

# **SCHOOL CHOICE REFERENCE GUIDE**

2023-2024



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Dear Families,

Whether your child attends a dedicated magnet school or their neighborhood school, we remain committed to providing an outstanding educational experience for your child, ensuring that they are equipped for success in college, career, and life.

Our enrollment guide is the perfect entryway to exploring the large menu of educational options available to you. As you take the steps to choose the school that best fits your child, please make note of the considerations below:

- Great Schools in Your Neighborhood: We encourage you to take a close look at your neighborhood school, also called an attendance-area school. We are committed to providing excellent schools in every neighborhood. To find your attendance-area school, go to <a href="https://www.duvalschools.org/finder">www.duvalschools.org/finder</a>.
- Magnet or Special Transfer Option Schools: If you are interested in attending a school other than your attendance-area school, we have that too from magnet schools and special transfer option schools to exceptional education schools.
- School Visits: Before making a final decision about a school, visit schools. Contact the school or check out the school website for more information about dates and times of in-person or virtual visits.
- Enroll: Once you have selected the school of your choice, you can find the steps to enrollment in this book or by visiting <a href="https://www.duvalschools.org/enroll">www.duvalschools.org/enroll</a>.

If you need support along the way, our School Choice team is here to help you navigate the process. Reach out to them at <a href="mailto:schools.org">school choice@duvalschools.org</a>, or set up an appointment to speak with a specialist at <a href="mailto:www.duvalschools.org/enroll">www.duvalschools.org/enroll</a>.

We want to do everything possible to ensure your child is in a school where they can thrive. Thank you for being a part of Team Duval!

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# GUIDE TO NEIGHBORHOOD, MAGNET, AND SPECIAL TRANSFER OPTION SCHOOLS

# **Quick Start Guide**

Below are the main steps to starting your journey in the Duval County Public Schools enrollment process.

STEP ONE

**CHOOSE A SCHOOL/PROGRAM.** 

The first step is to identify schools that appeal to the student. The state of Florida and Duval County Public Schools provide families with the opportunity to make educational choices. DCPS provides parents/guardians with three choices:

- **Zoned Attendance Area Schools:** Each student is automatically assigned a zoned attendance area school, based on their residential address. To find this school, go to <a href="https://www.duvalschools.org/finder">www.duvalschools.org/finder</a>.
- Magnet Schools/Programs: Students must apply to these schools. They offer a specific focus. The charts on pages 8 -9 provides an overview of available magnet programs and themes from elementary to middle to high school.
- **Special Transfer Option Schools:** Students must apply to these schools. If accepted, parents/guardians are responsible for all transportation.

**STEP TWO** 

**LEARN THE DETAILS.** 

If a student wishes to attend a school other than the zoned attendance area school, it is important to understand the lottery process, priorities for admission, transportation, and events. Pages 70-73 explain these steps and details.

#### **STEP THREE**

**REGISTER AND APPLY.** 

- If a student is new to DCPS and has never received services, parents need to establish a student ID and parent/guardian account. Follow the instructions at <a href="https://www.duvalschools.org/parentaccount">www.duvalschools.org/parentaccount</a>. These steps must be completed prior to applying for school/program of choice. Please note that this process may take up to three business days.
- In some cases, students have existing student ID numbers. If unsure, parents/guardians can email <a href="mailto:school\_choice@duvalschools.org">school\_choice@duvalschools.org</a> with the child's last name, date of birth and a copy of a valid driver's license for next steps.
- An application must be submitted online through Focus in your parent/quardian account.
- In order for a student to have magnet status at his/her zoned attendance area school, the parent/guardian will need to submit an online application.
- Parents/guardians who want their student to attend the zoned attendance area school (neighborhood school) can complete the registration process at the school. (<a href="www.duvalschools.org">www.duvalschools.org</a>)

The magnet and special transfer schools application deadline for the 2023 - 24 school year is Tuesday, February 28, 2023. Please note that this is a multi-step process and may take up to three business days to complete.

### STEP FOUR

**COMPLETE YOUR JOURNEY.** 

Parents/Guardians will receive email notification concerning the outcome of the magnet and special transfer option lottery no later than mid-April. Notification will be sent to the email address associated with the parent/guardian account.

Have questions? Visit our website at <a href="www.duvalschools.org/schoolchoice">www.duvalschools.org/schoolchoice</a>, contact us at <a href="mailto:(904)390-2082">(904)390-2082</a>, or <a href="mailto:schools.org">school choice@duvalschools.org</a>.

#### STEP ONE: CHOOSE A SCHOOL/PROGRAM.

#### WHAT ARE MY CHOICES?

- **Zoned Attendance Area Schools** are determined by residential addresses. Each student is automatically assigned to a zoned attendance area school for elementary, middle and high. To locate the zoned attendance area schools, go to <a href="https://www.duvalschools.org/finder">www.duvalschools.org/finder</a>.
- Magnet Schools offer a unique curriculum designed to provide students with an opportunity to explore an area of interest. There are three types of magnets. **Dedicated Magnet Schools** are schools without a specific zoned attendance area. All students apply to attend and are placed through a lottery. **Whole School Magnet Schools** are schools within a zoned attendance area. In elementary schools most students receive theme-based instruction (Dual-Language is the exception.) Zoned attendance area students only receive magnet status if they apply and are accepted to the magnet program. A **School-Within-A-School Magnet** is a school within a zoned attendance area where only a specific group of students participate in the magnet program.

Magnet programs were started during the 1991 - 1992 school year as a voluntary desegregation plan. Today, Duval County's magnet programs promote diversity and offer wonderful and enriching learning opportunities. Participating in the magnet program does not mean giving up traditional education. It enhances the education experience. Every student receives instruction in the subject areas that are required for promotion and/or graduation.

In general, students may apply to any magnet program. Middle and high school students may apply to any magnet program if they meet eligibility requirements as outlined in the Magnet Theme Stream on pages 8-9. The chart illustrates schools and program progression by theme.

Program continuity means following the same magnet program from one level to the next. For example, a student enrolled in a technology magnet program during elementary school may want to continue to learn about technology in middle and high school. Program continuity allows the student to do just that. Students seeking program continuity must reapply as they move from elementary to middle school and from middle to high school. Students seeking program continuity receive a priority for admission, but it does not guarantee acceptance.

Elementary magnet students sometimes want to switch themes. Students who want to change themes as they enter middle school will receive the tiered continuity priority in the lottery. This priority rewards participation in an elementary magnet program.

• **Special Transfer Option Schools** are neighborhood schools that are not located in the student's attendance zone. Just like attendance zone schools, these school offer instruction in subjects that are required for promotion and graduation.

Please note that district transportation is not provided to special transfer option schools. Transportation is the responsibility of the parent/guardian. Annually, magnet bus routes are reviewed. Magnet bus routes with five (5) or less magnet students may be discontinued the following school year. Your child may apply to a magnet program for the 2023 - 2024 school year with the understanding that transportation may be the responsibility of the parent/guardian. Transportation for middle and high school students is provided under specific guidelines. Refer to page 49 for the middle school guidelines and page 60 for the high school guidelines.

# **Magnet** Theme Stream

**ACCELERATED STUDIES** 

**MILITARY STUDIES** 

**BUSINESS INNOVATIONS / ENTREPRENEURIAL STUDIES** 

**INTERNATIONAL STUDIES** 

**ELEMENTARY** 

Start here



• Central Riverside

- Holiday Hill
- Jacksonville Beach
- R. V. Daniels
- Richard L. Brown
- San Mateo
- Thomas Jefferson

Crystal Springs

- Beauclerc\*
- Chimney Lakes
- Ortega
- San Jose\*
- Spring Park
- West Riverside\*

\*Dual Language students must apply at the school.

#### **MIDDLE**

Must apply to continue here



• Darnell-Cookman M/H

- James W. Johnson MS
- Jean Ribault MS<sup>1</sup>
- Julia Landon MS

<sup>1</sup> Continuation to Darnell-Cookman, Paxon SAS, Stanton, and Wolfson are for Early High School Students only.

• Joseph Stilwell MS\*

\*Applicants must complete

- Baldwin M/H
- Highlands MS
- Jean Ribault MS
- Alfred I. duPont MS
- Jean Ribault MS
- Southside MS

# HIGH

Must apply to continue here



- Darnell-Cookman M/H\*
- Paxon SAS\*
- Samuel W. Wolfson\*
- Stanton\*

\*Successful completion of Algebra 1 by the end of Grade 8 is required.

- Asa P. Randolph
- Andrew Jackson
- Darnell-Cookman\*\* • Edward H. White\*
- Frank H. Peterson
- Jean Ribault\*
- Paxon SAS\*\*
- Riverside
- Samuel W. Wolfson\*\*
- Stanton\*\*

\*Applicants must complete "Opt In" form.

\*Successful completion of Algebra 1 by the end of Grade 8 is required.

- Asa P. Randolph
- Baldwin M/H
- Edward H. White\*
- Frank H. Peterson
- \*Applicants must complete

"Opt In" form.

- Darnell-Cookman M/H\*
- Paxson SAS\*
- Samuel W. Wolfson\*
- Stanton\*

\*Successful completion of Algebra 1 by the end of Grade 8 is required.

# Magnet Theme Stream

MONTESSORI /
SPANISH MONTESSORI

SCIENCE STUDIES

**STEM / STEAM** 

VISUAL & PERFORMING ARTS

# ELEMENTARY

Start here



- J. Allen Axson\*1
- John E. Ford K-8\*
- \* Students not accepted after KG without prior Montessori experience. Experience must be a full year from the preceding school year.
- <sup>1</sup> Students receive program continuity to John E. Ford for 6th grade. Students must apply.
- Dinsmore
- Mayport ES
- San Pablo
- Venetia

- Andrew Robinson
- John Stockton
- Lone Star
- Loretto
   Pinedale
- - -
- Rufus E. Payne
- Rutledge Pearson
- Sallye B. Mathis

- Fishweir
- Pine Forest
- Rutledge Pearson

#### **MIDDLE**

Must apply to continue here



- John E. Ford K-8\*
- \* Axson students apply to Grade 6. Current Ford students will continue to Grade 6.
- \* Students not accepted after KG without prior Montessori experience. Experience must be a full year from the preceding school year.
- Darnell-Cookman M/H<sup>1</sup>
- Mayport MS\*<sup>2</sup>
- Springfield<sup>3</sup>

<sup>1</sup>Darnell-Cookman students also have program continuity to Paxon, Stanton, and Wolfson when applying to 9th grade.

<sup>2</sup>Continuity to Darnell-Cookman

<sup>3</sup>Continuity to Darnell-Cookman, Jackson, Paxon, Raines, Randolph, Riverside, Stanton, Wolfson based on enrolled program of study.

\*Mayport MS is served by a limited transportation zone.

- Springfield\*\*1
- YM/YWLA at Butler\*2

\*Applicants must complete "Opt In" form.

\*\*Level 4 or 5 on 4th grade state assessment required for admission to Acceleration Program.

<sup>1</sup>Continuity to Darnell-Cookman, Jackson, Paxon, Raines, Randolph, Riverside, Stanton, and Wolfson based on enrolled program of study.

<sup>2</sup>Continuity to Darnell-Cookman, Jackson, Paxon, Peterson, Randolph, Ribault, Raines, Stanton, Wolfson, Riverside and Ed White.

#### • Fort Caroline

• LaVilla SoTA

Rising 6th graders may audition for advanced placement in arts area. Rising 7th and 8th graders are only admitted via audition with a high performance.

ALL applicants MUST submit an online magnet application, including those students who audition.

# HIGH

Must apply to continue here



- Darnell-Cookman\*
- Paxon\*
- Samuel W. Wolfson\*
- Stanton\*
- \* Successful completion of Algebra 1 by the end of Grade 8 is required
- Andrew Jackson
- Asa P. Randolph
- Darnell-Cookman\*1,2
- Paxon\*1,2
- Riverside\*
- Samuel W. Wolfson\*1,2
- Stanton\*1,2
- William M. Raines
- \* Successful completion of Algebra 1 by the end of Grade 8 is required.

<sup>1</sup>Only for students coming from Darnell-Cookman

<sup>2</sup>Students coming from Springfield must have been enrolled in the Accelerated or Gifted Program.

- Asa P. Randolph
- Andrew Jackson
- Darnell-Cookman\*\*1
- Edward H. White\*2
- Frank H. Peterson<sup>2</sup>
- Jean Ribault<sup>2</sup>
- Paxon\*\*1
- Riverside\*\*
- Samuel W. Wolfson\*\*1
- Stanton\*\*1
- William M. Raines

\*Applicant must complete "Opt In" form.

\*\* Successful completion of Algebra 1 by the end of Grade 8 is required.

<sup>1</sup>Students coming from Springfield Middle School must have been enrolled in the Accelerated or Gifted Program.

<sup>2</sup>Only for students coming from YMLA/YWLA at Butler.

- Douglas Anderson\*
- William M. Raines

\*ALL applicants **MUST** audition for acceptance to high school program. Magnet application is not required for Douglas Anderson.

## STEP TWO: LEARN THE DETAILS.

Before applying to a school, review this section for important information.

#### **GIFTED ELIGIBILITY**

Students currently enrolled in Duval County Public Schools who want to apply to a magnet school as a gifted student must be identified in Focus with an active gifted status or meet all criteria for gifted eligibility prior to **March 21, 2023.** All other students are considered academically talented. Gifted eligibility may be reviewed by the Exceptional Education and Student Services Department for students newly enrolling in the district (See FL Statute 6A-6.0334).

#### **IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER**

#### **ONLINE APPLICATIONS ARE AVAILABLE**

#### Sunday, January 1 - Tuesday, February 28, 2023

Applications are available by logging into the parent/guardian account, in Focus in the Forms section. Applying may be a multi-step process. It often takes up to three business days for accounts to be activated and linked. Please plan accordingly.

#### **SCHOOL SHOWCASE SATURDAY**

#### Saturday, January 7, 2023, 9 a.m. - 2 p.m.

School Showcase Saturday is a new opportunity for parents/guardians to engage with school representatives though a school visit. A schedule of tours will be available at <a href="https://www.duvalschools.org">www.duvalschools.org</a>.

## **PARENT INFORMATION (VIRTUAL) SESSIONS**

Join School Choice Staff for an overview of the enrollment and lottery process with a Q&A sessions to follow. All sessions are scheduled for 6 - 7 p.m.

Thursday, January 19, 2023
Thursday, February 2, 2023 (Spanish)
Thursday, February 16, 2023
Thursday, February 23, 2023
www.duvalschools.org/schoolchoice

#### ONLINE APPLICATION DEADLINE

#### Tuesday, February 28, 2023

Applications must be submitted before midnight on **Tuesday, February 28th.** Applying is a multi-step process. It often takes up to 3 business days for accounts to be activated and linked. Please plan accordingly. Online access with close at 11:59 p. m. on **Tuesday, February 28th.** 

#### **FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL**

Monday, August 14, 2023





Learn how Duval County Public Schools is training our future workforce in Career and Technical Education programs at www.duvalschools.org/cte.

