



**Homewood Center**  
**10914 MD-108 Clarksville Pike**  
**Ellicott City, MD 21042**  
**(410) 313 - 7081**  
<https://hc.hcpss.org/>

## **WELCOME TO HOMEWOOD**

**Doors Open: 7:30 AM**

**Start Time: 7:50 AM**

**Dismissal Time: 2:35 PM**

### **Attendance Counts! Be Present! Be Engaged!**

If your student must be absent, report the reason for an excused absence by phone, note, or email to [HWCabsence@hcpss.org](mailto:HWCabsence@hcpss.org) within 5 days. Be sure to include the student's first and last name, parent/guardian name and reason for absence.

**Vision:** The Homewood Center empowers students to build skills and confidence and provides the access and opportunity necessary to prepare students to successfully navigate their chosen paths after high school.

### **Community School Administration and Resources:**

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### **Community Resources:** *\*Community programs are not sponsored or endorsed by HCPSS*

211 Maryland - [211md.org/](http://211md.org/) or call 211

Find help with food, housing, utility assistance and other essential health and human services in Maryland.

CAREAPP - [www.findhcreources.org/](http://www.findhcreources.org/)

Find services for food, health, housing, transportation, education, employment assistance, and more in Howard County.

Grassroots Crisis Intervention - [www.grassrootscrisis.org/](http://www.grassrootscrisis.org/) or call 410-531-6677

Free, 24-hour access to quality behavioral health, crisis intervention and homeless services to individual and family consumers in need.

## Important HCPSS and Homewood Center Resources

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|    | Homewood Center Website                                                                                                                                                                            | <a href="http://hc.hcpss.org/">hc.hcpss.org/</a>                                                                                                           |
|    | Homewood Center Staff Directory                                                                                                                                                                    | <a href="http://hc.hcpss.org/school-staff">hc.hcpss.org/school-staff</a>                                                                                   |
|    | HCPSS Connect - Canvas & Synergy:<br>Access to student information and classroom instructional tools                                                                                               | <a href="http://www.hcpss.org/connect/">www.hcpss.org/connect/</a>                                                                                         |
|    | HCPSS News Email and Text Messaging:<br>Keeps users up to date on news and events, and delivers real-time information on bus schedule changes, weather-related closings and emergency information. | <a href="http://www.hcpss.org/hcpss-news/">www.hcpss.org/hcpss-news/</a>                                                                                   |
|   | HCPSS Mobile Apps:<br>HCPSS social media accounts used to stay up to date with school news and events with customized news feeds and quickly view school contact information                       | <a href="http://www.hcpss.org/mobile-apps/">www.hcpss.org/mobile-apps/</a>                                                                                 |
|  | HCPSS Student Well-Being:<br>Learn how HCPSS promotes mental health and well-being, and find essential resources                                                                                   | <a href="http://www.hcpss.org/supports/mental-health-wellness/">www.hcpss.org/supports/mental-health-wellness/</a>                                         |
|  | HCPSS Student Supports:<br>Supports available for student needs throughout the school year                                                                                                         | <a href="http://www.hcpss.org/supports/">www.hcpss.org/supports/</a>                                                                                       |
|  | Naviance/Family Connection:<br>A web-based career and college readiness platform available to all middle and high school students.                                                                 | <a href="http://www.hcpss.org/schools/counseling-services/naviance/">www.hcpss.org/schools/counseling-services/naviance/</a>                               |
|  | Maryland Graduation Requirements                                                                                                                                                                   | <a href="http://www.hcpss.org/schools/counseling-services/graduation-requirements/">www.hcpss.org/schools/counseling-services/graduation-requirements/</a> |



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## **¡BIENVENIDO A HOMEWOOD!**

**Las Puertas se Abren: 7:30 AM   Hora de Inicio: 7:50 AM   Hora de Salida: 2:35 PM**

### **¡La asistencia es importante! ¡Asiste! ¡Participa!**

Si su estudiante va a estar ausente, informe el motivo de la ausencia justificada telefónicamente, por medio de una nota, o correo electrónico a [HWCabsence@hcpss.org](mailto:HWCabsence@hcpss.org), dentro de un plazo de 5 días. Asegúrese de incluir el nombre y apellido del estudiante, el nombre del padre, madre o tutor legal y el motivo de la ausencia.

