

Regular Application

For Magnet Elementary Schools

Begins November 18, 2009, and continues through June 30, 2010

Return **in person** to the school where applying.



2010-2011

(Name of school where applying)

1. Child's Legal Name

_____ Last First Middle Initial

2. Child's Address

_____ Number Street Apt. No. ZIP Code

3. Date of Birth

_____ Month Day Year

4. Grade Entering Next Year _____

5. School or Day Care Now Attending _____

6. Parent's or Guardian's Name

- Parent
 Guardian

_____ Last First Middle Initial

7. Parent's or Guardian's Address

(If different than student's)

_____ Number Street Apt. No. ZIP Code

8. Parent's or Guardian's Telephone Numbers

_____ Home Work Cell

Parents of Preschool Applicants may apply for children who will be age 3 or 4 by Sept. 30, 2010. Parents also may apply as a child turns 3 for placement as space becomes available. **Check one box:**

Head Start / ECE Grant

See **Page 2** for income eligibility requirements, or call 363-0258. Parents must meet income eligibility criteria.

Tuition

\$2,900 per year for half-day programs (Montessori & AWL; \$290 due at acceptance)
\$5,500 for full-day programs (AMIS, Roberts, Woodford & Fairview only; \$550 due at acceptance)

X

Signature of Parent or Guardian

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for Important Information**

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Student ID#: _____

Status: A R W Letter Date: _____

Comments: _____

CPS Magnet Elementary Schools

Important Information

2010-2011

- Students enrolled in Magnet elementary schools are expected to remain in those programs for the 2010-2011 school year.
- **All Magnet elementary schools are open to students with disabilities.**
- Parents may enroll a child in an area (East or West) Magnet school based on the address the district has on file for the child. If you have moved this school year, your child's current school must see proof of the child's correct address, such as an utility bill or a rental agreement.
- A student enrolled in a Magnet school outside the student's home area (East or West) will not receive transportation from the district.
- The waiting list for Magnet schools lasts until **June 30, 2010**. If a student on a waiting list is not accepted by June 30, 2010, the student must wait and reapply to the Magnet program next school year. (Preschoolers are accepted from waiting lists through March, if slots are available.)
- Once a student is enrolled in a Magnet program, the student's name is removed from all waiting lists for other Magnet programs, except at the School for Creative and Performing Arts (SCPA).
- If a student is accepted into a Magnet program for the 2010-11 school year but fails the grade in 2009-2010, that Magnet space is not guaranteed. Parents may apply for only one grade per child.
- Tuition to Magnet schools (excluding preschool) is charged only if a student lives outside the Cincinnati Public School District. Priority is given to a student who lives within the CPS district, even if the out-of-district student is a sibling of a current CPS Magnet student. Information is available at the Magnet school where the child is accepted.
- Students new to Cincinnati Public Schools who are interested in the **Elementary College Preparatory Program** must provide scores from their most recent standardized tests when the Magnet application is submitted. The Magnet application will not be considered until standardized test scores are reviewed.
- Children must be age 5 by Sept. 30, 2010, to enter kindergarten. A rigorous early entrance exam can be requested for children who turn 5 between Oct. 1, 2010, and Dec. 31, 2010. Contact any Cincinnati Public school for information about kindergarten testing.
- Students without Montessori experience are accepted into Montessori schools only at preschool and kindergarten. Students in higher grades without Montessori experience must go through an interview process at the school to be considered for acceptance.
- Students without experience in the language taught at a Magnet foreign-language school are accepted only in preschool, kindergarten and first grade. An older student without language experience may be accepted based on an interview with staff (except at AMIS, which at grades 2-8 accepts only students who are native speakers of French or Spanish, or who come from immersion schools.)

■ Head Start Eligibility

To determine eligibility for Head Start preschool, find the line on the chart below that shows the number of people in your family. If your gross annual income (the amount before taxes) is larger than the figure in the last column, you are **not** eligible for Head Start and must pay tuition.

Size of Family	Annual Income Not to Exceed
<u>2</u>	<u>\$14,570</u>
<u>3</u>	<u>\$18,310</u>
<u>4</u>	<u>\$22,050</u>
<u>5</u>	<u>\$25,790</u>
<u>6</u>	<u>\$29,530</u>
<u>7</u>	<u>\$33,270</u>
<u>8</u>	<u>\$37,010</u>