacity	Projected Enrollment
		2015–16
Bethesda ES (Grades K–5)		
Current <i>space available/deficit</i>	367	402 (35)
No changes		
Chevy Chase Es (Grades 3–6)*		
Current <i>space available/deficit</i>	429	469 (40)
No changes		
North Chevy Chase ES (Grades 3–6)		
Current <i>space available/deficit</i>	230	394 (164)
No changes		
Rosemary Hills ES (Grades pre-K–2)		
Current <i>space available/deficit</i>	494	643 (149)
No changes		
New Elementary School		
Current <i>space available/deficit</i>	500	
Total Elementary School		
Current <i>space available/deficit</i>	1520	1908 (388)
With new school <i>space available/deficit</i>	2020	1908 112

Approach 4B

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Open an elementary school in the B-CC Cluster.

Reorganize Chevy Chase and North Chevy Chase ES for Grades 3–5.

Schools	Capacity	Projected Enrollment
		2015–16
Bethesda ES (Grades K–5)		
Current <i>space available/deficit</i>	367	402 (35)
No Changes		
Chevy Chase ES (Grades 3–5)		
Current <i>space available/deficit</i>	429	469 (40)
With changes <i>space available/deficit with changes</i>	429	379 50
North Chevy Chase ES (Grades 3–5)		
Current <i>space available/deficit</i>	230	394 (164)
With changes <i>space available/deficit with changes</i>	230	299 (69)
Rosemary Hills ES (Grades pre-K–2)		
Current <i>space available/deficit</i>	494	643 (149)
No Changes		
New Elementary School		
Reopen a new school <i>space available/deficit</i>	500	
Total Elementary School		
Current <i>space available/deficit</i>	1520	1908 (388)
With new school <i>space available/deficit</i>	2020	1723 297

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Middle School Approaches

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Reorganize Chevy Chase and North Chevy Chase ES for Grades 3–5 and 6th Grade students attend Westland MS.

Approach MS-1: Construct an 8-classroom addition at Westland MS

Schools	Capacity	Projected Enrollment
		2015–16
Westland MS (6–8)		
Current <i>space available/deficit</i>	1037	1192 (155)
After Reorganization <i>space available/deficit with changes</i>	1037	1377 (340)
With Addition <i>space available/deficit with changes</i>	1207	1377 (170)

Approach MS-2: Open a new middle school in the B-CC Cluster

A boundary study would be required to determine the service areas for Westland MS and the new middle school.

Schools	Capacity	Projected Enrollment
		2015–16
Westland MS (6–8)		
Current <i>space available/deficit</i>	1037	1192 (155)
New Middle School (6–8)		
Open New Middle School <i>space available/deficit</i>	750	
Total Middle School		
After reorganization and new school <i>space available/deficit with changes</i>	1787	1377 410

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Comparison of Approaches

Bethesda Elementary School				
	2015-16 Enrollment	Boundary Study Needed*	Classroom Addition Needed	Grade Organization
Current	402	--	--	K-5/3-5
Approach 1A	462	Yes	8 classrooms	K-5
Approach 1B	462	Yes	8 classrooms	K-5
Approach 2A	332	Yes	No	K-5
Approach 2B	332	Yes	No	K-5
Approach 3A	332	Yes	No	K-5
Approach 3B	332	Yes	No	K-5
Approach 4A	TBD	Yes	No	K-5
Approach 4B	TBD	Yes	No	K-5

Chevy Chase Elementary School				
	2015-16 Enrollment	Boundary Study Needed*	Classroom Addition Needed	Grade Organization
Current	469	--	--	3-6
Approach 1A	469	No	No	3-6
Approach 1B	379	No	No	3-5
Approach 2A	469	No	No	3-6
Approach 2B	379	No	No	3-5
Approach 3A	579	Yes	8 classrooms	3-6
Approach 3B	449	Yes	No	3-5
Approach 4A	TBD	Yes	No	3-6
Approach 4B	TBD	Yes	No	3-5

*A boundary study would be needed in the future to reassign Grades K-5 students from one school to another. A boundary study would not be needed to reorganize Chevy Chase and North Chevy Chase elementary schools from Grades 3-6 to Grades 3-5.

North Chevy Chase Elementary School				
	2015-16 Enrollment	Boundary Study Needed*	Classroom Addition Needed	Grade Organization
Current	394	--	--	3-6
Approach 1A	414	Yes	10 classrooms	3-6
Approach 1B	309	Yes	No	3-5
Approach 2A	504	Yes	12 classrooms	3-6
Approach 2B	369	Yes	10 classrooms	3-5
Approach 3A	394	No	10 classrooms	3-6
Approach 3B	299	No	No	3-5
Approach 4A	TBD	Yes	No	3-6
Approach 4B	TBD	Yes	No	3-5

Rosemary Hills Elementary School				
	2015-16 Enrollment	Boundary Study Needed*	Classroom Addition Needed	Grade Organization
Current	643	--	--	pre-K-2
Approach 1A	573	Yes	No	pre-K-2
Approach 1B	573	Yes	No	pre-K-2
Approach 2A	643	No	6 classrooms	pre-K-2
Approach 2B	643	No	6 classrooms	pre-K-2
Approach 3A	643	No	6 classrooms	pre-K-2
Approach 3B	643	No	6 classrooms	pre-K-2
Approach 4A	TBD	Yes	No	pre-K-2
Approach 4B	TBD	Yes	No	pre-K-2

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Westland MS				
	2015-16 Enrollment	Boundary Study Needed	Classroom Addition Needed	Grade Organization
Current	1192	--	--	6-8
Approach MS-1	1377	No	8 classrooms	6-8
Approach MS-2	1377	Yes	New Facility	6-8