If you have been referred to Teen Court due to a suspension to the Superintendent, below are some things you need to know before you come to Teen Court.

## Teens Information:

~You are <u>not</u> on trial for any type of charge. You are strictly coming to participate as a volunteer in the program.

~You can arrive at the La Plata court house located at 200 Charles Street La Plata, MD 20646 as early at 5:15p, you must dress court appropriate. For, gentlemen slack and a button down shirt or a polo. For ladies, slacks, a nice shirt, or dress/skirt (which must be of an appropriate length).

"When you arrive at the court house please check in with court security and tell them you are a volunteer. Let them know that you are a first time volunteer and need to know where to sign in.

~Once you sign in, you will then be put in your assigned court room.

## Parent Information:

~If you have any question regarding Teen Court please call during business hours for the Teen Court Unit at 301-609-3916. The hours for the Teen Court Unit are as follow: Monday –Friday 9a-5pm, on Teen Court night's 9a-4:30p.

~Parents are not allowed to sit in the court room during trials. You are more than welcome to walk your child into the court house to see where they are going. As well as wait for them in the lobby, or you may drop them off and come back to pick them up at 8:30pm, 8:45p at the latest.

~If you need a letter prepared to turn in to the Board Of Education please give me a least 72 hours notice. All letters will have to be picked up at my office (10435 Audie Lane, La Plata, MD 20646). My office is located on the same road as Board of Education.

## Side Notes:

**Teen Court Coordinator:** Sarah Vaughan **Direct Line to Office:** 301-609-3916

Website: www.ccso.us click on youth outreach and Teen Court will come up and you can see all

the activities we are involved in or any up coming events.