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Join Councilmember Alexander at the H.D. Woodson High School Grand Opening

On Wednesday, August 17, at 10:30 a.m. the official grand opening and ribbon cutting for H.D. Woodson High School will take place at 5500 Eads Street NE. Students, parents, alumni and the Ward 7 community are invited to attend.

The newly constructed \$100 million school will feature state of the art facilities that will help to enhance the curriculum for the students. Updated computers and technology will be available in the classrooms. The new H.D. Woodson campus will also include modernized facilities for the sports teams.

“I am elated that this day is finally here,” said Councilmember Yvette M. Alexander. “Our students deserve this beautiful campus and all of the great features that will enhance their educational experience.”

Construction on H.D. Woodson’s campus began in July 2008 after it was included in a vast list of DCPS schools that were due for remodeling and updated technology.

Mayor Vincent C. Gray and members of the District of Columbia Council will also be in attendance.

Please go to <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VSD-oUMnYNA> to take a virtual tour of H.D. Woodson High School.

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