

2020 BPF- OCTOBER 10

22nd Annual Black Parents Forum & Student Admissions Fair

9:30 - 12 Noon LOWER School Zoom WEBINAR for PARENTS

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BPF School Fair - 12 Noon - 2 PM on ZOOM for Families

10:00 - 10:35 LS Panel 1 Parent's Panel - Inside Tips (35 mins)

Current independent school parents share insider tips on their successful admission strategies and failures. Learn from both day and boarding parents with great resources and referrals.

Parent Moderator -Mariah Harmon, St Lukes Community House PreSchool Parent Nashville, TN
(mariah@teacherofcolor.info)

- **Parent 1 -Keisha Simmons, Waldorf School Parent, Decatur**
- **Parent 2 - Shalondra Henry, Friends School of Atlanta Parent, Decatur, GA**

10:40 - 11:15 LS Panel 2 - Primary and Lower Day School Admissions 101 (35 mins)

So you think you want your child to apply to independent school. Let our panel of private school admissions representatives help direct you. Learn what to do, when to do it and how its done in the this info packed admissions workshops for day and boarding designed just for you.

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- **School Rep 1 - Sarah Garletts, Director of Admissions, Whitefield Academy, Smyrna, GA**
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- **School Rep 2 - Megan Weltscheff, Admissions Director, Intown Community School, Atlanta, GA 30329**
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- **School Rep 3 -Gopi Shammass, Associate Director of Admission for Lower School, Lovett School, Atlanta, GA**
(gopi.shammass@lovett.org)

11:20 - 11:55 LS Panel 3 Financial Aid (35 mins)

Yikes! Its cost what? Yes, it does but there are several things to do in order to make sure you can apply to and pay for admission into top day and boarding schools. Join us for the real deal on financing an independent school education

Parent Moderator - Erikka Searles Mitchell, Children's School Parent, Atlanta

- **School Rep 1 -Susan Mantilla-Goin, Senior Associate Director of Admission & Director of Financial Aid, Fay School, Southborough, MA**
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- **School Rep 2 - Laura Nicholson, Director of Admission & Enrollment, High Meadows School, Roswell, GA**
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- **School Rep 3 - Gregory Smith, Woodward Academy, Atlanta,**
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(Parents get Zoom links with registration at www.blackparentsforum.info)

