SCHOOL SELECTION PROCESS
2017-2018 SCHOOL YEAR
OVERVIEW

SRC Public Action Meeting
September 14, 2017
SCHOOL SELECTION OVERVIEW

- The School Selection Process is a K-12 process; any child can apply
- This is the 4th year for parents of SDP student and external students to apply online
- Each year we have seen an increase in the number of total selections and submitted applications

- **2014:** 16,017 Submitted Applications, 64,234 Total Selections
- **2015:** 17,786 Submitted Applications, 70,992 Total Selections
- **2016:** 18,665 Submitted Applications, 75,658 Total Selections
- Students, Parents/Guardians, and School Counselors can all apply on behalf of a student to ensure the broadest reach
IMPORTANT DATES:

- The High School Fair will take place Friday Sept 15th – Saturday Sept 16th at the Pennsylvania Convention Center

- Applications for the School Selection Process will be accepted from September 29th – November 13th at 5:00 PM

- Application review period November 20th, 2017 – January 8th, 2018

- Final Notifications sent to students on March 2nd
ADDED FEATURES TO THE PROCESS

Internal and External Families will now have the opportunity to upload the supporting documentation rather than submit it as a paper packet.
Select Receiving Grade

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Select School(s)
IN ORDER OF PREFERENCE

- Academy At Palumbo
- Arts Acad @ Rush-Vocal Music
- Bodine, William W. High School

Required Documents

The following documents are required to submit your application. You may opt out of submitting the documents electronically below. Current pre-K to 3rd graders are not required to upload documents and should opt out of submitting the documents electronically below.

**Academy At Palumbo**

Writing Sample (One page typed answering the questions):
1. What does it mean to be a part of a school community?
2. What do I do when I experience conflict?
3. Why do I want to be a part of the Academy at Palumbo’s school community?

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**Bodine, William W. High School**

2. letters of reference from current school personnel.

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Submit New Application  Main Menu
Required Documents

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Report Cards* BROWSE... NO FILE SELECTED.

Student Data Transcript* BROWSE... NO FILE SELECTED.

Standardized Test Scores* BROWSE... NO FILE SELECTED.

Behavior Records* BROWSE... NO FILE SELECTED.

Attendance Records* BROWSE... NO FILE SELECTED.

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2 letters of reference from current school personnel.

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Central High School

One page written or typed answering the questions:
1. Who am I?
2. What do I hope to accomplish in High School?
3. What can I contribute to my High School?

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Hand Deliver Required Documents

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SCHOOL DISTRICT OF PHILADELPHIA
School District of Philadelphia K - 12 School Selection Application

Welcome to the School Selection online application. Click here to visit the 2017 - 18 school year School Selection Process information page; where you'll find exciting and useful information about the process, our schools, upcoming events and helpful resources. Prior to completing this application, you should research each school option and discuss the various schools’ programs with your child.

Students and families who wish to attend a school that is not their neighborhood school in the 2017 - 18 school year should participate in the School Selection Process.

Do you currently attend a School District of Philadelphia School? Yes ☐ No ☒

Verify Email Address

Provide and verify an email address to be associated with the school selection application. Once submitted you will receive an email with instructions on completing the application.

Email address of: Parent/Guardian ☐ Counselor/School Staff ○

Parent/Guardian E-mail* Confirm E-mail*
QUESTIONS?
SCHOOLSELECT@PHILASD.ORG
OR
215-400-4290