

**FOLSOM CORDOVA UNIFIED
SCHOOL DISTRICT**
1965 Birkmont Drive
Rancho Cordova, California 95742



ELEMENTARY SCHOOL CHOICE APPLICATION

School Office Use:
Send white copy to Assistant Superintendent's Office;
Attach yellow copy to the Enrollment Packet
Date Received: _____ Time Received: _____
New Choice Cont. Choice Cont. Choice Enter Date: _____

District Office Use:
Date Received: _____ Accepted Wait

School Choice Application forms are submitted with the Enrollment Packets during the FCUSD registration period for the following school year. All School Choice applications submitted during this period will be considered at the same time, rather than on a first-come, first-served basis. If necessary, the determination of space availability will be made as specified on the reverse side of this form. If the number of choice applicants exceeds the number of spaces available within any of the foregoing priority levels at any grade, the space availability shall be determined by lottery.

School Choice Applications due March 10, 2017
Continuing School Choice - return with registration packet to student's current school of attendance.
New School Choice - return to school assigned to student's address (home school).
**** You must complete a separate application for each student. Please print clearly****

Student Name: (Provide Legal Name from Birth Certificate)

Last Name		First Name		Middle Name
Date of Birth	Please Check: <input type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/> Male		2017-2018 Grade	

Parent/Guardian/Legal Caregiver Information:

Last Name		First Name		MI
Street Address		City		Zip
Home Telephone	Cell Phone		Work Telephone	

Present School Information:

Name Current School _____ <input type="checkbox"/> School of Residence <input type="checkbox"/> School Choice <input type="checkbox"/> Overflow	Name School of Residence: _____ Current 2016-2017 Grade: _____ School You Are Applying to: _____
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Reason for Applying:

Employment: Name of Employer _____ Phone # of Employer _____

Child Care: Name of Facility/Child Care Provider _____ Telephone # _____
Street Address _____ City _____

Sibling at School Other (please explain) _____

Please List All Siblings CURRENTLY ATTENDING the SAME Choice School:

Last Name	First Name	MI	Birth Date
School Presently Attending		Current Grade	Grade Next Year
Last Name	First Name	MI	Birth Date
School Presently Attending		Current Grade	Grade Next Year

AGREEMENT:

In the event that space becomes available, I understand that this School Choice/Transfer Application is for the current school year only, and it may become necessary to return my student to his/her home school the following year to accommodate children who have moved into the school's attendance area during the school year.

As a School Choice applicant, I agree to provide transportation to and from school and residence, if no scheduled transportation is available.

I understand and agree that the approval of this application for School Choice may be revoked at any time if my student fails to comply with the school's rules regarding student behavior and attendance, including arrival and departure times, as well as parent/guardian's adherence to Board Policy 1313 Civility and Mutual Respect.

I understand and agree that should this application be denied, appeals will only be accepted *in writing* to the FCUSD district office.

I understand and agree that should this application be denied, requests to be placed on a wait list will only be accepted *in writing* to the FCUSD district office.

By signing this application, I authorize the Folsom Cordova Unified School District to access my child's student records for purposes of evaluating this agreement.

Parent or Legal Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

**FOLSOM CORDOVA UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
ELEMENTARY REGISTRATION PRIORITIES**

These priorities apply during the district-established registration period

Admission Requirements

1. No student currently attending a school and residing within the school's attendance area shall be displaced by another student transferring from outside the attendance area (Education Code 35160.5), unless (s)he fails to register by the district-established deadline.
2. The governing board retains the authority to maintain appropriate racial and ethnic balances among district schools. (Education Code 35160.5)
3. All students will register each year, by the district-established deadline.

ENROLLMENT PRIORITIES

Admission to a given school will be determined by the following enrollment priorities:

Students who live in the school attendance area

1. Returning students and siblings who currently reside within the school attendance area, as designated by the district data base.
2. Students returning to neighborhood home school who enrolled during previous school year, but were transferred to another school due to overcrowding (overflow).
3. Students who were attending another school on "Choice", and who cannot now be accommodated at that school; and, additionally, in some cases, to receive (parent-requested) Special Education services.
4. Academy for Advanced Learning, Spanish Magnet, STEM Academy at Riverview, Montessori Program at Carl Sundahl, Special Education, Administratively placed and Transitional English students. These students will be considered as mandated placement by the District, and need not live within the local school attendance area.
5. New students with legal residence within neighborhood school attendance area.
6. Students attending identified Title I Program Improvement schools who have been notified by the district of their option to transfer to available spaces at other district non-identified schools, and have requested such placement (ESEA Title I Part A Section 116 (b) (1) (E)).
7. Students continuing under inter-district transfer agreement approved for five years by the Office of Attendance and Due Process, unless the student transfers to another school.

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Intra-district agreement (Choice) students

8. Sandra J. Gallardo Elementary School only: students from The Shores and Quail Chase housing subdivisions have "priority choice".
9. Students accepted under Romero Bill Open Enrollment.
10. Students under intra-district agreement (Choice) approved for prior school year, and who desire to remain at that school. *Both the length of time attending a site on a "Choice" agreement and placement of siblings together will be taken into account when possible.*
11. Siblings of Transitional Kindergarten, Academy for Advanced Learning, and Spanish Magnet Programs.
12. Students with verified child care within the "Choice" school's attendance area.
13. New intra-district "Choice" students.

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Out of district students (Inter-district Requests)

14. New inter-district applicant approved by Office of Attendance and Due Process and site level administrator.