



FAIRFAX COUNTY  
PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Jack D. Dale, Superintendent  
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Dear Residents of Lorton Valley Area Subdivisions:

This is to inform you of a Fairfax County Public Schools (FCPS) administrative boundary change affecting your neighborhoods (see attached map).

As most of you are aware, the School Board approved a boundary change which was implemented in 2007. This change impacted students residing in the Lorton Valley area west of I-95 and south of Lorton Road, assigning this area from South County Secondary to Hayfield Secondary. With the opening of the new middle school at the South County site, previous overcrowding at South County Secondary will be alleviated, which allows for the return of students to the South County pyramid. Halley Elementary School will no longer be a split feeder.

Effective with the opening of the new middle school at the South County site in September 2012, students residing within the Lorton Valley area subdivisions, as shown on the attached map, will be assigned to South County Secondary School (soon to be high school) and to the new middle school. For families with rising 8<sup>th</sup> or 12<sup>th</sup> grade students at Hayfield Secondary, please note the following:

- Rising 8<sup>th</sup> graders will be grandfathered with transportation but are encouraged to attend the new middle school. They will be expected to attend South County High School as 9<sup>th</sup> graders.
- Rising 12<sup>th</sup> grade students will also be grandfathered with transportation to Hayfield for one year.
- Families with other students not otherwise grandfathered and wishing to remain at Hayfield Secondary may request a student transfer. However, if a student transfer is approved, no transportation to Hayfield Secondary would be provided.

In accordance with the School Board Policy 8130.6, Paragraph V.C., the administrative boundary changes can only affect less than five percent of the enrollment of both sending and receiving school and this administrative boundary change conforms to that policy limitation.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding this administrative boundary change, please contact Denise James, director of Facilities Planning Services, at 571-423-2330.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Jack Dale', is written over a printed name and title.

Jack D. Dale  
Superintendent of Schools

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Attachment

cc: School Board  
Dean Tistadt, Chief Operating Officer  
Scott Brabrand, Assistant Superintendent, Cluster IV  
Frances Ivey, Assistant Superintendent, Cluster V

