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***Your Great Opportunity to explore the region's diverse schools and programs***  
**Third of five School Choice Fairs in the Greater Hartford region**  
**to be held Wednesday at Glastonbury-East Hartford Magnet School**

**HARTFORD, Conn., November 30, 2012** -- Want to explore the many great opportunities for your child's education within the Greater Hartford region? **Bring the family to the third of five Regional School Choice fairs on Wednesday, December 5, 2012 from 5:30 pm to 7:30 pm at the Glastonbury-East Hartford Magnet School in Glastonbury.**

The RSCO school fairs will feature booths and information about the dozens of magnet schools as well as Open Choice options for students from preschool to grade 12.

Parents, grandparents, guardians and students can speak with helpful staff at the Greater Hartford Regional School Choice Office (RSCO) and its partners, the Capitol Region Education Council, Hartford Public Schools' Host Magnet Program, the Connecticut Technical High School System, Goodwin College and the Suffield Agriscience Program.

"Our goal is to assist families in making a decision that will be right for their child and attending one of the RSCO fairs is one way they can get the information they need to make that important decision," said Mark Linabury, RSCO acting bureau chief. "Through our five open houses held between October and January, families can learn about the many schools and specialized programs in our region that emphasize exciting educational themes such as arts and culture, math and science, engineering and technology, environmental studies, global studies and social justice. The Greater Hartford Regional School Choice office provides opportunities for all students to get a first-hand look of what these schools offer them and the process by which they can apply to schools that match their interests."

A list of the remaining RSCO school choice fairs follows below. For more information, call the Greater Hartford Regional School Choice Office at 860.713.6990 or visit their web site at [ChoiceEducation.org](http://ChoiceEducation.org)

## **RSCO School Choice Fairs –**

### **Trinity College**

Ferris Athletic Center Field House

1710 Broad Street, Hartford

Saturday, December 15, 2012 8:30AM - 12 noon

Snow Date & Time: Sunday, December 16, 2012 1:00PM - 4:00PM

### **Sport & Medical Sciences Academy**

280 Huyshope Avenue, Hartford

Saturday, January 12, 2013 8:30AM - 12 noon

Snow Date & Time: Sunday, January 13, 2013 1:00PM - 4:00PM

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