



SMYRNA SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Deborah Judy, Superintendent

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Dear Smyrna Families,

The Smyrna School District participates in the statewide School Choice Program based on available seating capacity. Enrollment criteria and application timelines are governed by state law and district policy. The School Choice enrollment window runs from November 3, 2025 to January 14, 2026.

This year, Smyrna has moved to a digital School Choice portal, accessible at www.schoolchoiceDE.org. You can locate the portal and additional information about the program on our website linked [here](#).

All choice applications must be entered into the portal. If families need assistance, please contact Central Office at 302-653-8585. Please note: All new students applying for choice must first be registered with their assigned feeder schools, according to their address. If your student is not registered with a Delaware public school, you must contact your assigned feeder school to pre-register. Students who are already attending Smyrna School District schools through School Choice do not need to register with their feeder school.

Please review the new grade configurations for [2026-27](#). Any student moving to a different building will require a new choice application. Students remaining in the same school for the 2026-27 school year do not need to reapply. *Programming note: The Spanish Immersion pathway will continue from North Smyrna Elementary to John Bassett Moore to Smyrna Middle School to Smyrna High School.*

Good cause applications will be accepted after the January 14 deadline in the online application portal. To submit a Good Cause application, families must provide a written explanation detailing the reason for the request and the reason for missing the deadline. This may include circumstances such as a change of address during the 2025-26 school year.

Thank you for your continued partnership and support. We remain committed to providing clear guidance and assistance through the School Choice process.

Sincerely,

Superintendent

The Smyrna School District is an equal opportunity employer and does not discriminate against employees, applicants, visitors, or others, and does not deny access to educational or other services, based on any characteristic prohibited by law. Inquiries should be directed to the District Superintendent.