

Behind the Headlines

The State of Education in the District

Join The Washington Post for a look **Behind the Headlines** with a three-part community forum series on the state of education in the Washington area. From debates over traditional versus charter schools in the District of Columbia, school takeover plans in Prince George's County, and overcrowding issues in Fairfax County, the series will examine a number of issues in education. The first forum will cover issues specific to District residents. Come out and hear perspectives from local policy makers, educators, parents and student advocates who are working to ensure a quality education for Washington area youth.

Date: Wednesday, April 24

Time: 6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. *Doors open at 6:00 p.m.*

Location: The Washington Post

1150 15th Street, NW, Washington, DC 20071

The building is three blocks east of the Farragut North Metro (Red line), and two blocks north of the McPherson Square Metro (Orange and Blue lines). Garage parking will be available.

Admission: FREE (Seating is limited, so please arrive early)

To RSVP and submit a question for the panel, please e-mail behindtheheadlines@washpost.com.

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