**Programs:** Agriculture, Food & Natural Resources | Architecture and Construction | Arts, A/V Technology and Communications | Business Management, Finance and Marketing | Education and Training | Engineering and Technology | Health Sciences | Hospitality and Tourism | Information Technology | Law, Public Safety and Security | Manufacturing | Transportation, Distribution and Logistics | And many more

EVERY STUDENT. EVERY DAY.



#### PRIORITIES FOR MAGNET SCHOOLS

At most magnet and special transfer option schools there are not enough seats to accommodate every student applying. For this reason, each selection made on the application is assigned a certain "priority" ranking, which is considered in the lottery. Those priorities for both magnet and special transfer options schools are described in this section.

## **ENTERING GRADES K, 1, 2, 3, 4 & 5**

All magnet applications for elementary schools are processed through the lottery. Seats are allocated according to choice and priority. This means that all first choices are considered first, according to the priorities, followed by all second choices until seats are filled.

- **Priority 1 Neighborhood Preference** for students who live in the current attendance area of a non-dedicated magnet school.
- **Priority 2 Former Attendance Area Preference** for students who live in the former attendance area of a dedicated magnet.
- **Priority 3 Military Dependent Transition Preference** for a transitioning student who has a parent on active duty. (Students meet eligibility requirements when applicable, follow application procedures, reside in Duval County and in the household of the military-affiliated parent, and submit active-duty orders and emergency data record.) Please refer to School Board Policy 5.23 for complete details.
- **Priority 4 Sibling Preference** for a student who has a sibling residing at the same address who attends a magnet program at the same school and is eligible to return the next school year. Siblings applying for the first time are not eligible to receive sibling preference. Siblings are defined as brother, sister, stepbrother, stepsister, half brother or half sister living at the same address.
- **Priority 5 Socio-Economic Preference** for elementary students whose neighborhood school is a Title I School and who apply to attend a magnet program in a non-Title I School or whose neighborhood school is a non-Title I School and who apply to attend a magnet program in a Title I School.
- **Priority 6 Principal's Signature Preference** for students whose parent/guardian attends a tour or open house at the magnet school they are applying for and have the principal's signature indicating attendance. Schools will enter tour/open house attendance electronically at the end of the application period.
- **Priority 7 No Principal's Signature Preference** for students who submit an application but have no signature indicating attendance at a tour or open house.
- **Priority 8 Not Eligible for the Program** (e.g., Montessori 1st grade and higher without an immediate full prior year of Montessori experience; Dual Language 2nd grade and higher without passing grade on language proficiency test; applying for a Gifted program and the student has not been staffed Gifted, etc.).

#### **ENTERING GRADE 6**

# Current 5th-grade magnet students must reapply!

All magnet applications for middle school are processed through the lottery, including those who have program continuity. Seats are allocated according to choice and priority. This means that all first choices are considered first, according to the priorities, followed by all second choices until seats are filled.

- **Priority 1 Neighborhood Preference** for students who live in the current attendance area of a non-dedicated magnet school.
- **Priority 2 Former Attendance Area Preference** for students who live in the former attendance area of a dedicated magnet.
- **Priority 3 Military Dependent Transition Preference** for a transitioning student who has a parent on active duty. (Students meet eligibility requirements when applicable, follow application procedures, reside in Duval County and in the household of the military-affiliated parent, and submit active-duty orders and emergency data record.) Please refer to School Board Policy 5.23 for complete details.
- **Priority 4 Program Continuity with Sibling Preference** for magnet students who are in a program that continues at the next school level and who also have a sibling attending the school who is eligible to return the next school year. Siblings are defined as brother, sister, stepbrother, stepsister, half brother or half sister living at the same address.
- **Priority 5 Program Continuity Preference** for magnet students who are attending a program that continues at the next school level.
- **Priority 6 Sibling Preference** for a student who has a sibling residing at the same address who attends a magnet program at the same school and is eligible to return next year. Siblings applying for the first time are not eligible to receive sibling preference. Siblings are defined as brother, sister, stepbrother, stepsister, half brother or half sister living at the same address.
- **Priority 7 Tiered Continuity Preference** for magnet students who want to switch themes when entering middle school.
- **Priority 8 Principal's Signature Preference** for students whose parent/guardian attends a tour or open house at the magnet school they are applying for and have the principal's signature indicating attendance. Schools will enter tour/open house attendance electronically at the end of the application period.
- **Priority 9 No Principal's Signature Preference** for students who submit an application but have no signature indicating attendance at a tour or open house.



#### **ENTERING GRADE 6 AT LAVILLA OR FORT CAROLINE MS**

# Current 5th-grade magnet students must reapply!

All magnet applications for LaVilla and Fort Caroline are processed through the lottery. These schools also offer audition for a priority. Please check the school's website for more information about auditions. Seats are allocated according to choice and priority. This means that all first choices are considered first, according to the priorities specified below, which are different from other magnet schools, followed by all second choices until seats are filled.

**Priority 2 - Former Attendance Area Preference** for students who live in the former attendance area of Fort Caroline MS. This preference is only used if applying to Fort Caroline MS.

**Priority 3 - Military Dependent Transition Preference** for a transitioning student who has a parent on active duty. (Students meet eligibility requirements when applicable, follow application procedures, reside in Duval County and in the household of the military-affiliated parent, and submit active-duty orders and emergency data record.) Please refer to School Board Policy 5.23 for complete details.

**Priority 4 - Program Continuity Preference** for magnet students who are in a program that continues at the next school level. This would include students who are magnetized at Fishweir ES, Martin Luther King Jr. ES and Pine Forest ES.

**Priority 5 - Neighborhood Student Audition Preference** for non-magnet neighborhood students who are attending an elementary arts magnet school (Fishweir ES & Martin Luther King, Jr. ES) and wish to continue to LaVilla or Fort Caroline MS. Students **MUST** pass the audition to receive this preference.

**Priority 6 - Sibling Preference** for a student who has a sibling residing at the same address who attends a magnet program at the same school and is eligible to return to the next school year. Siblings applying for the first time are not eligible to receive sibling preference. Siblings are defined as brother, sister, stepbrother, stepsister, half brother or half sister living at the same address.

#### -OR-

**Priority 6 - High Audition Preference** for students seeking advanced placement in 6th grade at LaVilla or Fort Caroline MS. Students who audition must still submit an online application.

**Priority 7 - Low Audition Preference** for students seeking advanced placement in 6th grade at LaVilla or Fort Caroline. Students who audition must still submit an online application.

**Priority 8 - Principal's Signature Preference** for students whose parent/guardian attends a tour or open house at the magnet school they are applying for and have the principal's signature indicating attendance. Schools will enter tour/open house attendance electronically at the end of the application period.

**Priority 9 - No Principal's Signature Preference** for students who submit an application but have no signature indicating attendance at a tour or open house.

## **ENTERING GRADES 7 AND 8**

All magnet applications for middle school are processed through the lottery. Seats are allocated according to choice and priority. This means that all first choices are considered first, according to the priorities, followed by all second choices until seats are filled.

**Priority 1 - Neighborhood Preference** for students who live in the current attendance area of a non-dedicated magnet school.

**Priority 2 - Former Attendance Area Preference** for students who live in the former attendance area of a dedicated magnet.

**Priority 3 - Military Dependent Transition Preference** for a transitioning student who has a parent on active duty. (Students meet eligibility requirements when applicable, follow application procedures, reside in Duval County and in the household of the military-affiliated parent, and submit active-duty orders and emergency data record.) Please refer to School Board Policy 5.23 for complete details.

#### Priority 4 & 5 - Not applicable in grades 7 and 8

**Priority 6 - Sibling Preference** for a student who has a sibling residing at the same address who attends a magnet program at the same school and is eligible to return next school year. Siblings are defined as brother, sister, stepbrother, stepsister, half brother or half sister living at the same address.

**Priority 7 - Principal's Signature Preference** for students whose parent/guardian attends a tour or open house at the magnet school they are applying for and have the principal's signature indicating attendance. Schools will enter tour/open house attendance at the end of the application period.

**Priority 8 - No Principal's Signature Preference** for students who submit an application but have no signature indicating attendance at a tour or open house.

#### **Priority 9 - Not Eligible for the Program**

#### **ENTERING GRADES 7 AND 8 AT LAVILLA OR FORT CAROLINE MS**

Admission to 7th or 8th grade is limited to passing the audition with a high preference.

All magnet applications for LaVilla and Fort Caroline are processed through the lottery, including those who successfully audition. Seats are allocated according to choice and priority. This means that all first choices are considered first, according to the priorities specified below, followed by all second choices until seats are filled.

**Priority 6 - High Audition Preference** for students seeking advanced placement in 7th or 8th grade at LaVilla or Fort Caroline MS. Students who audition must still submit an online application.

**Priority 7 - Low Audition Preference** for students seeking advanced placement in 7th or 8th grade at LaVilla or Fort Caroline MS. Students who audition must still submit an online application.

#### **ENTERING GRADE 9**

# Current 8th-grade magnet students must reapply!

All magnet applications for high school are processed through the lottery, including those who have program continuity. Seats are allocated according to choice and priority. This means that all first choices are considered first, according to the priorities, followed by all second choices until seats are filled.

- **Priority 1 Neighborhood Preference** for students who live in the current attendance area of a non-dedicated magnet school.
- **Priority 2 Former Attendance Area Preference** for students who live in the former attendance area of a dedicated magnet.
- **Priority 3 Military Dependent Transition Preference** for a transitioning student who has a parent on active duty. (Students meet eligibility requirements when applicable, follow application procedures, reside in Duval County and in the household of the military-affiliated parent, and submit active-duty orders and emergency data record.) Please refer to School Board Policy 5.23 for complete details.
- **Priority 4 Program Continuity with Sibling Preference** for magnet students who are in a program that continues at the next school level and who also have a sibling attending the school who is eligible to return the next school year. Siblings are defined as brother, sister, stepbrother, stepsister, half brother or half sister living at the same address.
- **Priority 5 Program Continuity Preference** for magnet students who are in a program that continues at the next school level. Students eligible for program continuity to Paxon or Stanton must make these two schools their first and second choice in order to be assured continuity to one of the two schools. If you choose to make only one choice, continuity cannot be assured. Students who are eligible for program continuity to Paxon or Stanton but who want to select the 9th-grade program at Darnell-Cookman or Samuel Wolfson should make Darnell-Cookman or Samuel Wolfson their first choice with the understanding that assured continuity to Paxon or Stanton is forfeited.
- **Priority 6 Sibling Preference** for a student who has a sibling residing at the same address who attends a magnet program at the same school and is eligible to return next school year. Siblings applying for the first time are not eligible to receive sibling preference. Siblings are defined as brother, sister, stepbrother, stepsister, half brother or half sister living at the same address.
- **Priority 7 Principal's Signature Preference** for students whose parent/guardian attends a tour or open house at the magnet school they are applying for and have the principal's signature indicating attendance. Schools will enter tour/open house attendance electronically at the end of the application period.
- **Priority 8 No Principal's Signature Preference** for students who submit an application but have no signature indicating attendance at a tour or open house.
- **Priority 9 Not Eligible for the Program** (example: applying for a Gifted program and the student has not been staffed Gifted).

# **ENTERING GRADES 10, 11 AND 12**

All magnet applications for high school are processed through the lottery. Seats are allocated according to choice and priority. This means that all first choices are considered first, according to the priorities, followed by all second choices until the seats are filled.

**Priority 1 - Neighborhood Preference** for students who live in the current attendance area of a non-dedicated magnet school.

**Priority 2 - Former Attendance Area Preference** for students who live in the former attendance area of a dedicated magnet.

**Priority 3 - Military Dependent Transition Preference** for a transitioning student who has a parent on active duty. (Students meet eligibility requirements when applicable, follow application procedures, reside in Duval County and in the household of the military-affiliated parent, and submit active-duty orders and emergency data record.) Please refer to School Board Policy 5.23 for complete details.

#### Priority 4 & 5 - Not applicable in grades 10, 11 and 12

**Priority 6 - Sibling Preference** for a student who has a sibling residing at the same address who attends a magnet program at the same school and is eligible to return next school year. Siblings applying for the first time are not eligible to receive sibling preference. Siblings are defined as brother, sister, stepbrother, stepsister, half brother, half sister living at the same address.

**Priority 7 - Principal's Signature Preference** for students whose parent/guardian attends a tour or open house at the magnet school they are applying for and have the principal's signature indicating attendance. Schools will enter tour/open house attendance electronically at the end of the application period.

**Priority 8 - No Principal's Signature Preference** for students who submit an application but have no signature indicating attendance at a tour or open house.

Priority 9 - Not Eligible for the Program (example: does not have appropriate coursework or transcript).



#### PRIORITIES FOR SPECIAL TRANSFER OPTION SCHOOLS

#### **ENTERING GRADES K-12**

# Current 5th- and 8th-grade special transfer option students must reapply!

All Special Transfer Option applications are processed through the lottery. Seats are allocated according to availability and priority. Applications are processed based on priority until all open seats are filled.

**Priority 1 -** Does not apply to Special Transfer Option applications.

**Priority 2 - Employee's Child Preference** for students whose parent is employed in an eligible position at a Duval County Public school where the student is eligible to attend or attend the next closes appropriate DCPS school. Closest appropriate DCPS school **does not include** dedicated magnet schools.

**Priority 3 - Military Dependent Transition Preference** for a transitioning student who has a parent on active duty. (Students meet eligibility requirements when applicable, follow application procedures, reside in Duval County and in the household of the military-affiliated parent, and submit active-duty orders and emergency data record.) Please refer to School Board Policy 5.23 for complete details.

**Priority 4 - Sibling Preference** for a student who has a sibling residing at the same address who attends the same school and is eligible to return next school year. Siblings applying for the first time are not eligible to receive sibling preference. Siblings are defined as brother, sister, stepbrother, stepsister, half brother or half sister living at the same address.

**Priority 5 - General Priority** for students whose parent submits an application without any of the above priorities.



#### **ACADEMIC PERFORMANCE STANDARDS**

# DEDICATED MAGNET Middle & High Schools

- Darnell-Cookman
- Fort Caroline
- James Weldon Johnson
- Joseph Stilwell

#### MIDDLE SCHOOL

Acceptance into most middle school magnet programs is not based on academic performance or other competitive criteria. However, eight magnet middle schools do have academic performance standards that must be met for students to remain the following school year.

- Julia Landon
- LaVilla
- Springfield
- Young Men's and Young Women's Leadership Academy

#### These standards are:

Grades 6 to 7: Pass all courses

**Grades 7 to 8:** Maintain an overall unweighted 2.0 grade point average and pass all courses. In addition, students at Fort Caroline and LaVilla must earn a "C" or higher in each arts area.

#### **HIGH SCHOOL**

Acceptance into most high school magnet programs is not based on academic performance or other competitive criteria, except for Darnell-Cookman, Paxon School for Advanced Studies, Riverside (Engineering), Samuel Wolfson, and Stanton. However, eight magnet high schools do have academic performance standards that must be met for students to remain the following school year.

