# COLLEGE CAREER FAIR



# You're invited!

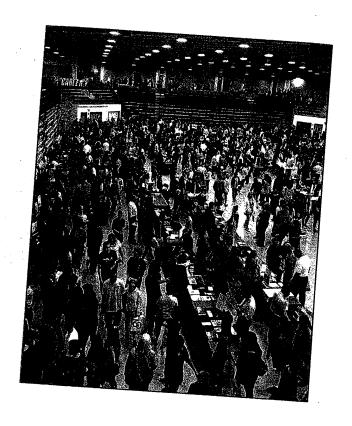
Wednesday, October 16, 2019 6:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. Harford Community College APGFCU Arena

## This year's fair features:

- More than 130 colleges and universities, including trade and technical schools
- Military Academies and United States
   Armed Forces
- Local businesses representing a variety of technical, business and STEM occupations
- Hundreds of opportunities for your future college/career plans
- More than 30 HCPS School Counselors on-hand to answer all your college and career questions

The event is FREE and open to the public, including parents and students from surrounding counties.

For more information, contact: laura.wade@hcps.org.



### Seminar Schedule:

**6:30 – 7:00 p.m.**Financial Aid Seminar:
Finding Money for College

7:15 – 7:45 p.m. Student-Athlete Seminar: Initial Eligibility Overview







# CAREER FAIR

This can't-miss event meets the goals of all middle and high school students and their families!

- Freshman just starting to explore different college/career opportunities
- Sophomores beginning to identify some areas of interest
- Juniors becoming more specific about their college/career goals
- Seniors finalizing plans or getting specific answers



# Prepare your list of questions!

## **College Admissions Questions**

- Does the college have academic programs that fit my current interests?
  - How can I get a brochure and information on my intended major or field of study?
- What is the average class size?
- Who do I talk to about financial aid and scholarships?
- When is the admission application deadline?
- How can I find out about activities or sports that interest me?
- What degrees or certificates are offered?
- What happens if I decide to transfer?
- How would I arrange a visit to the campus?
- Are online courses available?
- How many students will there be in courses I'm likely to take in my first year?
  - Are those courses taught by professors or by graduate assistants?

### **Career Interest Questions**

- What types of career opportunities does your organization offer?
- What does your company consider the five most important qualities in an employee?
- What skills do you find most marketable in your industry today?
- What are some challenges your industry faces?
- Are there certain majors you prefer to hire?
- What characteristics does your organization look for when hiring potential employees?

