



Montgomery College
Youth Programs
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A Special One-day Enrichment
 Program at Montgomery College
 for Gifted and Talented Students
 in Grades 4 & 5

Saturday Discoveries

Discover Science, Humanities, & The Arts!

**Saturday,
 November 14th**

8:30 a.m.- 2:50 p.m.
**Takoma Park/Silver Spring
 Campus**



Students will attend four small group sessions. Instructors are from the Montgomery College faculty and staff, Montgomery County Public Schools, and the Montgomery County community. Saturday Discoveries accepts students on a first-come, first-served basis.

The cost for this one-day program is \$85. Although students are escorted between classes, staff members are available to assist students in locating their assigned classrooms. Parents are cordially invited to accompany their children to Saturday Discoveries at no additional charge. While students are sharing this exciting educational experience, a special optional workshop for parents will be held from 9:15–11:15 a.m. (see page 3). Separate registration is required for parent workshop.

Montgomery College and the Montgomery County Public Schools are cooperatively presenting this enrichment opportunity for interested and able students to explore topics outside the school curriculum.

Schedule

Report to: Falcon Hall, Gym

8:30–8:45	Check In
8:45–8:55	Welcome/Opening Remarks
9:00–10:15	Small Group Session #1
9:15–11:15	Parent Session (Optional)
10:20–11:35	Small Group Session #2
11:40–12:10	Lunch (Brown Bag)
12:15–1:30	Small Group Session #3
1:35–2:50	Small Group Session #4

DESCRIPTIONS OF SMALL GROUP SESSIONS

1. A Persuasion Game.

The world is full of commercial advertising to convince you how to spend your dollars. Come and join the Mistress of Critical Thinking, Allegra Coates Wallace, as she introduces this new, exciting, and informative game show. A Persuasion Game is designed to teach you how to navigate through the world of advertising propaganda and how to spend your dollars wisely. Come join us for laughs, learning, and PRIZES!!! Allegra Coates Wallace, B.A., American University, adjunct faculty of Montgomery College.

2. Creative Writing and Public Speaking.

Learn creative ways to prepare impressive presentations that inform, persuade, inspire and convey a message. Enhance your writing and public speaking skills with the use of technology, visual aids, and techniques needed to deliver polished presentations of any kind. Nekesha Price, M.Ed, Bowie State University, adjunct faculty of Montgomery College.

3. Gaming Industry.

So, you're thinking about being part of the gaming industry. What does that mean? What kind of skills are you going to have? Find out what it takes to build a computer game, or an animated visual effect for a movie. You will learn about the tools of the trade and some basic design techniques. You will look at storyboards, 2D and 3D building methods, and software. You don't want to miss this class! Calvin Edwards, B.S. Fashion Institute of Technology, adjunct faculty of Montgomery College.

4. Kid's Boot Camp!

You think you know how to exercise? Step into this fun and energetic class with Sergeant Barth. This exercise class will get you up and going. You will learn basic exercises such as pushups, situps, and jumping jacks. You will then learn how to do arm and leg stretches, arm and knee rotations, and a lot more. Don't miss out, sign up today. Sergeant Jeff Barth, Security Forces Officer with the United States Air Force.

5. Model Animation 101.

Learn about the exciting industry of clay and model animation by watching and critiquing some of the most popular examples in the industry—Wallace & Gromit and Chicken Run. Learn how professionals bring the models alive through stop motion. Design your own character and make a clay animation model to bring home! Jennifer Burns, B.A., Visual Arts and Communications, University of Maryland, Graphic Designer.

6. Physics FUNdamentals!!!

Join us for a day of fun as you learn the basic concepts of physics. You will gather the equipment and conduct the experiments in our made up, special "physics lab." Perform basic experiments related to heat, air, water, light and gravity! Peggy Gregson, M.P.H., University of North Carolina, adjunct faculty of Montgomery College.

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7. Putting It Together: Collage and Assemblage.

Come explore the fascinating aspects of two-dimensional collage and three-dimensional found objects. Create your own Sci Fi city, landscape, or dreamscape. Compositional design elements such as color, texture, rhythm, balance, and unity will be explored. Materials will range from commercial papers to wood scraps, and from wire to corrugated cardboard. You will learn how to join these different objects together. Renee Lachman, M.F.A., George Washington University, adjunct faculty of Montgomery College.

8. Think Quick.

Do you like to use your mind to solve challenging and interesting problems? Yes? Then you'll really love this quick-paced learning experience. You will work on challenging individual team activities as you learn to think on your feet. Working on a team with classmates, you will compete for scores based on your individual creative thinking and quick responses. Have fun while you learn to use your mind to Think Quick! Dr. Edward Harris, Ph.D., University of Maryland, adjunct faculty of Montgomery College.