- Andrew Jackson
- Asa Philip Randolph
- Darnell-Cookman
- Douglas Anderson School of the Arts

- Frank H. Peterson
- Paxon School for Advanced Studies
- Samuel Wolfson
- Stanton

#### These standards are:

Grades 9 to 10: Maintain an overall 2.0 grade point average, and pass all courses

**Grades 10 to 11**: Maintain an overall unweighted 2.0 grade point average, and pass all courses **Grades 11 to 12**: Maintain an overall unweighted 2.0 grade point average, and pass all courses

### **ADMISSION PROCEDURES**

DEDICATED MAGNET
Art Middle & High
Schools

**Fort Caroline Middle School and LaVilla School of the Arts:** Students may receive a priority for admission if they audition. Contact the schools for audition dates. All students who audition MUST also submit an online magnet application by the **February 28th** deadline to be considered for admission. All applicants for Fort Caroline MS and LaVilla MS, including successful auditions, are processed through the lottery.

**Douglas Anderson School of the Arts:** Consideration for admission is obtained only through an audition. The Office of School Choice does not manage the application process for this school. Contact the school for audition information. Students who successfully audition and accept placement forfeit all other magnet or choice assignments.

#### **ADMISSION PROCEDURES**

# HIGH SCHOOL ACCELERATION

A few magnet, choice, and special transfer option programs have admission procedures that differ from the normal process. Eighth-grade students meeting minimum eligibility requirements may apply for AICE, AP Capstone, Early College, and IB. The applicant's parent/guardian may complete an application through Focus in the parent/guardian account **December 5, 2022 - January 19, 2023.** 

Information on eligibility requirements may be found at <a href="https://www.duvalschools.org/acceleration">www.duvalschools.org/acceleration</a>.

The primary entry point for High School Acceleration Programs is 9th grade. Admission at 10th grade will be limited to school and program capacity. Applicants will be reviewed based on the student's transcript, schedule, and the course progression for the program they are applying.

### **Schools Offering Acceleration Programs**

- Advanced International Certificate of Education (AICE): Fletcher, Mandarin, and Raines
- Advanced Placement (AP) Capstone: Atlantic Coast and Baldwin
- International Baccalaureate (IB) Diploma Programme: Terry Parker, Paxon, Stanton, and Wolfson
- Early College: Associate of Arts: Baldwin, Edward H. White, First Coast (Education Academy), Jean Ribault, Riverside, Sandalwood, Terry Parker, Westside (Education Academy), and Raines
- Early College: Associate of Science: Andrew Jackson (Information Technology) and Englewood (Advanced Manufacturing)

Deadline to apply is **January 19, 2023** For more information, go to <u>www.duvalschools.org/acceleration</u>.



#### **ONLINE APPLICATION AND LOTTERY**

VPK APPLICATION **2023-2024** 

Duval County Public Schools VPK program takes applications for new students using a lottery system. To be eligible for consideration an online application must be completed between **January 1 - February 28** for the next school year. Parents can select up to three VPK programs, in order of preference, that the student is eligible to attend. Students must be 4 years old on or before **September 1st.** 

## A child is eligible to attend:

- **Title I-** A student whose home school is Title I can only attend a Title I VPK program.
- Non-Title I- A student whose home school is Non-Title I can only attend a Non-Title I VPK program.

Please note school bus transportation is not provided. For more information about VPK enrollment, contact (904) 630-6790, <a href="mailto:decompage: decomposition-schools.org">decomposition-schools.org</a>, or visit <a href="mailto:www.duvalschools.org/earlychildhood">www.duvalschools.org/earlychildhood</a>

The Parent/Guardian will need to create a student ID, set up a Parent/Guardian Account and link the two to access the VPK application. For more information and instructions go to <a href="www.duvalschools.org/parentaccount">www.duvalschools.org/parentaccount</a>. During the creation of your Parent/Guardian Account, you will be given the opportunity to connect your child to your account. If you have more than one child, then you can add all of them during this process. You will receive directions in an email on how to complete the connection of your child(ren) to your account. This next step will require the parent/guardian to have a valid driver's license or valid state-issued identification to complete the request.

Once you have registered for a Parent/Guardian Account and linked your children to the account, you will have access to the VPK. To access the application:

- Log into your account
- Click on Links
- Click on Focus
- Select Your Child's Name
- Click on the VPK Application

Please do not use the new student process for a student who already has a DCPS student ID. Remember, students in the following scenarios will already have a DCPS student ID:

- Students who have been enrolled in a DCPS school during any prior school year, even if they are not currently attending a DCPS school
- Students who have received special services via DCPS at some previous time (including Child Find, Teen Parent Services, Speech, Hearing, Language, Vision or other special services.)

If you do not know your student's ID, email <u>school\_choice@duvalschools.org</u>. Include the child's name, date of birth and a copy of the parent/quardian's valid driver's license for next steps.

#### **Early Learning Department Location**

John Love Early Learning Center 1531 Winthrop Street Jacksonville, FL 32206 (904) 630-6790

To see a list of elementary schools that offer VPK programs, go to www.duvalschools.org/earlychildhood.

#### **ONLINE APPLICATION AND LOTTERY**



#### 1. Register your child

Students in the following scenarios are already registered with DCPS and have a student ID number.

- Students who have been enrolled in a DCPS school during any prior school year, even if they are not currently attending a DCPS school
- Students who have previously applied to or been enrolled in a DCPS VPK program
- Students who have previously enrolled in preparation for the lottery
- Students who have received special services at some previous time (including charter school, home school, Family Empowerment Scholarship, Child Find, Teen Parent Services, Speech, Language, Hearing, Vision or other special services)

If you do not know your student's ID, email <u>school\_choice@duvalschools.org</u>. Include the child's name, date of birth and a copy of the parent/guardian's valid driver's license for next steps.

#### 2. To get a Student ID and a Parent Account go to www.duvalschools.org/parentaccount

**3. Link Accounts.** This approval process may take up to three business days and and can be completed at <a href="www.duvalschools.org/parentaccount">www.duvalschools.org/parentaccount</a>. If you do not know your student's ID, email <a href="school\_choice@duvalschools.org">school\_choice@duvalschools.org</a>. Include your child's first and last name, date of birth and a copy of your driver's license or government ID. We will provide you with your student's ID in 24 to 48 hours.

Once the link to your student is approved, you will have access to the magnet and special transfer option applications. **The application deadline is Tuesday, February 28th.** 

For families who have a student currently in a DCPS VPK Program, this assignment is for **one year only**. To enroll in kindergarten and have opportunity to remain at your current school, please complete the appropriate application. (This does not apply to students enrolled in PreK3 or PreK4 at J. Allen Axson or John E. Ford)



This section lists all DCPS schools in three categories: elementary, middle, and high schools. Each school listing includes address and phone numbers, website address, programs, and transportation information.

#### Things to consider when selecting a school:

- What is the program offered at the school?
- Is transportation offered for your school?
- What is the bus or car commute time to the school?

#### **Reminders**

- Transportation is provided to the zoned attendance area school if the student lives more than 1½ miles from the school. Find the zoned attendance area school by using <a href="https://www.duvalschools.org/finder">www.duvalschools.org/finder</a>.
- Transportation is provided to any elementary student living within the same zone that their magnet school is located. In addition, some elementary magnet schools provide transportation to students living outside their zones.
- Transportation to special transfer option schools is the responsibility of the parent/guardian.

# **ELEMENTARY TRANSPORTATION**

Elementary schools are divided into seven transportation zones. Transportation is provided to any elementary student living in the same zone that their magnet school is located. In addition, some elementary magnet schools provide transportation to students living outside their zones. You will see these schools listed with the elementary zone maps. The distance to a bus stop can be up to 1 mile from the residence, or up to 1½ miles if the neighborhood school is used as a bus stop. Some elementary magnet students will transfer at a hub site (another school) and ride another bus to their magnet school. The afternoon services may be the reverse.

# Zone 1: Mandarin/Southside

Also served by:

- Richard L. Brown\*
- Andrew Robinson\*



**Bartram Springs** 

Beauclerc\*

Crown Point\*

Englewood\*

Greenfield\*

**Greenland Pines** 

Hendricks Avenue

Hogan-Spring Glen\*

John E. Ford, K-8\*

Kings Trail\*

Loretto

Mandarin Oaks

**Pine Forest** 

R.V. Daniels\*

San Jose\*

S.P. Livingston\*, K-2

Spring Park\*

Susie Tolbert, 3-5\*

Twin Lakes

# **Zone 2: Arlington** Also served by:

- R.V. Daniels\*
- San Jose\*



Abess Park\* Arlington\*

Arlington Heights\*

**Andrew Robinson\*** 

Brookview\*

Don Brewer, 3-5\*

Fort Caroline\*

GRASP, 1-8\*

Holiday Hill

Kernan Trail

Lake Lucina\*

Lone Star\*

Long Branch\*

Love Grove\*

Merrill Road, K-2\*

Parkwood Heights\*

Richard L. Brown\*

Sabal Palm

Southside Estates\*

Waterleaf

Windy Hill\*

Woodland Acres\*

Magnet schools are listed in bold type. Schools marked with an asterisk (\*) are \* Title I school.

# [17] Oceanway (<u>1</u>) 295 Biscayne Garden City

Zone 3: Northside

Also served by:

- Andrew Robinson\*
- J. Allen Axson
- John E. Ford, K-8\*
- Richard L. Brown\*
- R.V. Daniels\*

Biscayne\* Dinsmore\* Garden City\* Highlands\* Louis Sheffield New Berlin North Shore\*

Oceanway\* Pine Estates\* Rutledge Pearson\* S.A. Hull\* San Mateo



Zone 4: Westside (295/I-10)

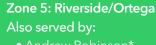
Also served by:

- Andrew Robinson\*
- John E. Ford, K-8\*
- Richard L. Brown\*
- R.V. Daniels\*
- Rutledge Pearson\*

Chaffee Trail\* **Crystal Springs\*** George W. Carver\* Northwestern Legends\* Pickett\* Ramona Boulevard\* Reynolds Lane\*

Rufus E. Payne\* Sallye B. Mathis\* Thomas Jefferson\*

Whitehouse\*



- Andrew Robinson\*
- Richard L. Brown\*
- R.V. Daniels\*
- Thomas Jefferson\*



Annie R. Morgan\* Bayview\* Biltmore\* Cedar Hills\* Central Riverside\* Chimney Lakes\* Enterprise Learning\* Fishweir

Gregory Drive\* Hidden Oaks\* Hyde Grove, K-2\* Hyde Park, 3-5\* Jacksonville Heights\* John Stockton

Normandy Village\*

Venetia\* West Riverside Westview, K-8\*

Pinedale\*

Sadie Tillis\*

Timucuan\*

Ruth N. Upson\*

Ortega\*

Magnet schools are listed in bold type. Schools marked with an asterisk (\*) are \* Title I school.



Zone 6 Baldwin (I-10/301)

Also served by:

- Andrew Robinson\*
- John E. Ford, K-8\*
- Sallye B. Mathis\*
- Richard L. Brown\*
- R.V. Daniels\*
- Rutledge Pearson\*

Mamie A. Jones\*

# Andrew Robinson\* Mayport Atlantic Beach Neptune Beach 10) Jacksonville Beach

#### Zone 7: Beaches/Intracoastal

Also served by:

- John E. Ford\* Pine Forest
- Richard L. Brown\*
- R.V. Daniels\*

Alimacani Anchor Academy Atlantic Beach Chets Creek J. Allen Axson Jacksonville Beach Mayport

Neptune Beach San Pablo Seabreeze

Magnet schools are listed in bold type. Schools marked with an asterisk (\*) are \* Title I school.

Consider the length of the commute when applying to a school. While students will have the advantage of attending a specialized school, a long commute could be a disadvantage.

Bus stops and times are subject to change for the 2023-2024 school year. All families must register for a bus in their parent account. To be eligible for transportation, students must apply to a magnet school by the February 28, 2023, application deadline.

Once accepted, families should follow the directions in their acceptance letter to register for a bus stop through Focus in your parent/guardian account. Registration will open after June 9, 2023. Stops will be added according to state and district guidelines. Parents/guardians will be able to log into their Focus account two weeks before school opens to find their bus stop information.

For more information regarding transportation, contact the Transportation Department at (904) 858-6200 or go to www.duvalschools.org/dcpstransportation.

# **ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS, MAGNET AND SPECIAL TRANSFER OPTION**

# Abess Park #263 (Special Transfer Option)

12731 Abess Boulevard, Jacksonville, FL 32225

**(904) 220-1260** 

www.duvalschools.org/abesspark

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Transportation Zone 2

Geographic feeder to Landmark MS and Duncan Fletcher MS based on residential address

Theme: Academy of Science and Music

# Alimacani #257 (Special Transfer Option)

2051 San Pablo Road South, Jacksonville, FL 32224

**(904) 221-7101** 

www.duvalschools.org/alimacani

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Transportation Zone 7

Geographic feeder to Duncan Fletcher MS and Kernan MS based on residential address

Theme: Leadership

# **Anchor Academy #247 (Special Transfer Option)**

555 Wonderwood Drive, Atlantic Beach, FL 32233

**(904) 247-5996** 

www.duvalschools.org/anchoracademy

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Transportation Zone 7

Geographic feeder to Mayport MS

Theme: Leadership and Character Development

## **Andrew Robinson #262 (Whole-School Magnet)**

101 West 12th Street, Jacksonville, FL 32206

**(904) 630-6550** 

www.duvalschools.org/are

Magnet transportation provided districtwide

Transportation Zone 2

#### **Available Program**

Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM)

Program continuity for magnet students to Springfield MS and Young Men's and Young Women's Leadership Academy

Geographic feeder to Matthew Gilbert MS

# **Annie R. Morgan #21 (Special Transfer Option)**

964 Saint Clair Street, Jacksonville, FL 32254

**(904) 381-3970** 

www.duvalschools.org/arm

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Transportation Zone 5

Geographic feeder to Lake Shore MS

Theme: Leadership

# Arlington Elementary #46 (Special Transfer Option)

1201 University Boulevard North, Jacksonville, FL 32211

**(904) 745-4900** 

www.duvalschools.org/arlingtonelementary

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Transportation Zone 2

Geographic feeder to Arlington MS and Landmark MS based on residential address

Theme: STEM

# **Arlington Heights #240 (Special Transfer Option)**

1520 Sprinkle Drive, Jacksonville, FL 32211

**(904)** 745-4923

www.duvalschools.org/ahe

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Transportation Zone 2

Geographic feeder to Arlington MS and Landmark MS based on residential address

Theme: Leadership

# **Atlantic Beach #65 (Special Transfer Option)**

298 Sherry Drive, Atlantic Beach, FL 32233

**(904) 247-5924** 

www.duvalschools.org/abe

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Transportation Zone 7

Geographic feeder to Mayport MS

Theme: Leadership

## **Bartram Springs #161 (Special Transfer Option)**

14799 Bartram Springs Parkway, Jacksonville, FL 32258

**(904) 260-5860** 

www.duvalschools.org/bartramsprings

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Transportation Zone 1

Geographic feeder to Twin Lakes MS

Theme: Acceleration

# **Bayview #84 (Special Transfer Option)**

3257 Lake Shore Boulevard, Jacksonville, FL 32210

**(904) 381-3920** 

www.duvalschools.org/bayview

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Transportation Zone 5

Geographic feeder to Lake Shore MS

Theme: Leadership

#### **ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS MAGNET AND SPECIAL TRANSFER OPTION**

## **Beauclerc #230 (School-Within-A-School Magnet)**

4555 Craven Road West, Jacksonville, FL 32257

**(904)** 739-5226

www.duvalschools.org/beauclerc

Magnet transportation provided in Zone 1

Transportation Zone 1

**Available Program** 

Program continuity for magnet students to Alfred I. duPont MS, Jean Ribault MS and Southside MS

Geographic feeder to Southside MS, Alfred I. duPont MS, and Twin Lakes MS based on residential address

**NOTE:** Students are accepted into the magnet program after 1st grade without a passing score on the language proficiency test. Students apply at the school.

