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Shall BCPS' new middle school be named Northeast or Nottingham? Your vote may decide!

The final balloting will determine which name is preferred

Towson, MD – First, BCPS asked you for ideas about what to name Baltimore County's newest middle school, a \$116.75 million edifice on King Avenue in Rosedale with enough room for 1,410 seats when it opens to students in August 2024.

So, earlier this month, the voters spoke, all 3,562 of them. And after their ballots were counted and the results tallied, the preferred choices came down to two favorites: The new school should be named either . . . drum roll, please . . . Northeast Middle School or Nottingham Middle School.

Now the hard part: Which will it be, Baltimore County? A [new survey](#) opens today, November 28, to allow you, your neighbors, and anyone else – including BCPS staff, students, and parents – to cast a ballot for one or the other name. This multilingual survey to determine the top vote-getter will be open through Tuesday, December 12, and may be accessed by the QR code below.

Once a winner has been chosen, the name will be reviewed by BCPS leadership and submitted to the Board of Education of Baltimore County for final approval by January 23, 2024, as stipulated by [Board of Education Policy and Rule 7520](#) regarding the naming of a new school.

So get voting, Team BCPS! Northeast or Nottingham – it's a tough decision, and we need your help! Your vote will determine a name that will stand for years as a landmark, on letterhead or etched in stone, and on the lips of many a student, staff member, and proud parent. After all, Baltimore County, we're making history here!

Your QR Code



Scan this QR code to participate.

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