Parenting Solutions! **Optional Workshop for Parents**

“Your Child’s Self-Esteem: What Can a Parent Do?”

Dr. Ed Harris, Presenter

Course: SCH219

CRN#:26557

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Tuition \$20 + Fee \$10 = \$30; Non-Maryland resident add \$30

Many psychologists believe that a child’s self-esteem is directly tied to his/her ability to get along with others. They also believe that a child’s sense of worth can be improved through the development of certain interpersonal skills. This parenting workshop focuses on ways parents can help to improve a child’s sense of self-worth, and help to raise his/her level of self esteem. Participants in this workshop will leave with many ideas and activities they can begin to use at home immediately. Learn how to teach a child to have more self respect, more respect from others, and how to have more respect for others.

GENERAL INFORMATION

COST: Tuition: \$60.00; Fee: \$25.00 = \$85.00. Course Total to be paid at time of registration. Non-Maryland residents add \$50. Tax-deductible contributions to the Youth Scholarship Fund may be added to this total.

REGISTRATION PROCEDURES: Complete registration form. Be sure to include student's College ID Number. If you have attended classes at MC before, you should have one. If you do not have one, we will assign one for you. Signature of school official is **REQUIRED** (*application forms cannot be processed without applicable signatures*). Mail completed registration form directly to: Montgomery College, Workforce Development & Continuing Education, **SATURDAY DISCOVERIES**, 51 Mannakee Street, Rockville, MD 20850. Payment may be made using VISA or MasterCard, or by making a check for \$85.00 payable to Montgomery College. You may choose to **FAX** completed registration form indicating VISA, MasterCard, or Discover payment to Saturday Discoveries at 240-567-7548, or **register via the Web at <http://www.montgomerycollege.edu/wdce/youth.html>**. This program fills quickly, so be sure to register as soon as possible. Walk-in registrations must be brought to Campus Center, Room 220, on the Rockville Campus. **Session assignments will be made in the order that registrations are received.** Students will receive acknowledgment of registration. Information packets, including student's session assignments and locations, will be available the morning of Saturday Discoveries. **Please report directly to the Falcon Hall Gym, Montgomery College, Takoma Park/Silver Spring Campus.** Campus Maps are located at each main entrance of Montgomery College.

REFUNDS: One hundred percent refund of tuition and fees is granted if a course is administratively canceled or if a student notifies the College of his/her withdrawal of registration in writing by the day prior to the scheduled start of class. Request a refund **IN WRITING** and mail to: Montgomery College, Workforce Development & Continuing Education, **SATURDAY DISCOVERIES**, 51 Mannakee Street, Rockville, MD 20850. There is **NO** refund after the program begins. Criteria for refunds include: illness of student or immediate family member (send physician's note) or death of student or immediate family member (send copy of death certificate). Students must state their name, social security number, course title and CRN number, and reason for withdrawal. A stop payment on checks does not constitute withdrawal from a class. There is a \$25 invalid check fee charged each time a check is returned by a bank. For refund or withdrawal questions call 240-567-7932 or 240-567-5045. Allow up to five weeks for a refund to reach you. The College reserves the right to cancel a course due to insufficient enrollment. The College reserves the right to refuse registration due to insufficient payment.

DISABILITY SUPPORT SERVICES: If student requires aids, services, or barriers removed to fully participate in Montgomery College Continuing Education programs, please register first. Then call 240-567-7920 or TTY 240-567-7931 *three weeks before the class meets to arrange for reasonable accommodations*. For further information, please call 240-567-7917.

LUNCH: Students must bring lunch. Cold drinks will be available for sale at campus vending machines. The cafeteria does **NOT** operate on Saturdays.

