



**CITY OF CLEVELAND**  
Mayor Frank G. Jackson



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## **News Advisory**

### **Mayor Jackson's Annual Youth Summit and CMSD Back to School Fair to Highlight Conduct, Courage and Character**

*Nationally renowned Author Wes Moore to Deliver Inspirational Speech to CMSD Kids*

**CLEVELAND** - This Saturday, August 18, 2012, Mayor Frank G. Jackson and CEO Eric Gordon will welcome more than 2500 Cleveland Metropolitan School District (CMSD) students and their parents to Mayor Jackson's 6<sup>th</sup> Annual Youth Summit and CMSD Back to School Fair at Cleveland Public Auditorium. Parents and students will attend workshops from 10:00 a.m. – 12:15 p.m. on Anti-Bullying; Family Engagement; Health and Wellness; and more. In addition, there will be 1 workshop for parents who speak Spanish as their first language and translators in all other workshops. There will also be tables with information on school, community and City of Cleveland services & resources.

This year, while supplies last, students attending the summit will receive grade appropriate school supplies which include a backpack with pens, pencils, paper, glue, highlighters, etc. The goal of the summit is to empower young people with fundamental skills that will translate into a successful school year and useful information they can use in their daily lives.

Note: There will be free parking at Willard Garage behind Cleveland City Hall.

**WHO:** Mayor Frank G. Jackson  
Eric Gordon, CEO, Cleveland Metropolitan School District  
Monyka Price, Chief of Education, Office of the Mayor  
Wes Moore, Keynote Speaker, Nationally renowned author and youth advocate  
CMSD Students and Parents  
Presenters from various community organizations and volunteers from the City of Cleveland and CMSD

**WHAT:** 6<sup>th</sup> Annual Youth Summit

**WHERE:** Cleveland Public Hall  
500 Lakeside Avenue

**WHEN:** Saturday, August 18, 2012 8:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.  
8:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m. Registration  
9:00 a.m. - 9:55 a.m. Welcome Remarks and Keynote Address, Public Hall  
10:00 a.m. - 12:15 p.m. Workshops  
12:15 p.m. - 1:00 p.m. Lunch and distribution of school supplies