# **Biltmore #78 (Special Transfer Option)**

2101 West Palm Avenue, Jacksonville, FL 32254

**(904) 693-7569** 

www.duvalschools.org/biltmore

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Transportation Zone 5

Geographic feeder to Jean Ribault MS and Lake Shore MS based on residential address

Theme: Leadership

# **Biscayne #269 (Special Transfer Option)**

12230 Biscayne Boulevard, Jacksonville, FL 32218

**(904) 714-4650** 

www.duvalschools.org/biscayne

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Transportation Zone 3

Geographic feeder to Highlands MS

Theme: Leadership

# **Brookview #206 (Special Transfer Option)**

10450 Theresa Drive, Jacksonville, FL 32246

**(904)** 565-2720

www.duvalschools.org/brookview

Responsibility of parent/quardian

Transportation Zone 2

Geographic feeder to Kernan MS and Landmark MS based on residential address

Theme: Leadership

# **Cedar Hills #97 (Special Transfer Option)**

6534 Ish Brant Road, Jacksonville, FL 32210

**(904)** 573-1050

www.duvalschools.org/cedarhills

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Theme: Acceleration

Geographic feeder to Westside MS and Charger Academy MS based on residential address

Transportation Zone 5

# **Central Riverside #18 (Whole-School Magnet)**

2555 Gilmore Street, Jacksonville, FL 32204

**(904)** 381-7495

www.duvalschools.org/centralriverside

Magnet transportation provided in Zone 5

Transportation Zone 5

# **Chaffee Trail #142 (Special Transfer Option)**

11400 Sam Caruso Way, Jacksonville, FL 32221

**(904) 693-7510** 

www.duvalschools.org/chaffeetrail

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Transportation Zone 4

# **Chets Creek #264 (Special Transfer Option)**

13200 Chets Creek Boulevard, Jacksonville, FL 32224

**(904) 992-6390** 

www.duvalschools.org/cce

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Transportation Zone 7

# **Chimney Lakes #232 (Whole-School Magnet)**

9353 Staples Mill Drive, Jacksonville, FL 32244

**(904)** 573-1100

www.duvalschools.org/cle

■ Magnet transportation provided in Zone 5

Transportation Zone 5

# **Crown Point #245 (Special Transfer Option)**

3800 Crown Point Road, Jacksonville, FL 32257

**(904) 260-5808** 

www.duvalschools.org/crownpoint

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Transportation Zone 1

#### **Available Program**

Gifted and Academically Talented

Program continuity for magnet students to Darnell-Cookman M/H, James Weldon Johnson MS, Jean Ribault MS and Julia Landon MS

Geographic feeder to Lake Shore MS based on residential address

Geographic feeder to Charger Academy MS and Baldwin M/H based on residential address

Theme: Communication and Technology

Geographic feeder to Duncan Fletcher MS and Kernan MS based on residential address

Theme: Leadership

#### **Available Program**

✓ International Studies

Program continuity for magnet students to Alfred I. duPont MS, Jean Ribault MS and Southside MS

Geographic feeder to Charger Academy MS

Geographic feeder to Alfred I. duPont MS and Mandarin MS based on residential address

Theme: Leadership

## **ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS MAGNET AND SPECIAL TRANSFER OPTION**

# **Crystal Springs #226 (Whole-School Magnet)**

1200 Hammond Boulevard, Jacksonville, FL 32221

**(904) 693-7645** 

www.duvalschools.org/cse

Magnet transportation provided in Zone 4

Transportation Zone 4

#### **Available Program**

▼ FUNdamental Academy of Business and Entrepreneurship

Program continuity for magnet students to Baldwin M/H, Jean Ribault MS and Highlands MS

Geographic feeder to Charger Academy MS

#### **Dinsmore #45 (Whole-School Magnet)**

7126 Civic Club Drive, Jacksonville, FL 32219

**(904) 924-3126** 

www.duvalschools.org/dinsmore

Magnet transportation provided in Zone 3

Transportation Zone 3

#### **Available Program**

Academic Enrichment Through Science

Program continuity for magnet students to Darnell-Cookman M/H, Mayport MS and Springfield MS

Geographic feeder to Jean Ribault MS and Highlands MS based on residential address

# Don Brewer (3-5) #217 (Special Transfer Option)

3385 Hartsfield Road, Jacksonville, FL 32277

**(904) 745-4990** 

www.duvalschools.org/donbrewer

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Transportation Zone 2

Geographic feeder to Arlington MS and Landmark MS based on residential address

Theme: STEM

#### **Duval Virtual Instruction Academy (K-12)**

2334 Butler Street, Jacksonville, FL 32209

**(904) 390-2037** 

www.duvalschools.org/dvia

#### **Virtual Program**

✓ Home-based online learning

A virtual home-based, online school choice option for students in grades K-12 supported by fully certified, highly qualified, and district-employed teachers. Please refer to the school's webpage to learn more about the application process.

# Englewood Elementary #87 (Special Transfer Option)

4359 Spring Park Road, Jacksonville, FL 32207

**(904) 739-5280** 

www.duvalschools.org/englewood

Responsibility of parent/quardian

Transportation Zone 1

Geographic feeder to Southside MS

Theme: World Cultures

# Enterprise Learning Academy #255 (Special Transfer Option)

8085 Old Middleburg Road South, Jacksonville, FL 32222

**(904)** 573-3260

www.duvalschools.org/enterprise

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Transportation Zone 5

Geographic feeder to Charger Academy MS

Theme: Fine Arts

## Fishweir #20 (Whole-School Magnet)

3977 Herschel Street, Jacksonville, FL 32205

**(904) 381-3910** 

www.duvalschools.org/fishweir

Magnet transportation provided in Zone 5

Transportation Zone 5

# **Available Program**

✓ Visual and Performing Arts

Program continuity for magnet students to LaVilla MS and Fort Caroline MS

Geographic feeder to Lake Shore MS

# Fort Caroline #235 (Special Transfer Option)

3925 Athore Drive, Jacksonville, FL 32277

**(904)** 745-4904

www.duvalschools.org/fce

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Transportation Zone 2

Geographic feeder to Arlington MS

Theme: Global Academy

# **Garden City #59 (Special Transfer Option)**

2814 Dunn Avenue, Jacksonville, FL 32218

**(904) 924-3130** 

www.duvalschools.org/gardencity

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Transportation Zone 3

Geographic feeder to Highlands MS

Theme: Science Academy

# George W. Carver, #158 (Special Transfer Option)

2854 West 45th Street, Jacksonville, FL 32209

**(904) 924-3122** 

www.duvalschools.org/gwcarver

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Transportation Zone 4

Geographic feeder to Lake Shore MS and Matthew Gilbert MS based on residential address

Theme: Technology

## **ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS MAGNET AND SPECIAL TRANSFER OPTION**

# GRASP Academy (1-8) #27 (Special Transfer Option)

3101 Justina Road, Jacksonville, FL 32277

**(904)** 745-4909

www.duvalschools.org/grasp

Districtwide transportation

#### **Available Program**

Specialized school to support dyslexic learners and those who show characteristics of dyslexia, dysgraphia, and dyscalculia

NOTE: Students apply at the school.

# **Greenfield #222 (Special Transfer Option)**

6343 Knights Lane North, Jacksonville, FL 32216

**(904)** 739-5249

www.duvalschools.org/greenfield

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Transportation Zone 1

Geographic feeder to Southside MS based on residential address
Theme: STEM

**Greenland Pines #249 (Special Transfer Option)** 

5050 Greenland Road, Jacksonville, FL 32258

**(904) 260-5450** 

www.duvalschools.org/greenlandpines

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Transportation Zone 1

Geographic feeder to Twin Lakes MS

Theme: Technology

## **Gregory Drive #243 (Special Transfer Option)**

7800 Gregory Drive, Jacksonville, FL 32210

**(904) 573-1190** 

www.duvalschools.org/qde

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Transportation Zone 5

Geographic feeder to Charger Academy MS
Theme: Math, Science, and Technology

# Hendricks Avenue #71 (Special Transfer Option)

3400 Hendricks Avenue, Jacksonville, FL 32207

**(904) 346-5610** 

www.duvalschools.org/hendricks

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Transportation Zone 1

Geographic feeder to Alfred I. duPont MS Theme: Leadership

# **Hidden Oaks #234 (Special Transfer Option)**

6127 Cedar Hills Boulevard, Jacksonville, FL 32210

**(904)** 573-1020

www.duvalschools.org/hiddenoaks

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Transportation Zone 5

Geographic feeder to Westside MS

Theme: Science

# Highlands Elementary #99 (Special Transfer Option)

1000 dePaul Drive, Jacksonville, FL 32218

**(904) 696-8754** 

www.duvalschools.org/highlands

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Transportation Zone 3

Geographic feeder to Highlands MS

Theme: Acceleration in Math and Literacy school year.

**NOTE:** Due to construction, Highlands Elementary School students, faculty and the principal will relocate to the campus of Martin Luther King, Jr. Elementary for the 2023-24 school year.

# **Hogan-Spring Glen #64 (Special Transfer Option)**

6736 Beach Boulevard, Jacksonville, FL 32216

**(904)** 720-1640

www.duvalschools.org/hsq

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Transportation Zone 1

Geographic feeder to Arlington MS, Southside MS, and Twin Lakes MS based on residential address

Theme: Technology

#### Holiday Hill #209 (Whole-School Magnet)

6900 Altama Road, Jacksonville, FL 32216

**(904)** 720-1676

www.duvalschools.org/holidayhill

Magnet transportation provided in Zone 2

Transportation Zone 2

#### **Available Program**

✓ Gifted/Leadership & Academically Talented/Leadership

Program continuity for magnet students to Darnell-Cookman M/H, James Weldon Johnson MS, Jean Ribault MS and Julia Landon MS

Geographic feeder to Arlington MS and Southside MS based on residential address



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# **Hyde Grove (K-2) #214 (Special Transfer Option)**

2056 Lane Avenue South, Jacksonville, FL 32210

**(904) 693-7562** 

www.duvalschools.org/hydegrove

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Transportation Zone 5

Geographic feeder to Hyde Park (3-5)

Theme: Arts

# **Hyde Park (3-5) #77 (Special Transfer Option)**

5300 Park Street, Jacksonville, FL 32205

**(904) 381-3950** 

www.duvalschools.org/hydepark

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Transportation Zone 5

Geographic feeder to Lake Shore MS
Theme: Leadership

#### J. Allen Axson #141 (Dedicated Magnet)

4763 Sutton Park Court, Jacksonville, FL 32224

**(904) 992-3600** 

www.duvalschools.org/jaa

Magnet transportation provided in Zones 2, 3, and 7

Transportation Zone 7

#### **Available Program**

Montessori

Program continuity for magnet students to John E. Ford K-8

**NOTE:** Students not accepted after kindergarten without prior experience. Prior Montessori experience must be a minimum of a full year from the preceding school year. PK3 and PK4 programs are fee-based and transportation is not provided. Parents apply online.

# **Jacksonville Beach #144 (Dedicated Magnet)**

315 South 10th Street, Jacksonville Beach, FL 32250

**(904) 247-5942** 

www.duvalschools.org/jbe

Magnet transportation provided in Zone 7

Transportation Zone 7

# **Available Program**

✓ Gifted & Academically Talented

Program continuity for magnet students to Darnell-Cookman M/H, James Weldon Johnson MS, Jean Ribault MS and Julia Landon MS

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# Jacksonville Heights #229 (Special Transfer Option)

7750 Tempest Street South, Jacksonville, FL 32244

**(904)** 573-1120

https://dcps.duvalschools.org/jhe

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Transportation Zone 5

Geographic feeder to Charger Academy MS Theme: Math, Science, and Technology

# John E. Ford (K-8) #154 (Whole-School Magnet)

1137 Cleveland Street, Jacksonville, FL 32209

**(904) 630-6540** 

www.duvalschools.org/johneford

Magnet transportation provided districtwide

Transportation Zone 1

#### **Available Program**

Montessori and Spanish Montessori

Program continuity for magnet students to Darnell-Cookman MS, Paxon HS, Samuel W. Wolfson HS and Stanton HS Program continuity to the above-mentioned schools requires students to have successfully completed Algebra 1 by the end of the 8th grade.

Geographic feeder to Lake Shore MS and Matthew Gilbert MS and then to William M. Raines HS based on residential address

**NOTE:** Students not accepted after kindergarten without prior experience. Prior Montessori experience must be a minimum of a full year from the preceding school year. PK3 and PK4 programs are fee-based and transportation is not provided. Parents apply online.

