



## Interested in becoming a Golden Circle Volunteer?

The Golden Circle Program encourages the increased involvement of seniors and retired citizens in public education. All senior citizens, retired citizens, and retired school employees are invited to join. This program offers individuals an opportunity to be involved in their community and school. Participation means a contribution to schools and support for the continued commitment to the academic excellence of our students.

Applicants should be 55 years of age or older and be willing to commit at least 40 hours of volunteer service annually in a Virginia Beach public school.

Golden Circle members who complete forty (40) hours of volunteer service per school year in a Virginia Beach City Public school are rewarded with:

- **one** tuition-free Community Education course per school year (excluding materials and books) from the VBCPS Adult Learning Center, and
- a Golden Circle Pass, offering complimentary admission to school activities (including athletic events) at no charge. Pass is not transferable (limit one per year).

Volunteers in intergenerational programs find personal satisfaction in:

- ◆ working with young people
- ◆ sharing their life experiences and personal expertise with today's youth
- ◆ motivating students
- ◆ becoming an advocate for today's educational process
- ◆ meeting new people

### Becoming a Golden Circle Volunteer is Easy!

Interested individuals may contact the school of their choice or the Office of Community Engagement at 263-1337 to obtain a membership application. Applications may also be found online at [www.vbschools.com](http://www.vbschools.com) – "Volunteers and Partners". Once you return your application to the Office of Community Engagement, you will receive assistance with placement as a volunteer at your preferred school.

Applications should be returned to:

Laura J. Smart, Office of Community Engagement  
Virginia Beach City Public Schools  
2512 George Mason Drive  
Virginia Beach, VA 23456

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