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The joint MCPS/MCCPTA College & Career Readiness Night sponsored by the Curriculum Committee was held last Thursday, January 25th at Gaithersburg High School. Despite being rescheduled a few times, it was a big success! MCPS had over 700 parents and students RSVP to attend, and many others attended as well. There were 12 session presentations, and attendees could choose to go to 3. There was also a table fair with resources and information for parents and students from MCPS groups and local college and career-related non-profits.

If you were able to attend, please share your feedback using this link: https://goo.gl/forms/PmM1fJ5G6s2V0Xk53

Stay tuned for information about access to the slides used in the presentations if you were unable to attend.

The Curriculum Committee also met with a joint group of secondary supervisors from the Office of Curriculum and Instructional Programs and the Office of School Support and Improvement to discuss concerns related to the elimination at some high schools of on-grade-level options in certain courses, and a replacement with "Honors for All." We also discussed how the county provides local schools with support for Advanced Placement courses, and how to ensure consistency of instruction across all schools.