

BALTIMORE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS

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INFORMATION

To provide the Board of Education updated information regarding Woodholme Elementary School.

FACT SHEET
WOODHOLME ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Site: There is a twenty (20) acre future school site in the Woodholme area of Baltimore County. The Baltimore County Board of Education owns ten (10) acres of this site which is on Mount Wilson Lane approximately 0.5 miles west of Reisterstown Road. The remaining ten (10) acres is a Baltimore County site, which has previously been developed by the Department of Recreation and Parks with two (2) softball fields, a soccer field, a concession stand, site lighting and a parking lot.

The Board of Education site will be developed for an Elementary School, parking, bus loop, stormwater management facilities, and play areas. All necessary utilities (water, sewer, gas and electric) will be brought onto the site, to service the facility. Mount Wilson Lane will be widened on the Board property side to accommodate acceleration/deceleration traffic lanes.

Facility: The prototype Elementary school, which is currently in operation at Essex ES, Edgemere ES, Westchester ES, and Dogwood ES, with an additional eight (8) classrooms is proposed for this site. The Woodholme ES will have at State Rate Capacity of 720 seats.

The School will have 7 Kindergarten/Pre-K rooms, 24 standard classrooms, Science classroom, Music Classrooms, Art Classroom, Media Center, and Computer Classroom. There is also a combination gym/cafeteria and Recreation and Parks Area. The building and site will be totally accessible.