

A Message for Our Parents & Guardians  
December 2023

## PARENT ACADEMY

Register for Courses to Receive a Link to Parent Academy events -  
[www.duvalschools.org/ParentAcademy](http://www.duvalschools.org/ParentAcademy)



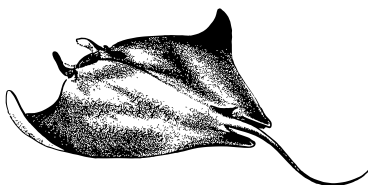
Dec. 5th, 12th, and 19th @ 6 p.m.  
Parent Academy: Countdown to the Lottery  
- Magnet Theme Specific Conversations

Dec. 6th @ noon  
Parent Academy: Countdown to the Lottery

Looking Ahead - January & February  
Parent Academy Courses  
School Choice: The Lottery Process

## School Choice Application FAQ

- The on-time application window for the 2024 - 2025 school year opens January 1st and closes February 29th.
- We encourage families to apply during the on-time application window when seat availability is the greatest.
- Applications will be available in your parent/guardian Focus account.
- Students currently in K-4 who would like to **remain** at their magnet or special transfer option assignment do not need to reapply.



2024 - 2025

January 1 - February 29

Magnet and Special Transfer Applications available in FOCUS

Scan Me or Click on the text to receive School Choice email reminders!



## SCHOOL CHOICE

IN THE COMMUNITY

COME SEE US IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS!

Saturday, December 2nd  
10 a.m. - 3 p.m.  
Riverside Arts Market  
Under the Fuller Warren Bridge



Wednesday, December 6th  
5 - 9 p.m.  
First Wednesday Art Walk  
James Weldon Johnson Park



(904)390-2082 OR [school\\_choice@duvalschools.org](mailto:school_choice@duvalschools.org)

## School Showcase

Saturday

January 27th

Middle & High Schools

February 3rd

Elementary Schools

Four School Tour Opportunities

9 a.m. 10:45 a.m.  
12:30 p.m. 2 p.m.

- Does your student already attend Mayport Elementary, but not as a magnet student?
- Students in grades K-4 can apply to be magnetized during the lottery January 1st - February 29th.
- Being magnetized at Mayport Elementary will give students the program continuity priority to Mayport Middle School, Darnell-Cookman, and Springfield Middle School.