#### John Stockton #88 (Whole-School Magnet)

4827 Carlisle Road, Jacksonville, FL 32210

**(904)** 381-3955

www.duvalschools.org/stockton

Magnet transportation provided in Zone 5

Transportation Zone 5

#### **Available Program**

Math, Science, and Technology

Program continuity for magnet students to Springfield MS and Young Men's and Young Women's Leadership Academy MS

Geographic feeder to Lake Shore MS and Westside MS based on residential address

# **Kernan Trail #231 (Special Transfer Option)**

2281 Kernan Boulevard South, Jacksonville, FL 32246

**(904) 220-1310** 

www.duvalschools.org/kernantrail

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Transportation Zone 2

Geographic feeder to Kernan MS

Theme: STEAM

#### **Kings Trail #203 (Special Transfer Option)**

7401 Old Kings Road South, Jacksonville, FL 32217

**(904)** 739-5254

www.duvalschools.org/kingstrail

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Transportation Zone 1

Geographic feeder to Alfred I. duPont MS Theme: Leadership

#### **Lake Lucina #85 (Special Transfer Option)**

6527 Merrill Road, Jacksonville, FL 32277

**(904)** 745-4916

www.duvalschools.org/lle

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Transportation Zone 2

Geographic feeder to Landmark MS and Arlington MS based on residential address

Theme: Arts

#### Lone Star #233 (Whole-School Magnet)

10400 Lone Star Road, Jacksonville, FL 32225

**(904)** 565-2711

www.duvalschools.org/lonestar

■ Magnet transportation provided in Zone 2

Transportation Zone 2

#### **Available Program**

Math, Science, and Technology

Program continuity for magnet students to Springfield MS and Young Men's and Young Women's Leadership Academy MS

Geographic feeder to Arlington MS and Landmark MS based on residential address

#### **Long Branch #106 (Special Transfer Option)**

3723 Franklin Street, Jacksonville, FL 32206

**(904) 630-6620** 

www.duvalschools.org/longbranch

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Transportation Zone 2

Geographic feeder to Matthew Gilbert MS

Theme: Arts

#### Loretto #30 (Whole-School Magnet)

3900 Loretto Road, Jacksonville, FL 32223

**(904) 260-5800** 

www.duvalschools.org/loretto

Magnet transportation provided in Zone 1

Transportation Zone 1

#### **Available Program**

Technology

Program continuity for magnet students to Springfield MS and Young Men's and Young Women's Leadership Academy MS

Geographic feeder to Mandarin MS

#### **ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS MAGNET AND SPECIAL TRANSFER OPTION**

#### **Louis Sheffield #242 (Special Transfer Option)**

13333 Lanier Road, Jacksonville, FL 32226

**(904) 696-8758** 

www.duvalschools.org/sheffield

Responsibility of parent/guardian

**Transportation Zone 3** 

Geographic feeder to Oceanway MS

Theme: Science

#### **Love Grove #82 (Special Transfer Option)**

2446 University Boulevard S., Jacksonville, FL 32216

**(904)** 720-1645

www.duvalschools.org/lovegrove

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Transportation Zone 2

Geographic feeder to Southside MS and Arlington MS based on residential address

Theme: Math, Science, and Technology

#### Mamie Agnes Jones #236 (Special Transfer Option)

700 Orange Avenue, Baldwin, FL 32234

**1** (904) 266-1214

www.duvalschools.org/majones

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Iransportation Zone 6

Geographic feeder to Baldwin M/H
Theme: Leadership

#### **Mandarin Oaks #258 (Special Transfer Option)**

10600 Hornets Nest Road, Jacksonville, FL 32257

**(904) 260-5820** 

www.duvalschools.org/moe

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Transportation Zone 1

Geographic feeder to Mandarin MS, Twin Lakes MS, and Alfred I. duPont MS based on residential address

Theme: Acceleration Academy

# Mayport Elementary School #227 (Whole-School Magnet)

2753 Shangri-La Drive, Atlantic Beach, FL 32233

**(904) 247-5988** 

www.duvalschools.org/mayport

Magnet transportation provided in Zone 7

Transportation Zone 7

**Available Program** 

Coastal Sciences

Program continuity for magnet students to Darnell-Cookman M/H, Mayport MS and Springfield MS

Geographic feeder to Mayport MS

#### Merrill Road (K-2) #228 (Special Transfer Option)

8239 Merrill Road, Jacksonville, FL 32277

**(904) 745-4919** 

www.duvalschools.org/merrillroad

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Transportation Zone 2

Geographic feeder to Don Brewer (3-5)

Theme: Acceleration Academy

#### Neptune Beach #246 (Special Transfer Option)

1515 Florida Boulevard, Neptune Beach, FL 32266

**(904) 247-5954** 

www.duvalschools.org/nbe

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Transportation Zone 7

Geographic feeder to Mayport MS, Duncan Fletcher MS, and Landmark MS based on residential address

Theme: Leadership

#### **New Berlin #150 (Special Transfer Option)**

3613 New Berlin Road, Jacksonville, FL 32226

**(904) 714-4601** 

www.duvalschools.org/newberlin

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Transportation Zone 3

Geographic feeder to Oceanway MS

Theme: Computer Science

#### Normandy Village #221 (Special Transfer Option)

8257 Herlong Road, Jacksonville, FL 32210

**(904) 693-7548** 

www.duvalschools.org/normandyvillage

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Transportation Zone 5

Geographic feeder to Charger Academy MS

Theme: Math, Science, and Technology

#### **ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS MAGNET AND SPECIAL TRANSFER OPTION**

#### North Shore #70 (Special Transfer Option)

5701 Silver Plaza, Jacksonville, FL 32208

**(904) 924-3081** 

www.duvalschools.org/northshore

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Transportation Zone 3

Geographic feeder to Matthew Gilbert MS
Theme: Academics, Arts, and Athletics

# Northwestern Legends #124 (Special Transfer Option)

2100 W. 45th Street, Jacksonville, FL 32209

**(904) 924-3100** 

www.duvalschools.org/nle

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Transportation Zone 4

Geographic feeder to Lake Shore MS and Matthew Gilbert MS based on residential address

Theme: Science

# Oceanway Elementary #270 (Special Transfer Option)

12555 Gillespie Avenue, Jacksonville, FL 32218

**(904) 696-8762** 

www.duvalschools.org/oceanway

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Transportation Zone 3

Geographic feeder to Oceanway MS

Theme: Science

#### Ortega #16 (Whole-School Magnet)

4010 Baltic Street, Jacksonville, FL 32210

**(904) 381-7460** 

www.duvalschools.org/ortega

Magnet transportation provided in Zone 5

Transportation Zone 5

#### **Available Program**

Museum Studies

Program continuity for magnet students to Alfred I. duPont MS, Jean Ribault MS and Southside MS

Geographic feeder to Lake Shore MS and Westside MS based on residential address

#### Parkwood Heights #208 (Special Transfer Option)

1709 Lansdowne Drive, Jacksonville, FL 32211

**(904)** 720-1670

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Responsibility of parent/guardian

Transportation Zone 2

Geographic feeder to Arlington MS and Landmark MS based on residential address

Theme: World Cultures



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#### Pickett #205 (Special Transfer Option)

6305 Old Kings Road North, Jacksonville, FL 32254

**(904) 693-7555** 

www.duvalschools.org/pickett

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Transportation Zone 4

Geographic feeder to Jean Ribault MS and Lake Shore MS based on residential address

Theme: Leadership

#### Pine Estates #250 (Special Transfer Option)

10741 Pine Estates Road East, Jacksonville, FL 32218

**(904) 696-8767** 

www.duvalschools.org/pineestates

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Transportation Zone 3

Geographic feeder to Highlands MS Theme: Math, Science, and Technology

#### Pine Forest #159 (Dedicated Magnet)

3929 Grant Road, Jacksonville, FL 32207

**(904) 346-5600** 

www.duvalschools.org/pineforest

Magnet transportation provided in Zones 1 and 7

Transportation Zone 1

#### **Available Program**

✓ Visual & Performing Arts

Program continuity for magnet students to LaVilla MS and Fort Caroline MS

#### Pinedale #93 (Whole-School Magnet)

4228 Dignan Street, Jacksonville, FL 32254

**(904) 381-7490** 

www.duvalschools.org/pinedale

Magnet transportation provided in Zone 5

Transportation Zone 5

#### **Available Program**

Math, Science, Pre-Engineering (STEM)

Program continuity for magnet students to Springfield MS and Young Men's and Young Women's Leadership Academy MS

Geographic feeder to Lake Shore MS based on residential address

#### Ramona Boulevard #79 (Special Transfer Option)

5540 Ramona Boulevard, Jacksonville, FL 32205

**(904) 693-7576** 

www.duvalschools.org/ramona

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Transportation Zone 4

Geographic feeder to Lake Shore MS and Charger Academy MS Theme: AVID

#### **Reynolds Lane #202 (Special Transfer Option)**

840 Reynolds Lane, Jacksonville, FL 32254

**(904) 381-3960** 

www.duvalschools.org/reynoldslane

Responsibility of parent/guardian

**Transportation Zone 4** 

Geographic feeder to Jean Ribault MS and Lake Shore MS based on residential address

Theme: Global Academy

#### Richard Lewis Brown #58 (Dedicated Magnet)

1535 Milnor Street, Jacksonville, FL 32206

**(904) 630-6570** 

www.duvalschools.org/rlbrown

Magnet transportation provided districtwide

Transportation Zone 2

#### **Available Program**

Gifted and Academically Talented

Program continuity for magnet students to Darnell-Cookman M/H, James Weldon Johnson MS, Jean Ribault MS and Julia Landon MS

#### Rufus E. Payne #163 (Whole-School Magnet)

6725 Hema Road, Jacksonville, FL 32209

**(904) 924-3020** 

www.duvalschools.org/rpayne

Magnet transportation provided in Zone 4

Transportation Zone 4

#### **Available Program**

Math, Science, Pre-Engineering (STEM)

Program continuity for magnet student to Springfield MS and Young Men's/Young Women's Leadership Academy MS

Geographic feeder to Lake Shore MS, Jean Ribault MS, and Matthew Gilbert MS based on residential address

#### Ruth N. Upson #19 (Special Transfer Option)

1090 Dancy Street, Jacksonville, FL 32205

**(904)** 381-7485

www.duvalschools.org/upson

Responsibility of parent/guardian

**Transportation Zone 5** 

Geographic feeder to Lake Shore MS based on residential address

Theme: STEM

#### **ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS MAGNET AND SPECIAL TRANSFER OPTION**

#### Rutledge H. Pearson #95 (Whole School Magnet)

4346 Roanoke Boulevard, Jacksonville, FL 32208

**(904) 924-3077** 

www.duvalschools.org/rhpearson

Magnet transportation provided in Zones 3, 4 and 6

**Transportation Zone 3** 

#### **Available Program**

Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, and Math (STEAM)

Program continuity for magnet students to Fort Caroline MS and LaVilla MS, Springfield MS and Young Men's/Young Women's Leadership Academy MS.

Program continuity determined by area of focus.

Geographic feeder to Jean Ribault MS

#### R.V. Daniels #162 (Dedicated Magnet)

1951 West 15th Street, Jacksonville, FL 32209

**1** (904) 630-6872

www.duvalschools.org/rvdaniels

■ Magnet transportation provided districtwide

Transportation Zone 1

#### **Available Program**

Gifted and Academically Talented

Program continuity for magnet students to Darnell-Cookman M/H, James Weldon Johnson MS, Jean Ribault MS and Julia Landon MS

#### Sabal Palm #239 (Special Transfer Option)

1201 Kernan Boulevard North, Jacksonville, FL 32225

**(904) 221-7169** 

www.duvalschools.org/spe

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Transportation Zone 2

Geographic feeder to Landmark MS

Theme: Arts

#### Sadie T. Tillis #116 (Special Transfer Option)

6084 Morse Avenue, Jacksonville, FL 32244

**(904)** 573-1090

www.duvalschools.org/sadietillis

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Transportation Zone 5

Geographic feeder to Westside MS and Charger Academy MS based on residential address

Theme: Math, Science, and Technology

#### Sallye B. Mathis #91 (Whole-School Magnet)

3501 Winton Drive, Jacksonville, FL 32208

(904) 924-3086

www.duvalschools.org/sallyebmathis

Magnet transportation provided in Zones 4 & 6

Transportation Zone 4

#### **Available Program**

Math, Science, Pre-Engineering (STEM)

Program continuity for magnet students to Springfield MS and Young Men's and Young Women's Leadership Academy MS

Geographic feeder to Jean Ribault MS

Sallye B. Mathis Elementary School students, faculty and principal will relocate to the Rufus E. Payne Elementary for the 2023-24 school year due to construction on the campus.

#### Samuel A. Hull #169 (Special Transfer Option)

7528 Hull Street, Jacksonville, FL 32219

**(904) 924-3136** 

www.duvalschools.org/hull

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Transportation Zone 3

Geographic feeder to Jean Ribault MS and Matthew Gilbert MS based on residential address

#### San Jose #83 (School-Within-A- School Magnet)

5805 St. Augustine Road, Jacksonville, FL 32207

**(904)** 739-5260

www.duvalschools.org/sanjose

Magnet transportation provided in Zones 1 and 2

Transportation Zone 1

#### **Available Program**

✓ Dual Language - Spanish

Program continuity for magnet students to Alfred I. duPont MS, Jean Ribault MS and Southside MS

Geographic feeder to Alfred I. duPont MS

**NOTE:** Students not accepted into the magnet program after 1st grade without passing score on language proficiency test. Students apply at the school.

#### San Mateo #218 (Whole-School Magnet)

600 Baisden Road, Jacksonville, FL 32218

**(904) 696-8750** 

www.duvalschools.org/sanmateo

■ Magnet transportation provided in Zone 3

Transportation Zone 3

#### **Available Program**

Accelerated Academy of Learning

Program continuity to Darnell-Cookman M/H, James W. Johnson MS, Jean Ribault MS, Julia Landon MS
Geographic feeder to Oceanway MS

#### San Pablo #80 (Whole-School Magnet)

801 North 18th Avenue, Jacksonville Beach, FL 32250

**1** (904) 247-5947

www.duvalschools.org/sanpablo

Magnet transportation provided in Zone 7

Transportation Zone 7

#### **Available Program**

Academic Enrichment Through Science

Program continuity to Darnell-Cookman M/H, Mayport MS and Springfield MS

Geographic feeder to Duncan Fletcher MS

#### Seabreeze #225 (Special Transfer Option)

1400 Seabreeze Avenue, Jacksonville Beach, FL 32250

**(904) 247-5900** 

www.duvalschools.org/seabreeze

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Transportation Zone 7

Geographic feeder to Duncan Fletcher MS

Theme: STEM

#### **ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS MAGNET AND SPECIAL TRANSFER OPTION**

# Smart Pope Livingston (K-2) #149 (Special Transfer Option)

1128 Barber Street, Jacksonville, FL 32209

**(904) 630-6580** 

www.duvalschools.org/splivingston

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Transportation Zone 1

Geographic feeder to Susie E. Tolbert (3-5)

Theme: STEAM

#### **Southside Estates #76 (Special Transfer Option)**

9775 Ivey Road, Jacksonville, FL 32246

**(904)** 565-2706

www.duvalschools.org/ssee

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Transportation Zone 2

Geographic feeder to Southside MS, Twin Lakes MS, and Kernan MS based on residential address

Theme: STEM

#### Spring Park #72 (Whole-School Magnet)

2250 Spring Park Road, Jacksonville, FL 32207

**(904) 346-5640** 

www.duvalschools.org/springpark

■ Magnet transportation provided in Zone 1

Transportation Zone 1

#### **Available Program**

☑ IB Primary Years Programme (PYP)

Program continuity for magnet students to Alfred I. duPont MS, Jean Ribault MS and Southside MS

Geographic feeder to Southside MS

#### Susie E. Tolbert (3-5) #128 (Special Transfer Option)

1925 West 13th Street, Jacksonville, FL 32209

**(904) 630-6860** 

www.duvalschools.org/susietolbert

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Transportation Zone 1

Geographic feeder to Lake Shore MS and Matthew Gilbert MS

Theme: Math, Science and Pre-Engineering (STEM)

#### **Timucuan #98 (Special Transfer Option)**

5429 110th Street, Jacksonville, FL 32244

**(904)** 573-1130

www.duvalschools.org/timucuan

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Transportation Zone 5

Geographic feeder to Westside MS
Theme: Math, Science, and Technology

#### **Thomas Jefferson #48 (Whole-School Magnet)**

8233 Nevada Street, Jacksonville, FL 32220

**(904) 693-7500** 

www.duvalschools.org/tjefferson

Magnet transportation provided in Zones 4 and 5

Transportation Zone 4

#### **Available Program**

✓ Multiple Intelligences

Program continuity for magnet students to Darnell-Cookman M/H, James Weldon Johnson, Jean Ribault MS and Julia Landon MS

Geographic feeder to Charger Academy MS, Highlands MS, and Jean Ribault MS based on residential address

# Twin Lakes Academy #251 (Special Transfer Option)

8000 Point Meadows Drive, Jacksonville, FL 32256

**(904)** 538-0238

www.duvalschools.org/tlae

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Transportation Zone 1

Geographic feeder to Twin Lakes MS

Theme: Leadership

#### **Venetia #68 (Whole-School Magnet)**

4300 Timuquana Road, Jacksonville, FL 32210

**(904) 381-3990** 

www.duvalschools.org/venetia

Magnet transportation provided in Zone 5

Transportation Zone 5

#### **Available Program**

Medical Arts

Program continuity for magnet students to Darnell-Cookman M/H, Mayport MS and Springfield MS

Geographic feeder to Lake Shore MS and Westside MS based on residential address

#### Waterleaf #160 (Special Transfer Option)

450 Kernan Boulevard North, Jacksonville, FL 32225

**(904)** 565-8000

www.duvalschools.org/waterleaf

Responsibility of parent/quardian

Transportation Zone 2

Geographic feeder to Landmark MS and Kernan MS based on residential address

Theme: Literacy

# West Riverside #12 (School-Within-A-School Magnet)

2801 Herschel Street, Jacksonville, FL 32205

**(904) 381-3900** 

www.duvalschools.org/wres

■ Magnet transportation provided in Zone 5

Transportation Zone 5

#### **Available Program**

Dual Language - Spanish

Program continuity for magnet students to Alfred I. duPont MS, Jean Ribault MS and Southside MS

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Geographic feeder to Lake Shore MS

**NOTE:** Students not accepted into the magnet program after 1st grade without passing score on language-proficiency test. Students apply at the school.

