

Application Instructions

Please read carefully before completing your application

Eligibility: Students must be born in 2007 and reside in New York City at the time of application submission to be eligible for the District 25 lottery application process for the 2012-13 school year.

Admissions Priorities: Applicants will be admitted according to the following order of priority:

1. District 25 students who have a verified sibling* at one of the schools listed on the application will receive priority to the sibling's school
2. Non-District 25 students who have a verified sibling* at one of the schools listed on the application will receive priority to the sibling's school
3. All other District 25 students
4. District 26 students applying to P.S. 130 The Early Childhood School for Science and Technology will receive priority to this school
5. All other Non-District 25 students

*All listed siblings are verified by the receiving school. For an applicant to qualify for sibling priority, the sibling must be currently enrolled in grades K - 2 at the school at the time of application submission.

If there are more applicants within a priority group than available seats, seats will be offered through a random lottery.

Waitlists: If a child is offered a seat at one of their ranked schools on the application, the placement process is considered complete and the student will not be placed on a waitlist. If an applicant is not offered a seat at any of the schools to which he/she applied, the applicant will be assigned to the waitlist at his/her first choice school. Children will be offered seats in waitlist order as seats become available due to attrition. Waitlist order will be determined by a student's priority group and randomly assigned number.

Applicants are not guaranteed a placement at one of their requested schools. Students applying through this process are also encouraged to apply directly to their zoned school.

Submitting Your Application: Completed applications must be submitted in person no later than Friday, March 2, 2012 to one of the three schools listed below or to the Queens Borough Enrollment Office, located at 30-48 Linden Place 2nd Floor, Flushing, NY 11354 (open: 8:00 AM – 3:00 PM, Monday through Friday).

D25 Kindergarten Lottery Schools

P.S. 130 The Early Childhood School for Science and Technology 200-01 42 Avenue, Bayside, NY 11361; 718-357-6606

Open House: Tuesday, January 31, 2012, 9:00 – 10:00 AM and 6:30 – 7:30 PM

P.S. 130, the first early childhood school in District 25, is the recipient of the 2011 National Blue Ribbon School Award. Our NYCDOE Progress Report grade of "A" reflects our consistent pattern of success on New York State tests and as a collaborative learning community. In addition to the core curriculum, our specialty programs include Expressive Arts, Movement and Instructional Technology for all students, as well as a partnership with Lincoln Center. After-school programs include Best Prep Academy and foreign language. There are opportunities for parent partnership during and after the school day.

Website: www.ps130q.org

P.S. 242 Leonard P. Stavisky Early Childhood School 29-66 137 Street, Flushing, NY 11354; 718-445-2902

Open House: Thursday, January 26, 2012, 9:00 – 10:00 AM and 6:30 – 7:30 PM

Our rich and rigorous curriculum and expert teaching staff ensure that all students reach high levels of performance in literacy, math, science, technology, ESL, physical education, and the arts. A warm, safe, family-like environment and active parent involvement ensure that students develop confidence, character, and strong social skills. State-of-the-art technology and strong collaboration with *Columbia University Teachers College Reading and Writing Project* and *Young Audiences of New York* engage students' intellectual and artistic creativity and self-expression. Early drop-off is offered and afternoon programs provide homework help, academic support, Taekwondo, and the arts.

Website: www.PS242queens.com

P.S. 244 The Active Learning Elementary School (TALES) 137-20 Franklin Avenue, Flushing, NY 11355; 718-445-5730

Open House: Monday, January 30, 2012, 9:00 – 10:00 AM and 6:30 – 7:30 PM

The mission of the Active Learning Elementary School (TALES), a PK-3 school, is to foster academic excellence in a safe and caring learning environment, through a partnership of family, staff and community. TALES strives to meet children's academic, physical, and social needs with a belief in educating the whole child. With our rigorous academic curriculum, emphasis on social development, and a focus on health and nutrition, students will receive the foundations necessary to excel academically and lead healthy, productive lives.

Website: www.tales-nyc.org or e-mail: talesnyc.info@gmail.com

Submit this completed application *in person* no later than **Friday, March 2, 2012** to any of the three schools listed on this application or the Queens Borough Enrollment Office at 30-48 Linden Place 2nd Floor, Flushing, NY 11354. Be sure to keep your receipt.

SECTION A: STUDENT INFORMATION – Please print clearly in ink

Student First Name	Student Last Name	Date of Birth (MM/DD/YY) / / 2007	Gender (optional) <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female
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Student Address (House #, Street, Apt. #, City, State and Zip Code)	Student ID# (If any)
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Parent/Guardian First Name	Parent/Guardian Last Name	Relationship to Student
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Daytime Phone Number	Cell Phone Number	Parent E-mail Address
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Student Current School	<input type="checkbox"/> Public School Student	<input type="checkbox"/> Private/Parochial School Student
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Sibling Information: **Complete only if your child has a sibling currently enrolled in grades K – 2 in one of the schools to which you are applying.**

Sibling Name	Sibling Date of Birth (MM/DD/YY)	Sibling Student ID
Sibling Current Grade	Sibling School Name	

SECTION B: SCHOOL CHOICES – Please read instructions carefully

Below are the choices for District 25 Kindergarten Lottery Schools. Be sure to only rank schools which you are interested in having your child attend in September 2012. Place a number in the box next to each school to represent your choices, in order of your preference. For example, by writing "1" next to a school name, you indicate that this is your first choice. By listing "2," you indicate that this is your second choice, and so on. Refer to the "Application Instructions" on the previous page for more detailed information.

If you are applying for twins or other multiples, you must complete an application for each child. They will be placed together if you list the same schools in the same order on their applications. Twins and other multiples do not confer sibling priority to one another.

Priority Order	School Name
	Q130 – P.S. 130 The Early Childhood School for Science and Technology
	Q242 – P.S. 242 Leonard P. Stavisky Early Childhood School
	Q244 – P.S. 244 The Active Learning Elementary School (TALES)

SECTION C: PARENT/GUARDIAN NAME & SIGNATURE

I understand that space is limited and that this application does not guarantee my child placement in any of the schools on this application. I understand that once I accept placement at any of these schools, my eligibility to enroll at either of the other schools on this application is terminated.

Busing will be provided to those who are eligible. For more information on transportation eligibility, please visit www.nyc.gov/schools/offices/transportation.

I have read and understand the above application instructions. By signing this form, I certify that I am the parent/guardian of the applicant, that the applicant and I live at the address listed above and that I am authorized to submit this application on behalf of the applicant.

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

For office use only.

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