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Media Advisory

CCSD schools set to compete in Academic WorldQuest for first time

Who: Students, parents, community members, and media outlets are welcome and encouraged to attend.

What: Students from five Charleston County School District schools will take part in the Academic WorldQuest™ district championship. Academic WorldQuest™ is the World Affairs Councils of America flagship youth education program. It is a fun, fast-paced team competition for high school students which tests players' knowledge of current international politics, geography, global economic history, and world cultures.

The winner of this event, which is sponsored by the World Affairs Council of Charleston, will advance to the national tournament in Washington, D.C. next month.

When: Saturday, March 14, 2020; 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Where: Academic Magnet High School, Media Center, 5109-A West Enterprise Street, North Charleston, SC 29405

For more information about the event, contact the Office of Strategy and Communications at (843) 937-6303.

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About the Charleston County School District

Charleston County School District (CCSD) is the second largest school system in South Carolina representing a unique blend of urban, suburban, and rural schools spanning 1,300 square miles along the coast. CCSD serves more than 50,000 students in 87 schools and specialized programs. With approximately 6,100 employees district-wide, CCSD is the fourth largest employer in the region.

CCSD offers a diverse, expanding portfolio of options and specialized programs, delivered through neighborhood, charter, magnet, IB (international baccalaureate), and Montessori schools, and is divided into three Learning Communities. Options include specialized programs in science, engineering and mathematics; liberal arts; music and other creative and performing arts; career and technical preparation programs; and military and other public service enterprises.

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