

Henrico County Public Schools has adopted a new Gifted Plan. Here are some dates to remember.

October 1-31<sup>st</sup>: Screening window for 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> grade students.

January 1-31<sup>st</sup>: Screening window for K-3<sup>rd</sup> grade students.

How students enter the screening pool.

- \* Pre-Screening Checklist of Gifted Characteristics completed by the classroom teacher
- \* Inquiries from parent/guardian, professional educators, community members, etc..
- \* Nationally Norm-Referenced Test Scores (96% or above)
- \* Student Work Samples
- \* Records of Identified Transfer Students

October 1<sup>st</sup>: Letters will be sent to students in 3<sup>rd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> grade who are automatic referrals.

During the first week of November or the first week of February, letters will go home to parents if your child was screened. This does not guarantee they will be referred for gifted. Any names submitted after October 31<sup>st</sup> or January 31<sup>st</sup>, will be screened in the next window.

During the first week of November or the first week of February, permission forms will go home if the student is moving into the referral process. Letters will also go home to parents whose child was screened, but at this time didn't have the pieces needed to move forward into the referral window.

November 1-15<sup>th</sup>: Referral window for 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> graders

February 1-15<sup>th</sup>: Referral window for K-3<sup>rd</sup> graders

\*Students who have 96% or above on any nationally norm-referenced achievement or ability test will be an automatic school division referral.

\*Students can only move into the referral process if they were in the screening process.

November 15<sup>th</sup> or February 15<sup>th</sup>: Deadline for parent permission forms to be returned. The County has 60 school days to hold a meeting.

If you have any questions or would like to make a screening inquiry, please contact Stacie Carlisle at [sscarlis@henrico.k12.va.us](mailto:sscarlis@henrico.k12.va.us) or at 360-4700.