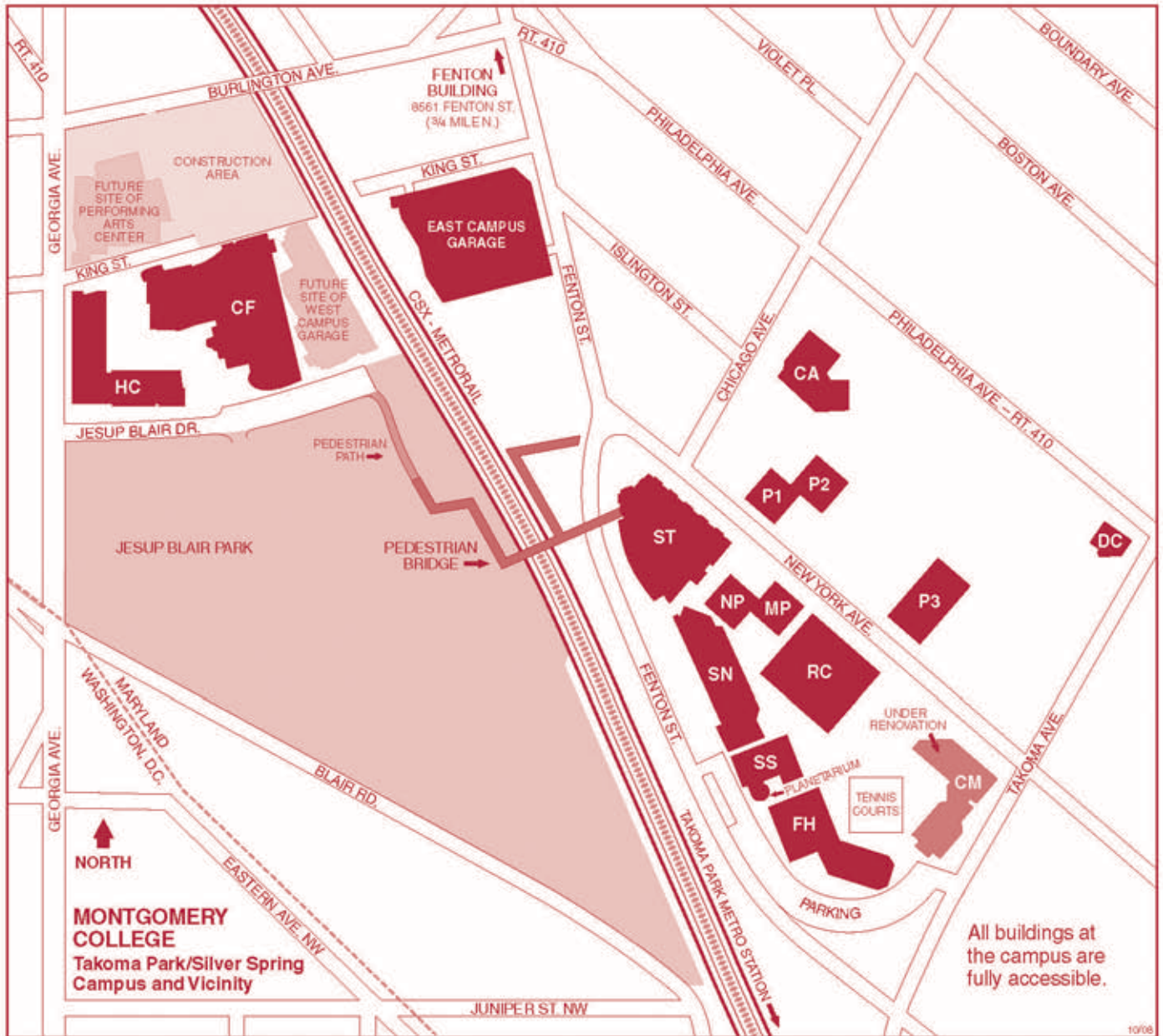
TRANSPORTATION: Students and their parents or guardians are responsible for all transportation arrangements. **Please pick children up promptly at 2:50 p.m.** There are no provisions for supervision of students after the end of the program. **Students not picked up by 3:15 p.m. will be taken to the Security Office located in the Student Services Center.** Public transportation is available; please call Montgomery County Transit Information at 301-217-RIDE.

HEALTH SERVICES: Should a medical emergency occur, trained personnel from the Campus Security Office will be available to render aid. The Takoma Park/Silver Spring Campus Security Phone Number is 240-567-1600.

NOTE: This enrichment opportunity is being presented as part of an ongoing program offered by Montgomery County Public Schools and Montgomery College for gifted and talented students. For more information please contact: Ms. Sharon Wolfgang 240-567-7264

MONTGOMERY COLLEGE

Takoma Park/Silver Spring Campus and Vicinity



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Takoma Park/Silver Spring Campus Legend of Buildings

(as of October 2008)

- CA Communications Arts Center
- CF The Morris and Gwendolyn Cafritz Foundation Arts Center
- CM The Commons¹
- DC Child Care Center
- FH Falcon Hall (Physical Education)
- HC Health Sciences Center (Workforce Development & Continuing Education)
- MP Mathematics Pavilion

- NP North Pavilion
- P1 Pavilion One
- P2 Pavilion Two
- P3 Pavilion Three
- RC Resource Center
- SN Science North Building
- SS Science South Building (Planetarium)
- ST Charlene R. Nunley Student Services Center (Security Office and Admissions and Records)

¹ Closed for renovation.



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Other Youth Programs

Youth Development Institute

Broad-based, interdisciplinary courses for independent learners in grades K–12 who have special school schedules. These courses are offered during regular school hours. Program begins October 12th.

Kids' College

Enrichment courses for students from Pre-K through grade 12. Courses are offered after school and on Saturdays on the Rockville and Germantown Campuses. Program begins October 7th.

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