#### **ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS MAGNET AND SPECIAL TRANSFER OPTION**

#### Westview (K-8) #274 (Special Transfer Option)

5270 Connie Jean Road, Jacksonville, FL 32210

**(904) 573-1082** 

www.duvalschools.org/westview

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Transportation Zone 5

Geographic feeder to Westview K-8 then to Westside HS and Edward H. White HS based on residential address

Theme: Pre-Early College

#### **Whitehouse #51 (Special Transfer Option)**

11160 General Avenue, Jacksonville, FL 32220

**(904) 693-7542** 

www.duvalschools.org/whitehouse

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Transportation Zone 4

Geographic feeder to Charger Academy MS, Baldwin M/H, and Jean Ribault MS based on residential address

Theme: Leadership

#### Windy Hill #94 (Special Transfer Option)

3831 Forest Boulevard, Jacksonville, FL 32246

**(904)** 565-2700

www.duvalschools.org/windyhill

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Transportation Zone 2

Geographic feeder to Twin Lakes MS and Kernan MS based on residential address

Theme: Leadership through Project-Based Technology

#### **Woodland Acres #89 (Special Transfer Option)**

328 Bowlan Street North, Jacksonville, FL 32211

**(904)** 720-1663

www.duvalschools.org/wae

Responsibility of parent/guardian

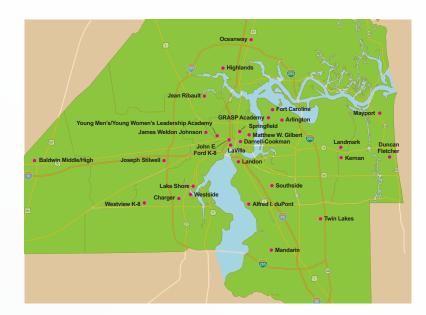
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Geographic feeder to Arlington MS and Southside MS based on residential address

Theme: Medical Arts



When selecting a middle school consider the distance traveled and other factors important to the student and family. Students will have the advantage of attending a specialized program of their choice, making friends from all over the city, and having experiences outside the residential community.



Middle schools are not divided into transportation zones. Districtwide transportation is provided with a combination of neighborhood routes, shuttles, and Express Routes.\* There are some differences in the transportation system that apply to specific schools.

In the morning, transportation is currently provided to students attending Darnell-Cookman, Springfield, Landon, LaVilla, James W. Johnson, Joseph Stilwell, and Young Men's and Young Women's Leadership Academy on neighborhood buses to an area high school followed by shuttle service to the magnet school. Express Route\* service is provided in the afternoon.

\* **Express Routes** have limited bus stops and are located at or near a Duval County public school or other public location selected by the Transportation Department. The District distance-to-stop policy does not apply to Express Routes. Parents or guardians are responsible for transporting and supervising their children at the bus stop.

**Fort Caroline and Highlands** middle schools follow the magnet transportation model both morning and afternoon using Express Routes.\*

John E. Ford K-8 middle school students are transported according to the elementary zones for this school.

**Baldwin Middle/High** currently has limited transportation. A shuttle bus is provided to and from Baldwin Middle/High from Riverside High only. Parents are responsible for getting their students to and from Riverside High.

**Alfred I. duPont Middle** currently has limited transportation from the Mandarin, Twin Lakes, Southside, and Matthew Gilbert middle school attendance areas only.

Southside Middle has limited transportation from the Matthew Gilbert attendance area only.

**Jean Ribault Middle** has limited transportation from Arlington, Fletcher, Kernan, Landmark, and Twin Lakes middle schools attendance areas only.

**Mayport Middle** utilizes the Coastal Transportation Plan to provide limited service via shuttle buses from Fletcher, Sandalwood, and Terry Parker high schools. Parents are responsible for getting their students to and from Fletcher, Sandalwood, and Terry Parker.

Bus stops are subject to change for the 2023-2024 school year. To be eligible for transportation, students must apply to a magnet school by the **February 28, 2023**, application deadline.

Once accepted, families should follow the directions in their acceptance letter to register for a bus stop through Focus in your parent/guardian account. Registration will open after **June 9, 2023**. Stops will be added according to state and district guidelines. Parents/guardians will be able to log into their Focus account two weeks before school opens to find their bus stop information.

Magnet routes will be reviewed for ridership annually. Magnet trips with five (5) or less magnet students may be discontinued the following school year. Students enroll at the magnet program for the 2023-2024 school year with the understanding that transportation may be the responsibility of the parent/guardian.

For more information regarding transportation, contact the Transportation Department at **(904) 858-6200** or go to <a href="https://www.duvalschools.org/dcpstransportation">www.duvalschools.org/dcpstransportation</a>.



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#### MIDDLE SCHOOLS MAGNET AND SPECIAL TRANSFER OPTION

#### Alfred I. duPont #66 (School-Within-A-School Magnet)

2710 duPont Avenue, Jacksonville, FL 32217

- **(904)** 739-5200
- www.duvalschools.org/dupont
- Limited transportation. See Page 49 for full description.

#### **MAGNET - Check Transportation Rules**

**Magnet Program** 

✓ International Business and World Language Academy

✓ Dual Language

Program continuity for magnet student to Darnell-Cookman M/H, Paxon School HS, Stanton HS and Samuel Wolfson HS. Program continuity at the above-mentioned schools requires students to have successfully completed Algebra 1 by the end of 8th grade.

Geographic feeder to Englewood HS

#### **Arlington #213 (Special Transfer Option)**

8141 Lone Star Road, Jacksonville, FL 32211

- **(904) 720-1680**
- www.duvalschools.org/arlingtonmiddle
- Responsibility of parent/guardian

Geographic feeder to Englewood HS, Terry Parker HS, and Sandalwood HS based on residential address

Theme: Acceleration in Mathematics

# Baldwin Middle/High (6-12) #38 (School-Within-A-School Magnet)

291 Mill Street West, Baldwin, FL 32234

- **(904) 266-1200**
- www.duvalschools.org/bmsh
- Limited transportation. See Page 49 for full description

#### **MAGNET - Check Transportation Rules**

**Magnet Program** 

Digital Marketing

Program continuity for magnet students to Baldwin Middle/High

Geographic feeder to Baldwin M/H

#### **Charger Academy #216 (Special Transfer Option)**

7050 Melvin Road, Jacksonville, FL 32210

- **(904)** 573-1060
- www.duvalschools.org/chargeracademy
- Responsibility of parent/guardian

Geographic feeder to Westside HS and Edward H. White HS based on residential address

Theme: Pre-Early College

#### Darnell-Cookman (6-12) #145 (Dedicated Magnet)

1701 North Davis Street, Jacksonville, FL 32209

**(904) 630-6805** 

www.duvalschools.org/darnellcookman

Magnet transportation provided districtwide

#### **Magnet Programs**

Medical Arts, Gifted, and Academically Talented

Program continuity for magnet students to Darnell-Cookman M/H, Paxon HS, Samuel W. Wolfson HS and Stanton HS Program continuity at the above-mentioned schools requires students to have successfully completed Algebra 1 by the end of 8th grade.

# Duncan Fletcher Middle School #63 (Special Transfer Option)

2000 3rd Street North, Jacksonville Beach, FL 32250

**1** (904) 247-5929

www.duvalschools.org/fms

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Geographic feeder to Duncan Fletcher HS and Sandalwood HS based on residential address Theme: Academically Talented and Gifted

#### **Duval Virtual Instruction Academy (K-12)**

2334 Butler Street, Jacksonville, FL 32209

**(904) 390-2037** 

www.duvalschools.org/dvia

#### **Virtual Program**

#### ✓ Home-based online learning

A virtual home-based, online school choice option for students in grades K-12 supported by fully certified, highly qualified, and district-employed teachers. Please refer to the school's webpage to learn more about the application process.

#### Fort Caroline #238 (Dedicated Magnet)

3787 University Club Boulevard, Jacksonville, FL 32277

**(904)** 745-4927

www.duvalschools.org/fcm

Magnet transportation provided districtwide

#### **Magnet Programs**

✓ Visual and Performing Arts and Animation Technology 2D/3D Art, Band, Cinematic Art, Dance, Orchestra, Theatre, Vocals

Program continuity for magnet students to William M. Raines HS. Students must audition for acceptance at Douglas Anderson HS.

#### GRASP Academy (1-8) #27

3101 Justina Road, Jacksonville, FL 32277

**(904)** 745-4909

www.duvalschools.org/grasp

Districtwide transportation provided

#### **Program**

✓ Specialized school to support learners with characteristics of dyslexia, dyscalculia and dysgraphia

**NOTE:** Students apply at the school

#### MIDDLE SCHOOLS MAGNET AND SPECIAL TRANSFER OPTION

# Highlands Middle School #244 (School-Within-A-School Magnet)

10913 Pine Estates Road East, Jacksonville, FL 32218

**(904) 696-8771** 

www.duvalschools.org/hms

Limited transportation. See Page 49 for full description.

#### **MAGNET - Check Transportation Rules**

#### **Magnet Programs**

Leadership and Finance Academy

Program continuity for magnet students to Asa P. Randolph HS, Baldwin M/H, Edward H. White HS and Frank H. Peterson HS.

Geographic feeder to First Coast HS and Jean Ribault HS based on residential address

# James Weldon Johnson College Preparatory #152 (Dedicated Magnet)

3276 Norman E. Thagard Boulevard, Jacksonville, FL 32254

**(904) 693-7600** 

www.duvalschools.org/jwjohnson

Magnet transportation provided districtwide

#### **Magnet Programs**

Gifted and Academically Talented

Program continuity for magnet students to Damell-Cookman M/H, Paxon HS, Samuel W. Wolfson HS and Stanton HS. Program continuity to the above-mentioned schools requires students to have successfully completed Algebra 1 by the end of the 8th grade.

# Jean Ribault Middle School #212 (School-Within-A-School Magnet)

3610 Ribault Scenic Drive, Jacksonville, FL 32208

**(904) 924-3062** 

www.duvalschools.org/rms

Limited transportation. See Page 50 for full description.

#### **MAGNET - Check Transportation Rules**

#### **Magnet Programs**

Early High School

Business, Technology and Entrepreneurial Academy (BTE Academy)

Program continuity for Early High School students to Darnell-Cookman M/H, Paxon HS, Samuel W. Wolfson HS and Stanton HS.

Program continuity at the above-mentioned schools requires students to have successfully completed Algebra 1 by the end of 8th grade.

Program continuity for BTE Academy students to Asa P. Randolph HS, Baldwin M/H, Edward H. White HS and Frank H. Peterson HS.

Due to construction at Jean Ribault High School, Jean Ribault Middle School students, faculty and the principal will be relocated to an alternate school site for the 2023-24 school year, as the high school students temporarily transition to the middle school.

#### John E. Ford K-8 #154 (Whole-School Magnet)

1137 Cleveland Street, Jacksonville, FL 32209

- **(904) 630-6540**
- www.duvalschools.org/johneford
- Magnet transportation provided districtwide

#### **Magnet Program**

#### Montessori and Spanish Montessori

Program continuity for magnet students to Darnell-Cookman M/H, Paxon HS, Samuel W. Wolfson HS and Stanton HS Program continuity at the above-mentioned schools requires students to have successfully completed Algebra 1 by the end of 8th grade.

Geographic feeder to Matthew Gilbert MS and Lake Shore MS then to William M. Raines HS based on residential address

**NOTE:** Students not accepted after kindergarten without prior experience. Prior Montessori experience must be a minimum of a full year from the preceding school year. PK3 and PK4 programs are fee-based and transportation is not provided. Parents apply online.

#### **Joseph Stilwell #219 (Dedicated Magnet)**

7840 Burma Road, Jacksonville, FL 32221

- **(904) 693-7523**
- www.duvalschools.org/stilwell
- Magnet transportation provided districtwide

#### **Magnet Programs**

#### Military Leadership Academy

Program continuity for magnet students to Darnell-Cookman M/H, Paxon HS, Riverside HS, Samuel W. Wolfson HS and Stanton HS.

Program continuity the above-mentioned schools requires students to have successfully completed Algebra 1 by the end of 8th grade.

Program continuity is also available to Asa P. Randolph HS, Andrew Jackson HS, Edward H. White HS, Frank H. Peterson HS and Jean Ribault HS.

#### Julia Landon #31 (Dedicated Magnet)

1819 Thacker Avenue, Jacksonville, FL 32207

- **(904) 346-5650**
- www.duvalschools.org/landon
- Magnet transportation provided districtwide

#### **Magnet Programs**

#### ✓ Gifted, Leadership

#### Academically Talented/Leadership, and Gifted/Leadership

Program continuity for magnet students to Darnell-Cookman M/H, Paxon HS, Samuel W. Wolfson HS and Stanton HS. Program continuity at the above-mentioned schools requires students to have successfully completed Algebra 1 by the end of 8th grade.

