



Applying for a District Application Program

Initial Application Period: January 9 through 5 PM on January 19, 2024

Steps to Take Before January 9

- Pinellas County Residents:
 - Get a Focus Parent Portal Account
 - Don't have one? Set one up with your email address at <u>https://focus.pcsb.org</u>

- Make sure your Address is Correct in Focus
 - If you moved, make sure your new address has been updated in Focus



Non-Pinellas County Residents

- Apply using a Special Attendance Permit
 - <u>https://tinyurl.com/SpecialAttendancePermit</u>
- Special Attendance Permit requests are handled after the Initial Acceptance Period and start of the Late Application Period.
- Results will be communicated in early summer.



Initial Application Period

You will have from **12:01 AM on January 9** through **5:00 PM on January 19** to apply for up to 5 District Application Programs

Apply at <u>https://focus.pcsb.org</u>





Steps to Apply

Using the Focus Parent Portal and Student Reservation System



Go to https://focus.pcsb.org

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Sign-in using your username and password.



Click the Student Reservation System Link

The link can be found in 2 places.





Trouble Signing In?

If you have trouble signing in:

- Try resetting your Focus Parent Portal
- Try clearing your cache

For Focus Parent Portal assistance contact Tech Help at 727.588.6060



Choose the Best Description (New or Current Student)



Reminder: This program will **not** let you apply without a Pinellas County address.



Click "District Application Program"





Select "Make an Application..."





Select Correct Description for Your Child

	Student Reservation System
Select the	Welcome! p.truskowskie Today is Monday, July 13, 2020: 4:11 PM Help Logout English En Español
description for your child.	Click on the one statement that describes your child: O My child has never attended a Pinellas County public or charter school My child currently attends or is assigned to a Pinellas County public or charter school
	False Official Statements Whoever knowingly makes a false statement in writing with the intent to mislead a public servant in the performance of his or her official duty shall be guilty of a misdemeanor of the second degree, punishable as provided in s. 775.082 or s. 775.083. I affirm that all of the information contained in this application is true and complete and I understand that any falsification, misrepresentation, or omission will be subject to disciplinary and/or legal action.
Click Continue.	Continue
,	Terms of use Privacy Policy



Enter Child's Name/D.O.B. or Local Student ID



Verify Your Child's Information



Enter Suffix, Gender, and Next Year's Grade



Enter State Required Ethnicity



Enter Your Address







Select Your Address





Enter Additional Address Information





Enter Parent/ Guardian Information



Enter Priority Claim Information

Please note proximity priority distances are automatically calculated using your entered address information. .



Enter School Level

		District Application Programs (Magnet, Fundamental & Career Academy Programs) APPLICATION PERIOD - Test Site	22
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Select the		Elementary School	
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Select Up to 5 Programs

Remember: Priorities only apply to the #1 ranked choice.

Use the
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menu to
choose up to 5
programs.



Review Choices & Conditions





Enter a phone number and email so the school can contact you.

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BE LIMITLESS with 80+ District Application Programs

Review Selections & Enter Contact Info

Confirmation Screen & Email

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Your PCS District Programs Application

← ≪ → Today at 5:59 PM



Pinellas County Schools <donotreply@pcsb.org>
To:
 Truskowski Ellen
 Truskowski Elle

If you have any question, please call the Student Assignment Office at: (727) 588-6210.

Thank You.

- Pinellas County Schools

PLEASE SAVE THIS EMAIL. In the event of technical issues, you will be asked to forward this email as part of the process of assisting you.

As a reminder, you agreed to the following stipulations:

I understand that application and assignment to, and continued participation in all application programs is guided by the School Board approved Procedures for District Application Program Procedures and have reviewed this document. Key elements of these procedures include: Acceptance of an invitation to an application program will remove the student from all other application program waiting lists, except for the Centers for Gitled Studies.

Students who accept a seat in Pinellas Virtual School will not be removed from other program waiting list.

Students previously dismissed from a fundamental program are only eligible to enter another fundamental school at the next academic level (middle or high).

Priorities (feeder pattern, sibling, staff) only apply during the initial application period and only to first choice/ranked programs

Priority preference is provided to any staff member who lives in the district and works full-time at the program school

A priority is also given to sibling students eligible for the program at the school to which they are applying and whose older sibling is already attending that school (and will be there at the same time as the applicant).

In schools with school-within-a-school programs, priority status is provided to the program only. The current sibling must be in the same program for the applicant to receive the priority unless indicated in the District Application Program Procedure.

If a student invited to a magnet program has an eligible sibling who applied but was not invited, the parent must contact the school's program coordinator directly during the week immediately following the acceptance period to claim newly invited priority status. Newly invited priority status is only applicable during the initial application period each year and is not granted to students invited from waiting lists later in the school year.

Military priority only applies during the late application period

Students with curb-to-curb or specialized transportation on their IEP who accept a seat in an application program agree to waive such specialized transportation and agree to arterial bus transportation provided the student resides more than two miles from the application program school.

Centers for Gifted Studies, high school Cambridge AICE and high school IB programs have academic requirements. If you apply and do not meet those requirements, your application will be marked as ineligible.

All middle and high school program applications can be made ineligible if a student has 10 or more referrals in the last two school semesters and/or any SESIR incident(s) as defined in the Code of Student Conduct.

Arterial bus transportation is available to students who live more than two miles from school. For ESE students who have an IEP that requires transportation or Section 504 students that require specialized transportation, that transportation is provided to their zoned school. If parents choose to enroll the student in a DAP, arterial transportation will be provided, consistent with the transportation provided to non-



Modifying or Checking on Your Application

- You can go back in at any time up until 5 PM on Friday, January 19 to change your choices.
- Please be aware if you do this, this page will appear.
- To just check and print click View/ Print School Choices.
- If you click, change school choices, you will need to complete the whole process and SUMBIT or your original application will be deleted.





You Have Completed the Process



 You can change your selection anytime during the January 9 – 19 at 5:00 PM window.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Student Assignment at 727.588.6210, DAP@pcsb.org or StudentAssignment@pcsb.org

