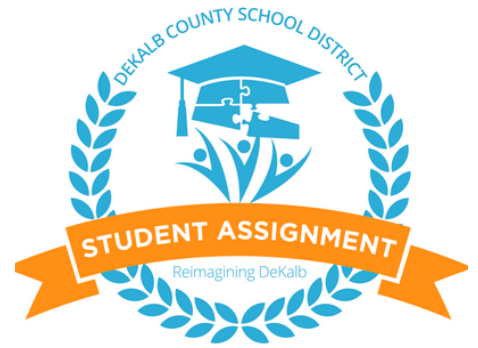


SCHOOL CHOICE

OPEN ENROLLMENT



APPLICATION DATES
25-26 SCHOOL YEAR

OCTOBER 1 - OCTOBER 31
OPEN ENROLLMENT

OCTOBER 5 & OCTOBER 26
NWEA MAP SESSIONS
(NON-DCSD STUDENTS)

DECEMBER 13
LOTTERY NOTIFICATION

JANUARY 3 - JANUARY 17
LATE OPEN ENROLLMENT

FEBRUARY 7
LATE LOTTERY NOTIFICATION

It is our belief that all children deserve the right to a quality education, aligned to their interests and needs.

DeKalb County School District offers multiple school options to meet the unique needs of all of our students.

Our department allows students within the DeKalb County School District to attend a school outside of their home attendance area, after completion of the application process and if space is available.



What are my School Choice Options?

Charter



Start-up charter schools have a separate application process outside of DCSD School Choice. Contact individual schools for details.

Dual Language Immersion



Dual Language immersion prepares students for the global world by providing 50% of instruction in French, German or Spanish. The remaining 50% of instruction is taught in English.

International Baccalaureate



International Baccalaureate is designed for students who desire the most rigorous, advanced and challenging program of study. Traditional academic subjects are taught along with an emphasis on interrelated knowledge and skills.

Magnet



DCSD offers two magnet program options: High Achievers Magnet or Special Interest Magnet. All programs have a required minimum Grade Point Average (GPA), test score or audition component.

Montessori



Montessori programs feature multi-age classrooms where students learn at their own pace through hands-on experience, using materials especially prepared for investigation.

Theme



Theme schools offer students a comprehensive, interdisciplinary educational program in a highly structures setting. Parents are a vital part of the program as they work to reinforce the program and support the school.

Other



Schools that offer or accept Career Pathways, Discovery Learning Academy, Employee Student Transfer, House Bill 251, Senate Bill 10, Senate Bill 47 fall in the other category.



CONTACT US



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REGISTRATION

The Registration Support Team is dedicated to providing assistance and support. Our team works closely with schools to ensure families have the best experience possible when registering their scholars. The support team's goal is to provide prompt, efficient, and helpful service during every interaction. We're here to provide registration guidance and to assist with any issues that arise within the Infinite Campus Online Registration (OLR) System. This includes providing OLR training, troubleshooting application problems and answering questions. In addition, they often work closely with other teams in the district to stay up-to-date on any changes or updates that may affect the registration process.

Who Should Register:

Parents/Guardians will complete the registration process for their child(ren) who will be enrolling in DeKalb County School District for the first time. Families could be registering in DCSD from a different district in the state, country, or out of the country.

Who Should Complete An Annual Verification:

Current families in DeKalb County School District who are entering 6th and 9th grades are required to update and/or verify important information and documents.

Returning Students:

To ensure a smooth transition back into DeKalb County School District, if the student attended a DCSD school at any time during the current school year or the previous school year, they can be re-enrolled. If they did not, parents/guardians will follow the same steps as outlined in the New Student Registration process.

Online Registration



SCHOOL CHOICE

School Choice



CHARTER: Dekalb Academy of Technology & Environment, DeKalb Path Academy, DeKalb Preparatory Academy, The GLOBE Academy, International Community School, Leadership Preparatory Academy, Museum School of Avondale Estates, Tapestry Charter School

DUAL LANGUAGE IMMERSION: German: Ashford Park ES, Spanish: Barack Obama ES, French: Evansdale ES and Rockbridge ES.

INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE (IB): Avondale ES, Fernbank ES, Midvale ES, Druid Hills MS, Salem MS, Tucker MS, Druid Hills HS, Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. HS, and Tucker HS.

MAGNET: We offer two Magnet Program options, High Achievers and Special Interest. All programs require a minimum grade point average, a minimum test score, or an audition component.

- **HIGH ACHIEVERS:** Kittredge (4-6), Wadsworth (4-8), Chamblee MS, Chapel Hill MS, Chamblee HS, Southwest DeKalb HS.
- **SPECIAL INTEREST:** Barack Obama ES, Evansdale ES, DeKalb Arts Academy, Columbia MS, Columbia HS, DeKalb School of the Arts, and Arabia Mountain HS.

MONTESSORI: Briar Vista ES and Huntley Hill ES.

THEME: E.L. Bouie, Marbut, Narvie J. Harris, Oakcliff, Robert Shaw, Wynbrooke, and The Champion Theme MS.

OTHER OPTIONS: Arabia Mountain Career Pathways, Dr. Ronald E. McNair Discovery Learning Academy, Coralwood Center, Employee Student Transfer Request, House Bill 251, Senate Bill 10 and Senate Bill 47.