

Carver Center Information

- **Website**

 - ◆ carverhs.bcps.org

- **Twitter**

 - ◆ Quick Link on the website
 - ◆ Our profile is [@GWCCAT](https://twitter.com/GWCCAT)

- **Instagram**

 - ◆ Quick Link on the website
 - ◆ Our profile is [@gwccat](https://www.instagram.com/gwccat)

- **The Mosaic** – our electronic newsletter

 - ◆ Quick Link on the website

Carver Center

Magnet

Showcase 2018

Welcome!

Carver Center's Mission

The Carver Center Community cultivates life-long learners whose **passion** for their **craft** empowers them to be **creative, successful, inspiring** contributors to society and the world.

Victories: Last Year

- ★ **96%** of the Class of 2018 is attending a 4 year or 2 year college
- ★ Class of 2018— over **\$16 million** in scholarships/awards
- ★ ProStart: **1st Place** in MD in management for the 11th year in a row;
- ★ SAT scores above county, state, and national averages
- ★ AP exams: **79%** of the grade 9-12 students who took an AP exam scored a 3 or higher and qualified for college credit; **46%** of the Class of 2018 took & passed at least 1 AP course & exam

Victories: So Far This Year

- ★ 18 AP Scholars (past 8 yrs: 33, 31, 28, 20, 30, 26, 31, 39, 23)
- ★ 18 AP Scholars w/Honors (past 8 yrs: 26, 15, 8, 3, 14, 18, 27, 18, 9)
- ★ 15 AP Scholars w/Distinction (past 8 yrs: 18, 22, 3, 2, 22, 22, 36, 40, 15)
- ★ 1 National AP Scholars (past 8 yrs: 4, 2, 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 4, 1)
- ★ 4 National Merit Scholars Commended

Victories: Overall

- ★9 Presidential scholars
- ★7 Scholastics Gold Portfolio winners
- ★194 YoungArts winners
- ★23 National Merit Scholar Finalists
- ★26 Marie Walsh Sharpe Scholars
- ★Over 169 ACTSO winners
- ★Over 874 AP Scholars

- ★3 student members of the Board of Education have been Carver Center students
- ★3 members of the Superintendent's Student Advisory Board have been Carver Center students

Victories: Overall

- ★ NFAA – top 5 visual arts school in country; more visual arts finalists than any school in history
- ★ College Board – Best Studio AP course in the world
- ★ Art Schools Network Outstanding Arts School
- ★ *Newsweek, U.S. News, & Washington Post* top schools in the nation
- ★ National School of Distinction in Arts Education by the Kennedy Center
- ★ National Magnet School of Distinction
- ★ National Magnet School of Merit
- ★ Arts Schools Network Exemplary School
- ★ National Blue Ribbon School

Victories: Overall

★ 942 students

★ 54.2% students of color, 29.3% male, 70.7% female

★ 0% drop out rate

★ 95% attendance

★ 83% HQ faculty

★ 50% of the arts faculty hold MFAs and PhDs

Our Graduates

- Ben Carson Scholars
- Ron Brown Scholars
- H. Robert Byrd Scholars
- Governor appointee to the Governor's Advisory Committee for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing
- Published authors
- Art professors, Chefs, Make Up Artists, Cosmetologists
- Owners of construction companies

Our Graduates

- Members of:
 - ◆ Alvin Ailey II
 - ◆ the Martha Graham Dance Company
 - ◆ the Royal Danish Ballet
 - ◆ the Hubbard Street Dance Company
 - ◆ the Sacramento Ballet
 - ◆ the Denesk Ballet
 - ◆ the Philadenco Dance Company
- Member of the Class of 2005 won Bravo TV's *Work of Art: Next Great Artist*
- Recipients of Fulbright Foundation Grant
- Recipients of Pollock Krasner Foundation Award

Our Graduates

- Co-stars in:
 - ◆ *Camp* (nominated for the Grand Jury Prize at the Sundance Film Festival)
 - ◆ John Water's *A Dirty Shame*
 - ◆ *Fences* at the Pasadena Playhouse in Los Angeles with Laurence Fishburne and Angela Bassett
 - ◆ On Broadway in *The Lion King*, *Hairspray*, *Mama Mia*, and *Beautiful*; as regular cast members of *7th Heaven*, *Judging Amy*, *Generation Kill*, HBO's *The Wire*, AMC's *Mad Men*

Our Graduates

- 2006 Best Filmmaker by the Baltimore City Paper
- Winner of "Best Horror Feature" at the 2007 Shockerfest International Film Festival
- Featured band at the Pitchfork Festival
- Exhibited at the Forum Gallery in NY, the Lombard-Freid Projects Gallery in NY
- Over 10 Graduates teaching in BCPS:
 - ◆ Including PEIncluding art teachers in BCPS – two of them teach here: one in Digital Art and one in Digital Filmmaking!
 - ◆ teachers in BCPS – one of them teaches here!
 - ◆ Including Cosmetology teacher in BCPS – here!

The Carver Student



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Our Home

- Carpentry shop
- Sculpture studio
- 2 full business computer labs
- 2 painting studios
- Photography studio
- Multimedia studio
- Filmmaking studio & green room
- Private studios for AP art students
- Full cosmetology studio
- State of the art culinary kitchen
- Working café run by students
- 14 Music practice rooms
- Black Box Theatre
- Carver Theatre – 1000 seats
- Full production booth for performances
- Design & Production Master Studio
- Piano lab
- 2 dance studios
- Learning spaces for full academic program
- Biology, chemistry, physics, environmental science labs
- Athletic facility complete with gymnasium, wrestling room, weight room, multipurpose room
- College Career Room
- Access to internships with Channel 73
- 220,000 sq. feet devoted to students

Important Information

- A day/B day, 4 period day, 90 minute classes
- All-county magnet school
- Offer same academic program as all BCPS: standard, honors, gifted & talented, Advanced Placement
- Expectation: all students will take & pass at least 1 AP course & exam while at Carver Center
- 20 Advanced Placement courses
- Opportunities beyond the classroom include work experience, concurrent enrollment at local college/university, internships, online classes
- 11 primes
- Buses: Pickup – Community high school

Upcoming Events

- Carver Café, November 14 & 15, call for reservations
- Freshman/Sophomore Vocal Recital, November 7, 2:30 p.m.
- American Education Week, November 12 & 13, 15 & 16
- Fall Opera/Musical Theatre Workshop, November 20, 5:00 p.m.
- Fall Literary Coffeehouse, November 20, 7:00 p.m.
- Gospel Choir Concert, November 20, 7:00 p.m.
- Inertia Dance Concert, December 6 & 7, 7:00 p.m.
- Junior/Senior Vocal Recital, December 12, 2:30 p.m.
- Carver Theatre Company Presents - *Inspecting Carol* - December 13, 14, & 15, 7:00 p.m.
- Winter Film Premiere, December 20, 7:00 p.m.

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American Education Week:

Prospective students may visit:

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday

Must be accompanied by a
parent/adult guardian

Must sign-in upon arrival

Next Steps

- Note that for some Carver Center programs applications are accepted for incoming grade 10 & 11 students while others are limited to incoming grade 09 students only
- A student may apply for up to 3 programs at Carver Center
- Applications and further information on the application process can be found on the Magnet Office website:

www.bcps.org/offices/omp

Next Steps

- Must have applications into the Magnet Office by the deadline on the Office of Magnet Programs website:

www.bcps.org/offices/omp

**DO NOT BRING APPLICATIONS TO
CARVER CENTER!!**

Thank You!

