

# **Fall 2020 Elementary School Boundary Process**

### New Boundaries for the 2021-22 School Year



APS is developing new boundaries for some neighborhood elementary schools, and some students will be reassigned to another neighborhood school starting in the 2021-22 school year. The boundary proposal involves students from Ashlawn, ASFS, Glebe, Long Branch, McKinley, Taylor and Tuckahoe. Families can review and provide input on this proposal by October 20, 2020. Staff may refine the proposal in preparation for the Superintendent's recommendation. The School Board will vote on December 3, 2020, to adopt new boundaries.

## Stay Informed and Get Engaged!

For information visit: www.apsva.us/engage/fall2020elementaryboundaries/



#### Share your input on the initial boundary proposal by October 20, 2020:

- English, Amharic, Arabic, Mongolian and Spanish: Find a Community Questionnaire online at the link above.
- **English & Spanish:** Complete the Community Questionnaire online at the link above using any device, including mobile phones.
- Amharic, Arabic, Mongolian & Spanish: Answer questions from the Community Questionnaire and share any additional input on the boundary proposal in these languages by leaving a voice message at **703-228-6310**.

#### **COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT OPPORTUNITIES AND TIMELINE**

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Oct. 5-20	<b>Community Questionnaire</b> — See above for how to share your input in one of five languages.
Meeting #1: Oct. 7 7-8:30 p.m. Meeting #2: Oct. 14 7-8:30 p.m.	<b>Virtual Community Meetings #1 and #2</b> to share information on the boundary proposal and answer questions from community members. Note: the same information will be presented at both meetings to provide an additional engagement opportunity for people new to the process.
	Find the events at <a href="www.apsva.us/engage/fall2020elementaryboundaries-virtualevents">www.apsva.us/engage/fall2020elementaryboundaries-virtualevents</a> and learn how to join in using Microsoft Teams or Facebook Live. Also available: <ul> <li>View meetings live on Comcast Channel 70 or Verizon Channel 41</li> <li>Send questions in English or Spanish via text to 703-957-0089</li> </ul>
	Instructions for simultaneous interpretation during both meetings:
	• <b>Español:</b> Para escuchar en español, marque el número de teléfono 1-646-307-1479 Luego marque el código: 8915 541 472
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Oct. 9	Facebook Live videos in English and Spanish: <a href="www.facebook.com/ArlingtonPublicSchools/">www.facebook.com/ArlingtonPublicSchools/</a>
Oct. 16 12-1 p.m.	<b>Virtual Staff Open Office Hours in English and Spanish</b> will provide informal opportunities for community members to ask staff questions about the boundary proposal.
<b>Oct. 17</b> 9-10 a.m.	Find the event at <a href="https://www.apsva.us/engage/fall2020elementaryboundaries-virtualevents">www.apsva.us/engage/fall2020elementaryboundaries-virtualevents</a>
<b>Oct. 20</b> 7-8 p.m.	
October 29 6:30 p.m.	<b>School Board Work Session</b> on Elementary School Boundary Process To watch School Board Work Sessions live, visit <a href="https://www.apsva.us/school-board-meetings/school-board-work-sessions-meetings/watch-live-work-sessions/">www.apsva.us/school-board-meetings/school-board-work-sessions/</a>
<b>Nov 5</b> 7 p.m.	School Board Meeting Information Item on Superintendent's Proposed Boundaries To watch School Board meetings live, visit <a href="www.apsva.us/school-board-meetings/watch-school-board-meetings/">www.apsva.us/school-board-meetings/watch-school-board-meetings/</a> ; for information on speaking, visit <a href="www.apsva.us/school-board-meetings/">www.apsva.us/school-board-meetings/</a>
Nov 6	Facebook Live video in English and Spanish: <a href="https://www.facebook.com/ArlingtonPublicSchools/">www.facebook.com/ArlingtonPublicSchools/</a>
<b>Dec 1</b> 8 p.m.	School Board Public Hearing on Proposed Elementary School Boundaries To watch School Board meetings live, visit <a href="www.apsva.us/school-board-meetings/watch-school-board-meetings/">www.apsva.us/school-board-meetings/watch-school-board-meetings/</a> board-meetings/; for information on speaking, visit <a href="www.apsva.us/school-board-meetings/">www.apsva.us/school-board-meetings/</a>
<b>Dec 3</b> 7 p.m.	School Board Meeting Action Item for Adoption of Elementary School Boundaries To watch School Board meetings live, visit <a href="www.apsva.us/school-board-meetings/watch-school-board-meetings/">www.apsva.us/school-board-meetings/watch-school-board-meetings/</a>