

THEME SCHOOLS & CENTERS OF INNOVATION APPLICATION



STUDENT INFORMATION APPLICATION IS REQUIRED FOR ALL STUDENTS (PLEASE PRINT)

Student Number *(if available)* _____

Grade applying for 2019-2020 school year _____

Date of Application _____

Student's Legal Last Name _____

Student's Legal First Name _____

Current School _____

Home Schooled: Yes No

Date of Birth MM/DD/YY _____

Gender: Male Female

Does your child receive special education services? Yes No Does your child have a 504 plan? Yes No

Ethnic Background: Is the student Hispanic or Latino? No, not Hispanic or Latino Yes, Hispanic or Latino

Black or African American Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander American Indian or Alaska Native Asian White

Parent's/Guardian's Last Name _____

Parent's/Guardian's First Name _____

GRPS Employee: Yes No

Home Address _____

City _____

State _____

Zip Code _____

Home Phone _____

Alternate Phone _____

Cell Work

Parent's/Guardian's E-Mail Address _____

Please list the name(s) of other siblings (brothers and sisters) attending the school you are applying for. *(Siblings are students who reside at the same address and have the same parent/guardian.) No sibling preference is given to students applying for Blandford School, Zoo School, Center of Economicology and City Middle/High School.*

Name _____

Attending _____

Grade _____

Name _____

Attending _____

Grade _____

APPLICATION DEADLINES FOR ALL THEME SCHOOLS AND CENTERS OF INNOVATION:

Application deadline is January 31, 2019. Selections for all schools will be on February 15, 2019. As the Grand Rapids Public Schools, our obligation first and foremost is to those that live within our boundaries.

Selection process:

1. Grand Rapids residents with a sibling currently attending the applied for school (Does not include test-in schools).
2. Grand Rapids residents, regardless of the school they are currently attending; non-residents currently attending a GRPS school; and children of GRPS employees, who reside within the GRPS boundaries.
3. Non-residents with a sibling currently attending the applied for school (Does not include test-in schools); and children of GRPS employees, who are non-residents.
4. Non-residents with a sibling currently attending any GRPS school.
5. After groups 1-4 have been selected, if seats remain, up to 15% non-resident students will be selected.

IMPORTANT NOTES:

- Late applications will be accepted but are subject to a waiting list.
- An application is not complete until all requested documents have been received; only complete applications can be used for selection.
- Notice of selection will be made via letter after selection is done. Selection continues until all openings are filled with eligible students. Once all openings are filled, eligible students are placed on a waiting list.

SPECIAL ACCOMMODATIONS:

- The Grand Rapids Public Schools is an Equal Opportunity Institution – F/M/V/D.

If you need special accommodations due to disability, please contact the Equal Opportunity Office at 1331 Franklin, SE, P.O. Box 117, Grand Rapids, MI 49501-0117 or call 819-2035 (TDD 1-800-649-3777) prior to the meeting.

If you speak a language other than English and need interpretation/translation services, please contact us at 819-2129.

Advance notice will enable us to better accommodate you.

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Application received by _____ Time: _____ Date: _____

SCHOOL OPTIONS PLEASE IDENTIFY ONE SCHOOL FOR EACH CHOICE

Selections are based on openings by grade. Students are selected via computerized lottery process. Neighborhood students have preference through the lottery process.

CHOICES	1st	2nd	3rd
Academy of Business, Leadership & Entrepreneurship at Innovation Central High School (9th & 10th) <small>Note: Transcripts are required for grades 10th and up. submit with application (non-GRPS students only).</small>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Academy of Design & Construction at Innovation Central High School (9th & 10th) <small>Note: Transcripts are required for grades 10th and up. submit with application (non-GRPS students only).</small>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Academy of Health, Sciences & Technology at Innovation Central High School (9th & 10th) <small>Note: Transcripts are required for grades 10th and up. submit with application (non-GRPS students only).</small>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Academy of Hospitality and Tourism at Ottawa Hills High School (9th grade only)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Academy of Modern Engineering (formerly GRAPCEP) at Innovation Central High School (9th & 10th) <small>Note: Transcripts are required for grades 10th and up. submit with application (non-GRPS students only).</small>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Academy of Teaching and Learning at Innovation Central (9th grade only)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Blandford School* (6th grade only) <small>Note: This school has additional selection criteria.</small>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
CA Frost Environmental Science Academy (K-12th)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Center for Economicology at City* (6th grade only) <small>Note: This school has additional selection criteria.</small>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
City High/Middle School International Baccalaureate Diploma Program (7th-11th) <small>Note: This school has additional selection criteria.</small>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Coit Creative Arts Academy (K-5th)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Gerald R. Ford Academic Center Character, Leadership, and College Prep (K-8th) <small>Note: This school has additional selection criteria.</small>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Grand Rapids Montessori (PreK3-12th) <i>Does the student have Montessori experience?</i> <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <i>If yes, where?</i> _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Grand Rapids Public Museum School (6th-10th) <i>One grade added per year until school is grades 6-12</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
North Park Montessori (PK3-8th) <i>Does the student have Montessori experience?</i> <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <i>If yes, where?</i> _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Ridgemoor Park Montessori (PK3-6th) <i>Does the student have Montessori experience?</i> <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <i>If yes, where?</i> _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Early Middle College Program at Ottawa Hills High School (10th grade only)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sherwood Park Global Studies Academy (K-8th)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Southwest Community Campus Spanish-English Immersion (K-8th) <small>Selection into grades 2nd and up are based on the students language skills in English and Spanish</small> <small>Note: This school has additional selection criteria</small>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
University Preparatory Academy/UPrep (6th-12th)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Zoo School* (6th grade only) <small>Note: This school has additional selection criteria.</small>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

*Application for Blandford School, Center for Economicology and Zoo School is not used for City application. All students must complete a new application for City.

PARENT SIGNATURE: _____ **DATE:** _____

RETURN APPLICATION TO: Student Services, Grand Rapids Public Schools, 1331 Franklin SE, PO Box 117, Grand Rapids, Michigan 49501-0117.

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