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School Counselors: Ms. Townsend Duane
 Mrs. Melissa Morton
 Ms. Angela Perini
Registrar: Mrs. Brenda Carter

2011-2012 SCHOOL PROFILE

SCHOOL AND COMMUNITY:

Tuckahoe Middle School is a Blue Ribbon School built in 1958. The 23.5 acre campus-style school is in the near west end of Henrico County. Our diverse population and large geographical boundary make us a unique school with a healthy variety of social and cultural backgrounds. Situated on Three Chopt Road next to Ridge Elementary School and up the street from Freeman High School, it is an integral part of the community.

ACADEMIC SCHOOL CHARACTERISTICS:

Tuckahoe operates on a modified block schedule with seven periods. Mondays are Red Days and students attend all seven classes. Tuesdays and Thursdays are White Days and students are in periods one, two, three and seven. Wednesdays and Fridays are our Blue Days with four, five, six and seven periods. 7th period repeats everyday with 45 minutes of content and 45 minutes of either directed study, assemblies, clubs or technology. A variety of instructional levels are offered in our academic areas, including high school credit courses. Tuckahoe Middle is a recognized International Baccalaureate Middle Years Program School with 160 6th and 7th graders who applied and were accepted in this rigorous program.

FACULTY AND STAFF:

For the 2011-2012 school year, there are 71 teachers serving 1081 students. The administrative team consists of the principal, an associate principal, two assistant principals, and three administrative aides. The School Counseling Department has three full-time school counselors, one part-time school counselor, and a registrar.

GRADING SYSTEM:

- A = 100 - 93
- B = 92 - 85
- C = 84 - 77
- D = 76 - 70
- F = 69 and below

There are two types of honor roll reports: **All A**, which requires a student to earn all course grades of "A" and **Honor Roll**, which requires a student to earn a "B" average in all courses taken. Honor roll reports are generated at the end of each marking period, each semester, and at the end of the year. Certain letter grades (D, F, U, WP, WF, S or P) exclude students from "Honor Roll" or "All A" reports. Courses such as S.O.L. Enrichment, and .25 middle school courses are not figured into any honor roll calculation. Letter grades of I or N are flagged for consideration at the school level.

KEY TO TRANSCRIPT SYMBOLS AND TITLES:

- K = 6th Grade Course or English As A Second Language Level I
- L = 7th Grade Course or English As A Second Language Level II
- M = 8th Grade Course or English As A Second Language Level III, IV
- V = Advanced/Accelerated Course
- IB = International Baccalaureate

VIRGINIA & HENRICO COUNTY TESTING PROGRAM:

<u>Test</u>	<u>Grade</u>	<u>Administered</u>
Henrico Assessment Tests		
(Science)	6, 7	Spring
NWEA	6, 7, 8	Fall and Spring
SOL (English-Reading, English-Writing, Mathematics, Science, and Civics)		
	8	Spring
SOL (Math, Reading, and Social Studies)		
	6, 7	Spring
SOL End-Of-Course		
	7, 8	Spring

CLUBS & ACTIVITIES:

Algebra Study Club	Engineering Club	SCA Patriot Pals
Beading Club	ESL	SCA Publicity/Advertising
Book Writing Club	Exploring Activities in Richmond	
Cheering Club		
Chess Club	Fitness Club	SCA Service
Chicks and Cliques	French Tutoring Club	Scrabble Club
College Club	Future Business Leaders of America	
Computer Animation Club	IB Gifted Enrichment	Silent Reading Club
Cooking	Jazz Band	Step Team
Cool Card Games Club	Juggling Club	Study Club
Cool Math Games	Landscaping Club	Teacher Helpers
Creative Crafting Club	Law Enforcement	Technology Student Assoc
Creative Writing	Peer Helper Club	The TMS Knitters
Dance Club	Photography Club	Virtual World Race Club
Ecology Club	Poetry Writing Club	WTMS Productions
		Yearbook

ATHLETICS:

Boys Baseball	Girls Softball
Boys Basketball	Girls Basketball
Boys Tennis	Girls Tennis
Boys Track	Girls Track
Boys Soccer	Girls Soccer
Cheerleading	Football
Gymnastics	Wrestling

FEEDER PATTERN:

Elementary - Students come to Tuckahoe from Crestview, Johnson, Maybeury, Ridge, Three Chopt, and Tuckahoe Elementary. Attendance zone determines which students from these schools attend Tuckahoe.
High School - Students will attend Freeman or Tucker High School. Attendance zone determines which high school students will attend. In addition, they have the option to apply to any Henrico County Public Schools Specialty Center or to the Maggie L. Walker Governor's School.