**Visión:** Homewood Center empodera a sus estudiantes para que desarrollen habilidades y confianza y provee el acceso y oportunidades necesarias para preparar a los estudiantes a navegar de manera exitosa sus caminos después de la secundaria.

### **Administradores y Recursos de la Escuela Comunitaria:**

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**Recursos Comunitarios:** *\*Los programas comunitarios no son patrocinados o avalados por HCPSS.*

211 Maryland - [211md.org/](http://211md.org/) o marque 211

Encuentre ayuda con alimentos, vivienda, servicios públicos y otros servicios esenciales humanos y de salud en el estado de Maryland.

CAREAPP - [www.findhresources.org/](http://www.findhresources.org/)

Encuentre ayuda con alimentos, salud, vivienda, transporte, educación, asistencia en empleo y más en el Condado de Howard.

Grassroots Intervención en Crisis - [www.grassrootscrisis.org/](http://www.grassrootscrisis.org/) o llame al 410-531-6677

Gratis, 24 horas de acceso a salud conductual de calidad, intervención en crisis y servicios de albergue para individuos y familias que lo necesiten.

## Recursos Importantes de HCPSS y Homewood Center

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|    | Sitio Web de Homewood Center                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | <a href="http://hc.hcpss.org/">hc.hcpss.org/</a>                                                                                                           |
|    | Directorio del Personal de Homewood Center                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | <a href="http://hc.hcpss.org/school-staff">hc.hcpss.org/school-staff</a>                                                                                   |
|    | HCPSS Connect - Canvas & Synergy:<br>Acceso a información del estudiante y a materiales de instrucción del aula                                                                                                                                            | <a href="http://www.hcpss.org/connect/">www.hcpss.org/connect/</a>                                                                                         |
|    | Noticias, Correo Electrónico y Mensajes de Texto:<br>Mantiene a los usuarios al día en noticias y eventos, y provee información en tiempo real en cuanto a cambios de horario de buses, cierres de la escuela debido al clima e información de emergencia. | <a href="http://www.hcpss.org/hcpss-news/">www.hcpss.org/hcpss-news/</a>                                                                                   |
|   | Redes Sociales y Aplicaciones de HCPSS:<br>Redes sociales de HCPSS usadas para permanecer actualizados con las noticias y eventos de la escuela y para acceder rápidamente a información de contacto de la escuela.                                        | <a href="http://www.hcpss.org/mobile-apps/">www.hcpss.org/mobile-apps/</a>                                                                                 |
|  | Bienestar del Estudiante de HCPSS:<br>Conozca cómo HCPSS promueve la salud mental y el bienestar, y encuentre recursos esenciales.                                                                                                                         | <a href="http://www.hcpss.org/supports/mental-health-wellness/">www.hcpss.org/supports/mental-health-wellness/</a>                                         |
|  | Apoyos al Estudiante de HCPSS:<br>Apoyos disponibles para estudiantes a lo largo del año escolar.                                                                                                                                                          | <a href="http://www.hcpss.org/supports/">www.hcpss.org/supports/</a>                                                                                       |
|  | Naviance/Conexión Familiar:<br>Una plataforma de preparación para la universidad y la carrera, disponible para todos los estudiantes de escuelas intermedias y secundarias.                                                                                | <a href="http://www.hcpss.org/schools/counseling-services/naviance/">www.hcpss.org/schools/counseling-services/naviance/</a>                               |
|  | Requisitos de Graduación de Maryland                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | <a href="http://www.hcpss.org/schools/counseling-services/graduation-requirements/">www.hcpss.org/schools/counseling-services/graduation-requirements/</a> |