

## Wake Young Women's Leadership Academy Tour Dates

- October 20<sup>th</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup> 9 am, 11 am and 1 pm
- November 10<sup>th</sup> 11 am and 1 pm
- November 17<sup>th</sup> 9 am, 11am and 1 pm
- December 1<sup>st</sup> 9 am, 11 am, 12:15 pm and 1:15 pm

To sign up for a tour, visit our website: [www.wcpss.net/wywla](http://www.wcpss.net/wywla)

## INFORMATIVE EVENTS

### **Open House**

Thursday, November 3, 2016  
6:30pm – 8:00pm

### **Magnet Fair**

Saturday, November 5, 2016  
9:00am – 12:00pm  
Southeast Raleigh Magnet High School

***Application window: October 7, 2016-December 16, 2016***

## APPLICATION PROCESS

**STEP 1:** Visit the Wake County Public School displays at the Magnet Fair

**STEP 2:** If your child is not currently a WCPSS student, you must visit the WCPSS Office of Student Assignment to pre-register your child and receive a student identification number.

Student identification numbers will be available beginning November 7<sup>th</sup>.

**STEP 3:** Complete an online application at [www.wcpss.net](http://www.wcpss.net).

A complete application includes:

- Three recommendations (2 teacher and 1 administrator)
- Student essays: 250 words-middle school & 500 words-high school
- Academic and attendance histories for current year and the previous two years.

**WYWLA ESSAY PROMPT:** Leadership development is an integral part of the WYWLA experience. Students learn and practice leadership behaviors through daily classroom instruction and activities. Each student also participate in our **Girls' Leadership Class (GLC)** where they will get a deep understanding of The Five Practices of Exemplary Leadership. These Practices are based on the research of Kouzes and Posner (The Leadership Challenge). The Five Practices of Exemplary Leadership are: 1) Model the Way 2) Inspire a Shared Vision 3) Challenge the Process 4) Enable Others to Act 5) Encourage the Heart

Select a leader that you admire and explain how this leader exemplifies one of the five leadership practices listed above. Your essay should include the qualities that you admire in this leader and should provide specific examples of how this leader exemplifies the practices. Conclude the essay by sharing how our school will help you develop as a student, as a young woman, or as a leader.

## WAKE YOUNG WOMEN'S LEADERSHIP ACADEMY



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*& Ready to Serve*

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