#### **Kernan #279 (Special Transfer Option)**

2271 Kernan Boulevard South, Jacksonville, FL 32246

**(904) 220-1350** 

www.duvalschools.org/kms

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Geographic feeder to Atlantic Coast HS, Englewood HS, and Sandalwood HS based on residential address

Theme: Fine Arts

#### **Lake Shore #69 (Special Transfer Option)**

2519 Bayview Road, Jacksonville, FL 32210

**(904) 381-7440** 

www.duvalschools.org/lakeshore

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Geographic feeder to Riverside HS and Edward H. White HS based on residential address

Theme: Pre-Early College



#### MIDDLE SCHOOLS MAGNET AND SPECIAL TRANSFER OPTION

#### **Landmark #256 (Special Transfer Option)**

101 Kernan Boulevard North, Jacksonville, FL 32225

**(904) 221-7125** 

www.duvalschools.org/landmark

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Geographic feeder to Sandalwood HS

Theme: Honors Academy

## LaVilla School of the Arts #267

501 North Davis Street, Jacksonville, FL 32202

**(904) 633-6069** 

(Dedicated Magnet)

www.duvalschools.org/lavilla

Magnet transportation provided districtwide

#### **Magnet Programs**

Visual, Performing Arts, Band, Creative Writing, Dance, Guitar, Orchestra, Piano, Theatre, Visual Arts, and Vocal

Program continuity for magnet students to William M. Raines HS. Students must audition for acceptance at Douglas Anderson HS.

# Mandarin Middle School #259 (Special Transfer Option)

5100 Hood Road, Jacksonville, FL 32257

**(904) 292-0555** 

www.duvalschools.org/mandarin

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Geographic feeder to Mandarin HS

Theme: Gifted and Academically Talented

# Matthew Gilbert #146 (Special Transfer Option)

1424 Franklin Street, Jacksonville, FL 32206

**(904) 630-6700** 

www.duvalschools.org/matthewgilbert

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Geographic feeder to William M. Raines HS and Jean Ribault HS based on residential address

Theme: Pre-Early College

#### **Mayport Middle School #254** (Whole-School Magnet)

2600 Mayport Road, Atlantic Beach, FL 32233

**(904) 247-5977** 

www.duvalschools.org/mayportmiddle

Limited transportation. See Page 50 for full description

#### **MAGNET - Check Transportation Rules**

**Magnet Program** 

Coastal Sciences

Program continuity for magnet students to Darnell-Cookman M/H with successful completion of Algebra 1 by the end of 8th grade.

Geographic feeder to Duncan Fletcher HS and Sandalwood HS based on residential address

#### Oceanway Middle School #62 (Special Transfer Option)

143 Oceanway Avenue, Jacksonville, FL 32218

**(904) 714-4680** 

www.duvalschools.org/oceanwayschool

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Geographic feeder to First Coast HS

Theme: Technology

#### Southside #211 (Whole-School Magnet)

2948 Knights Lane East, Jacksonville, FL 32216

**(904)** 739-5238

www.duvalschools.org/southside

Limited transportation. See Page 49 for full description.

### **MAGNET - Check Transportation Rules**

**Magnet Program** 

✓ IB Middle Year Programme (MYP)

Program continuity for magnet students to Darnell-Cookman M/H, Paxon HS, Samuel W. Wolfson HS and Stanton HS. Program continuity at the above-mentioned schools requires students to have successfully completed Algebra 1 by the end of 8th grade.

Geographic feeder to Atlantic Coast HS and Englewood HS based on residential address

#### **Springfield MS #25 (Dedicated Magnet)**

2034 Hubbard Street, Jacksonville, FL 32206

- **(904) 630-6600**
- www.duvalschools.org/springfield
- Magnet transportation provided districtwide

#### **Magnet Programs**

Math, Science, and Technology; Gifted Math, Science, and Technology; Accelerated Math, Science, and Technology

Program continuity to Andrew Jackson HS, Asa P. Randolph HS and William M. Raines HS.

Program continuity to Riverside HS requires the student successfully completes Algebra 1 by the end of 8th grade. Program continuity for students in the Gifted and Accelerated programs to Darnell-Cookman M/H, Paxon HS, Samuel W. Wolfson HS and Stanton HS, if Algebra 1 is successfully completed by the end of 8th grade.

#### Twin Lakes #253 (Special Transfer Option)

8050 Point Meadows Drive, Jacksonville, FL 32256

- **(904)** 538-0825
- www.duvalschools.org/tlam
- Responsibility of parent/guardian

Geographic feeder to Atlantic Coast HS, Englewood HS, and Mandarin HS based on residential address

Theme: Pre-AP Honors



#### MIDDLE SCHOOLS MAGNET AND SPECIAL TRANSFER OPTION

#### **Westside MS #207 (Special Transfer Option)**

4815 Wesconnett Boulevard, Jacksonville, FL 32210

**(904)** 573-1000

www.duvalschools.org/wms

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Geographic feeder to Riverside HS, Westside HS, and Edward H. White HS based on residential address

Theme: Pre-Early College

#### **Westview K-8 #274 (Special Transfer Option)**

5720 Connie Jean Road, Jacksonville, FL 32210

**(904)** 573-1082

www.duvalschools.org/westview

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Geographic feeder to Westside HS and Edward H. White HS based on residential address

Theme: Pre-Early College

#### Young Men's/Young Women's Leadership Academy at Eugene J. Butler #156 (Dedicated Magnet)

900 Acorn Street, Jacksonville, FL 32209

**(904) 630-6900** 

www.duvalschools.org/ymwla

Magnet transportation provided districtwide

#### **Magnet Program**

#### Leadership and Technology Academy

Program continuity for magnet students to Darnell-Cookman M/H, Paxon HS, Riverside HS, Samuel W. Wolfson HS and Stanton HS. Program continuity to the above-mentioned schools requires

successful completion of Algebra 1 by the end of 8th grade. Program continuity to Andrew Jackson HS, Asa P. Randolph HS, Andrew Jackson HS, Frank H. Peterson HS, Jean Ribault HS and William M. Raines HS.

**NOTE:** Opt-in form required. Contact school for uniform requirements.





One thing to keep in mind is that traveling a long distance to school is a balance of pluses and minuses. Students will have the advantages of attending a specialized program of their choice and making friends from all over the city. Of course, the length of the commute should be considered as well.



High schools are not divided into zones. Districtwide transportation is provided with a combination of neighborhood routes, shuttles, and Express Routes.\*

There are some differences in the transportation system that apply to specific schools.

In the morning, transportation is currently provided to students attending Douglas Anderson, Darnell-Cookman, Andrew Jackson, Paxon, Frank H. Peterson, A. Philip Randolph, Stanton, and Samuel Wolfson on neighborhood buses to an area high school followed by shuttle service to the magnet school. Express Route\* service is provided in the afternoon.

\* Express Routes have limited bus stops and are located at or near a Duval County Public School or other public location selected by the Transportation Department. The district distance-to-stop policy does not apply to Express Routes. Parents or guardians are responsible for transporting their children at the bus stop.

**Riverside**, **Jean Ribault**, **William Raines and Edward H. White** high schools follow the magnet transportation model both morning and afternoon using Express Routes.\*

**Baldwin Middle/High** currently has limited transportation. A shuttle bus is provided to and from Baldwin Middle/High from Riverside High only. Parents are responsible for getting their students to and from Riverside High.

Bus stops are subject to change for the 2023-2024 school year. To be eligible for transportation, students must apply to a magnet school by the **February 28, 2023**, application deadline.

Once accepted, families should follow the directions in their acceptance letter to register for a bus stop through Focus in your Parent/Guardian Account. Registration will open after **June 9, 2023**. Stops will be added according to state and district guidelines. Parents/Guardians will be able to log into their Focus account two weeks before school opens to find their bus stop information.

Annually magnet routes will be reviewed for ridership. Magnet trips with five (5) or less magnet students may be discontinued the following school year. Your child may enroll at the magnet program for the 2023-2024 school year with the understanding that transportation may be the responsibility of the parent/guardian.

For more information regarding transportation, contact the Transportation Department at **(904) 858-6200** or go to <a href="https://www.duvalschools.org/dcpstransportation">www.duvalschools.org/dcpstransportation</a>.

#### HIGH SCHOOLS MAGNET AND SPECIAL TRANSFER OPTION

#### **Andrew Jackson #35 (Dedicated Magnet)**

3816 North Main Street, Jacksonville, FL 32206

**(904) 630-6950** 

www.duvalschools.org/aihs

Magnet transportation provided districtwide

#### **Magnet Programs**

Aviation in Military Sciences (AFJROT), Sports Medicine and Marketing, Cybersecurity, Video Game Development

# A. Philip Randolph Academies #285 (Dedicated Magnet)

1157 Golfair Boulevard, Jacksonville, FL 32209

**(904) 924-3011** 

www.duvalschools.org/aprtech

Magnet transportation provided districtwide

#### **Magnet Programs**

☑ Building Trades and Welding Academy, Cosmetology Academy, Criminal Justice and Crime Scene Investigation Academy, Digital Sports Academy, Firefighting Academy

#### **Atlantic Coast #268 (Special Transfer Option)**

9735 R.G. Skinner Parkway, Jacksonville, FL 32256

**(904)** 358-5120

www.duvalschools.org/achs

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Theme: AP Capstone

# Baldwin Middle/High (6-12) #38 (School-Within-A-School Magnet)

291 Mill Street West, Baldwin, FL 32234

**(904) 266-1200** 

www.duvalschools.org/bmsh

Limited transportation. See Page 59 for full description

#### **MAGNET - Check Transportation Rules**

**Magnet Program** 

Digital Marketing

#### Darnell-Cookman (6-12) #145 (Dedicated Magnet)

1071 North Davis Street, Jacksonville, FL 32209

**(904) 630-6805** 

www.duvalschools.org/darnellcookman

Magnet transportation provided districtwide

#### **Magnet Program**

College Preparatory and Medical Arts

**NOTE:** Students applying must have successfully completed Algebra 1 by the end of 8th grade. Coursework for students applying to 10th -12th grades will be reviewed for course progression prior to the lottery.

# Douglas Anderson School of the Arts #107 (Dedicated Magnet)

2445 San Diego Road, Jacksonville, FL 32207

**(904) 346-5620** 

www.duvalschools.org/anderson

Magnet transportation provided districtwide

#### **Magnet Program**

✓ Visual and Performing Arts

**NOTE:** Admission to Douglas Anderson is by auditio only. Contact the school for additional audition information.

# Duncan Fletcher High School #223 (Special Transfer Option)

700 Seagate Avenue, Neptune Beach, FL 32266

**(904) 247-5905** 

www.duvalschools.org/fhs

Responsibility of parent/guardian

#### Theme: STEM

#### **Duval Virtual Instruction Academy (K-12)**

2334 Butler Street, Jacksonville, FL 32209

**(904) 390-2037** 

www.duvalschools.org/dvia

#### **Virtual Programs**

✓ Home-based online

A virtual home-based, online public school choice option for students in grades K-12 supported by fully certified, highly qualified, and district-employed teachers.

#### **Edward H. White #248 (Whole-School Magnet)**

1700 Old Middleburg Road North, Jacksonville, FL 32210

**(904) 693-7620** 

www.duvalschools.org/edwhite

Magnet transportation provided districtwide

#### MAGNET - Check Transportation Rules Magnet Program

✓ Leadership

✓ Logistics

**NOTE:** Opt-in form required.

# Englewood High School #90 (Special Transfer Option)

4412 Barnes Road, Jacksonville, FL 32207

**(904)** 739-5212

www.duvalschools.org/ehs

Responsibility of the parent/guardian

Theme: Early College (Advanced Manufacturing)
Dual Language Program with ESOL

#### First Coast #265 (Special Transfer Option)

590 Duval Station Road, Jacksonville, FL 32218

**(904) 757-0080** 

www.duvalschools.org/fch

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Theme: Early College (Education Academy)

#### Frank H. Peterson Academies #280 (Dedicated Magnet)

7450 Wilson Boulevard, Jacksonville, FL 32210

**(904)** 573-1150

www.duvalschools.org/fhp

Magnet transportation provided districtwide

#### **Magnet Programs**

Advanced Manufacturing & Robotics (STEM) Academy, Agricultural Biotech & Vet Assisting Academy, Automotive Academy, Aviation Academy, Communications Academy, Cosmetology Academy, Culinary Arts Academy, Early Childhood Education Academy

# Jean Ribault High School #96 (School-Within-A-School Magnet)

3701 Winton Drive, Jacksonville, FL 32208

**(904) 924-3092** 

www.duvalschools.org/rhs

Magnet transportation provided districtwide

**MAGNET - Check Transportation Rules** 

**Magnet Programs** 

✓ JROTC - Marine Corps

# Mandarin High School #260 (Special Transfer Option)

4831 Greenland Road, Jacksonville, FL 32258

**(904) 260-3911** 

www.duvalschools.org/mhs

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Theme: Cambridge Secondary 2/AICE

# Paxon School for Advanced Studies #75 (Dedicated Magnet)

3239 Norman E. Thagard Boulevard, Jacksonville, FL 32254

**(904) 693-7583** 

www.duvalschools.org/psas

■ Magnet transportation provided districtwide

#### **Magnet Program**

College Preparatory

**NOTE:** Students applying must have successfully completed Algebra 1 by the end of 8th grade. Coursework for students applying to 10th -12th grades will be reviewed for course progression prior to the lottery.

# Riverside High School #33 (School-Within-A-School Magnet)

1200 McDuff Avenue South, Jacksonville, FL 32205

**(904) 381-3930** 

www.duvalschools.org/riverside

Magnet transportation provided districtwide

#### **Magnet Program**

Engineering Academy (PLTW)

**NOTE:** Students applying for the Engineering Academy at Riverside HS must have successfully completed Algebra 1 by the end of 8th grade. Coursework for students applying to 10th -12th grades will be reviewed for course progression prior to the lottery.

#### Samuel W. Wolfson #224 (Dedicated Magnet)

7000 Powers Avenue, Jacksonville, FL 32217

**(904)** 739-5265

www.duvalschools.org/wolfson

Magnet transportation provided districtwide

#### **Magnet Program**

✓ College Preparatory/Leadership

**NOTE:** Students applying for Samuel Wolfson must have successfully completed Algebra 1 by the end of 8th grade.

#### Sandalwood #237 (Special Transfer Option)

2750 John Promenade Boulevard, Jacksonville, FL 32246

**(904) 646-5100** 

www.duvalschools.org/sandalwood

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Theme: Early College

# Stanton College Preparatory #153 (Dedicated Magnet)

1149 West 13th Street, Jacksonville, FL 32209

**(904) 630-6760** 

www.duvalschools.org/stanton

Magnet transportation provided districtwide

#### **Magnet Programs**

College Preparatory

**NOTE:** Students applying for Stanton College Preparatory must have successfully completed Algebra 1 by the end of 8th grade. Coursework for students applying to 10th -12th grades will be reviewed for course progression prior to the lottery.

#### **Terry Parker #86 (Special Transfer Option)**

7301 Parker School Road, Jacksonville, FL 32211

**(904)** 720-1650

www.duvalschools.org/tphs

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Theme: Early College/IB

#### **Westside #241 (Special Transfer Option)**

5530 Firestone Road, Jacksonville, FL 32244

**(904)** 573-1170

www.duvalschools.org/westside

Responsibility of parent/guardian

Theme: Early College (Education Academy)

#### William M. Raines #165 (School-Within-A-School Magnet)

3663 Raines Avenue, Jacksonville, FL 32209

**(904) 924-3049** 

www.duvalschools.org/wmrh

Magnet transportation provided districtwide

**Magnet Programs** 

✓ Information Technology

Visual and Performing Arts



#### **EXCEPTIONAL EDUCATION AND STUDENT SERVICES**

Students who are eligible to receive Exceptional Student Education (ESE) services have equal opportunities to apply for participation in magnet or special transfer option programs. The individual student's IEP team determines the specific educational needs of the student and how/where those needs can most appropriately be met. Based on the educational needs of each student, recommendations for support services may or may not be consistent with placement in a particular magnet or special transfer option program. Learn more at <a href="https://www.duvalschools.org/eess">www.duvalschools.org/eess</a>.

#### **ESE SCHOOLS**

#### **Alden Road Exceptional Student Center**

11780 Alden Road, Jacksonville, FL 32246 **(a)** (904) 565-2722

A public school option for students in grades 6-12 (up to 22 years old) with moderate to severe physical and intellectual disabilities.

#### Mt. Herman Exceptional Student Center

1741 Francis Street, Jacksonville, FL 32209 **(a)** (904) 630-6740

A public school option for students 3 to 22 years old with moderate to severe physical and intellectual disabilities.

#### **Oak Hill Academy**

6910 Daughtry Boulevard South, Jacksonville, FL 32210 (204) 573-1030

A public school option for students grades PK - 8 with autism spectrum disorders or related disabilities.

#### **Palm Avenue Exceptional Student Center**

1301 W. Palm Avenue, Jacksonville, FL 32254 (904) 693-7516

A public school option for students in grades 6-12 (up to 22 years old) with moderate to severe physical and intellectual disabilities.

#### NON-TRADITIONAL EDUCATION ENROLLMENT OPTIONS

The Dropout Prevention and Support Services Department encompasses a broad range of support programs and activities which play an integral part in the school district's efforts to provide optimal educational experiences for every student. The primary purpose of our department is to eliminate barriers to wholesome school adjustment and, assist school personnel and parents in developing the maximum potential of all students according to individual needs and ability. Learn more at www.duvalschools.org/eess.

#### **Grand Park Alternative Education Center**

2335 W. 18th Street, Jacksonville, FL 32209

**(904) 630-6894** 

An alternative education center for students in grades 9-12 who have experienced behavioral challenges at their assigned school.

#### **Marine Science Education Center**

1347 Palmer Street, Atlantic Beach, FL 32233

**1** (904) 247-5973

An academic alternative to earn a high school diploma with a vocational component in commercial fishing.

#### **Mattie V. Rutherford Alternative Education Center**

1514 Hubbard Street, Jacksonville, FL 32206

**(904)** 630-6782

An alternative education center for students in grades 4-9 who have experienced behavioral challenges at their assigned school.

#### **Bridge to Success**

1157 Golfair Boulevard, Jacksonville, FL 32209

**(904) 924-3470** 

An accelerated, academic alternative school for students in grades 9-12 who are two to three years over-age.

#### **Bridge to Success Academy at West Jacksonville**

2115 Commonwealth Avenue, Jacksonville, FL 32209

**(904)** 630-6592

An accelerated, academic alternative school for students in grades 4-8 who are two to three years over-age.

#### **River Oak Center**

23 West 8th Street, Jacksonville, FL 32206

**(904) 864-6463** 

A school that integrates high school academic curriculum through Duval Virtual Instruction Academy with the development of supportive life skills for students in recovery due to alcohol and/or substance abuse.

#### **ESOL (ENGLISH FOR SPEAKERS OF OTHER LANGUAGES)**

ESOL (English for Speakers of Other Languages) is a program designed specifically to improve the language proficiency of students whose native language is not English. In addition to receiving academic instruction in reading, writing, speaking, and listening, the ESOL program strives to develop an appreciation of diverse cultures and languages.

The Center for Language and Culture (CLC) is a service center for refugee, immigrant and newly arrived families who speak a language other than English. The CLC offers homework assistance to students, evening language classes for parents, informational community sessions in various languages, and orientation to American schools for newly arrived families. We are trying to make a positive difference through our actions and services so that families new to Jacksonville have a smooth transition into the American culture and into the Duval County Public school system. Our goal is to make our community a better place for all of its members. Learn more at <a href="https://www.duvalschools.org/eess">www.duvalschools.org/eess</a>.

#### The CLC serves three main objectives:

- 1. Testing Center for Students
- 2. Orientation Services for Parents and Families
- 3. Resource Center and Multifunctional Classroom



#### **STEP THREE - REGISTER**

#### Parent/Guardian of student new to DCPS

- Go to www.duvalschools.org/parentaccount and follow the instructions.
- Register your child with DCPS to create a student ID.
- Create a Parent/Guardian Account.
- Link Parent/Guardian Account to student account.

#### Parent/Guardian of student currently enrolled in DCPS public or charter school

• Confirm that you have a Parent/Guardian Account that is linked to your student's ID.

#### OR

- Create a Parent/Guardian Account (if applicable).
- Link Parent/Guardian Account to student account (<u>www.duvalschools.org/parentaccount</u>). This process may take up to three business days.

#### Forgotten Student ID

- Email the <u>school\_choice@duvalschools.org</u> to activate student account. In your email include a copy of your government issued ID, last name and date of birth of student.
- Confirm and/or create Parent/Guardian Account.
- Link Parent/Guardian Account to student ID (if applicable).

#### YOU WILL NEED TO APPLY IF:

- Your student is entering school/program for the first time.
- Your student is seeking magnet program continuity entering the 6th or 9th grade.
- Your student has a special transfer option assignment as a 5th or 8th grade students and you wish to make a choice that is not your zoned attendance area school for 6th or 9th grade.
- Your student is in VPK and would like to remain at your current school of enrollment or Kindergarten.
- Your student would like to be magnetized with your zoned attendance area school. All magnet and special transfer option school applications will be online and available through the Parent/Guardian account.

You need to apply during the on-time application window prior Tuesday, February 28, 2023, at 11:59 p.m.

#### You DO NOT need to apply if:

Your child is on special assignment and would like to remain at the same school.
 Students are on special assignment through the highest grade of the school you are attending.

**Important Notice:** If a parent/guardian applies for the 2023-2024 school year and the student is currently on special assignment, then the current assignment will automatically be cancelled for the next school year. If the student is waitlisted or not placed, then the student will be enrolled in the zoned attendance area school.

#### **COMPLETING THE APPLICATION**

Families have access to two applications in their Parent/Guardian Account, a magnet school/program and a special transfer option application.

#### **Magnet Applications**

The magnet application allows parents/guardians the opportunity to make two choices.

- Parents are strongly encouraged to apply to only those schools that the child is interested in attending.
- Program continuity applies to magnet students completing an application for the 6th or 9th grade.
- If a child is placed with their second-choice school, they will not be waitlisted with their first-choice program.
- If parent/guardian completes both a magnet and special transfer option application and the student is placed in a magnet program; then the special transfer option application is canceled.
- If parent/guardian completes both a magnet and special transfer option application and the student is placed in the special transfer school, the student will remain on the magnet waitlist.

#### **Special Transfer Option Applications**

The special transfer option application allows parents/guardians the opportunity to make one choice.

- If a parent/guardian completes both a magnet and a special transfer option application, the magnet lottery runs first. If a student is placed in a magnet program, the special transfer option application is canceled.
- Transportation is the responsibility of the parent/guardian.

#### **Important Reminders**

- It is the responsibility of the parent/guardian to complete the sibling information portion of the application and confirm that all siblings have the same residential address in their Focus accounts prior to **Tuesday, February 28**.
- If a family declines a placement as a result of the lottery, then they have the option of participating in Controlled Open Enrollment.
- Review the priorities on pages 12-18

Priority Reminders	
Sibling Preference Magnet and Special Transfer Option	<ul> <li>It is the responsibility of the parent/guardian to complete the sibling information portion of the application.</li> <li>Neither siblings nor multiples applying together for the first time receive this priority.</li> <li>Siblings are defined as (half/step) brother or (half/step) sister who reside at the same residential address in Focus.</li> </ul>
<b>Principal's Signature</b> Magnet	<ul> <li>Attend an in-person school tour or open house during the recruitment period.</li> <li>Schools electronically enter tour attendance information in Focus after the on-time application window closes.</li> </ul>

Remember, you must apply by the deadline of Tuesday, February 28, 2023, for any priority to be honored.

Placement is not guaranteed with any priority.

#### MILITARY DEPENDENT TRANSITION PLACEMENT – MAGNET AND SPECIAL TRANSFER OPTION

If you are a service member and have recently received active-duty orders to Jacksonville's surrounding area, you do not have to wait to begin the registration and enrollment process with Duval County! We have a myriad of school enrollment options available, such as magnet schools, advance studies, advanced placement, dual enrollment, AICE, and IB. If you are a recently deployed active-duty family with dependent children who otherwise meet the eligibility criteria for some of our special academic programs, they will receive first preference for admission to such programs.

Our school district has a designated School Liaison to support the enrollment process for your school aged dependents.

#### To qualify for military priority placement, students must meet the following criteria:

- Be a dependent of active-duty service members, to include National Guard and Reserve component members on active duty within the state of Florida
- Transitioned to Jacksonville within the past 12 months

#### To exercise your military priority, families must:

- Complete the online Magnet or Special Transfer Application
- Complete the Military Transfer Option Application
- Submit all required documentation
- Meet the **Tuesday, February 28th** deadline to select up to two magnet choices and/or one special transfer option choice. Each choice will receive the military priority.

#### Military priority does NOT guarantee placement.

Students who use the military preference to apply for a magnet program or special transfer option school after the deadline can be assigned to the program if there is seat availability. If there is no seat availability, the military dependent is placed at the top of the existing waitlist for the school or program and placed if/when an opening becomes available. Once you have a copy of your active-duty orders to the Jacksonville area, you need to contact the Military Liaison (MilitaryTransferOption@duvalschools.org) in the Office of School Choice.

#### **OUT-OF-COUNTY STUDENTS**

Students not residing in Duval County during any application window will submit a paper application during the application period. Applications are date and time stamped. They will be processed once the on-time DCPS applications have been processed. Out-of-county applications will be available on the School Choice website, <a href="https://www.duvalschools.org/schoolchoice">www.duvalschools.org/schoolchoice</a> and must be submitted on or before **Tuesday, February 28, 2023**.

#### **PRIVATE SCHOOL STUDENTS**

Families who currently reside in Duval County should apply online after registering your child in Focus and creating a Parent/Guardian Account that is linked to the student's account. Please refer to page 6 for additional information.

#### **FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS**



Please visit our website for updated answers to all of your questions.

www.duvalschools.org/schoolchoice

#### **STEP FOUR**

#### THE LOTTERY

Beginning **March 1**, applications will be processed and prepared for the lottery. The lottery is a computer program that randomly selects students based on the priority of each chosen school/program and projected grade level.

There is a predetermined number of "open" seats available for each school/program in each grade level. The computerized program selects students based on the order of choice and priority of the chosen school/program. This is why it is so important to carefully make your choices. Many popular programs fill with students who have made that program their first choice. Often, there are not seats remaining by the time the computer program begins the lottery for second choices. This applies even if you have program continuity (magnet) or sibling preference (magnet and special transfer option).

The lottery will process magnet choices first. If students are **placed** into one of their magnet choices, the lottery **will not** process the special transfer option choice, if one was made. Should students not be placed into any of their magnet choices, they will be placed on a magnet waitlist for those choices. The lottery will then process the special transfer option choice, if one was made. If accepted into their special transfer option choice, those students will remain on the magnet waitlist(s). Students not placed in their special transfer option choice will be placed on a special transfer option waitlist while keeping their place on any magnet waitlist. There are no guarantees. Admission is determined by a lottery that is based on the number of seats available and the number of applications received for a school or program.

#### **NOTIFICATION**

Parents/guardians will electronically receive notification of the lottery results in mid-April. Please check your email with the subject line "Your School Choice Application Status." Your notification will include whether the student has been placed and, if so, into which school and program or whether the student has been placed on a waitlist.

Only parents/guardians who made a special transfer option choice AND whose child was not placed into one of their magnet choices will receive an additional electronic notification regarding their special transfer option choice. Parents/guardians who only made a special transfer option choice will electronically receive notification of the special transfer option lottery results.

Parents/guardians may cancel a magnet or special transfer option assignment by sending an email to <a href="mailto:school\_choice@duvalschools.org">school\_choice@duvalschools.org</a> or in person at the Office of School Choice. You will be asked to provide a reason for the cancellation.

#### THE WAITLIST

Students who are not placed as a result of the lottery are on a waitlist. If an opening becomes available, parents/guardians will be contacted through the 10th day of school. Waitlist and student assignment information can be found by logging into the Parent/Guardian Account. Students who are accepted into one of their choice magnet schools do NOT appear on the waitlist for any other school/program.

#### **TRANSPORTATION**

If the student is placed in a magnet program, the electronic notification will include information about transportation. We encourage parents/guardians to read the transportation guidelines carefully prior to completing an application.

#### **CONFIRMING PLACEMENT**

When the school year begins, students placed in either a magnet or special transfer option school must report to their school by the third day of class, **Wednesday, August 16, 2023**. If magnet and special transfer option students do not arrive by the end of the third day, their assignments will be cancelled.

School starts on August 14, 2023.

#### **EXIT PROCEDURES**

Once a student enrolls in a magnet or special transfer option school, the student should remain through the highest grade level of that school, unless the school has academic performance standards that are not met. Transfers to other magnet or special transfer option schools during the school year will be processed following the new Controlled Open Enrollment guidelines. The Choice Cancellation Form can only be processed by the School Choice Office. Parents will be notified within 10 days after the request is received. The form will be posted on the School Choice website.

#### CONTROLLED OPEN ENROLLMENT APPLICATIONS

We strongly encourage all interested families to apply between January 1 - February 28, 2023. After the February deadline, please visit our website (<a href="www.duvalschools.org/schoolchoice">www.duvalschools.org/schoolchoice</a>) for additional information about Controlled Open Enrollment.

#### **ADDITIONAL RESOURCES**

**Individual Duval County Public Schools:** Search each school's website for information pertaining to school tours and other recruitment events.

#### **School Choice Website:**

Search www.duvalschools.org/schoolchoice to find information, including forms, updates and important facts.

#### **School Choice Office:**

TEAM Center B 4037 Boulevard Center Drive 1st Floor Jacksonville, FL 32207 **Office:** (904) 390-2082

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#### **IMPORTANT DATES**

#### **ONLINE APPLICATION AVAILABLE**

January 1 - February 28 Applications are available in Parent/Guardian Account.

#### **SCHOOL SHOWCASE SATURDAY**

Saturday, January 7, 2023 9 a.m. - 2 p.m.

All schools will be open for for tours and application information.

#### PARENT INFORMATION SESSIONS

Join the School Choice Staff online for an overview of the lottery process.

Q&A sessions to follow.

All sessions are scheduled for 6 - 7 p.m.

Thursday, January 19, 2023

Thursday, January 26, 2023

Thursday, February 2, 2023 (Spanish)

Thursday, February 23, 2023

www.duvalschools.org/enroll

#### **ONLINE APPLICATION DEADLINE**

Tuesday, February 28

Applications must be entered online before midnight Online access will close at 11:59 pm

#### **FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL**

Monday, August 14, 2023

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