



## IMPORTANT THINGS TO KNOW Non Resident School of Choice – 2020-2021 School Year

### Application Procedures:

1. Applications are being accepted for a limited number of non-resident Schools of Choice students for enrollment in the Avondale School District for the 2020-2021 school year. The availability is determined by the Avondale School District.
2. The Avondale School District application period is May 27<sup>th</sup> – June 26<sup>th</sup>. If the number of applications received exceeds the number of spaces available, a lottery will be held on Tuesday, June 30, 2020 at 3:15 p.m. as specified by state law. All applicants will be notified of their enrollment status the week of July 1, 2020 via phone or email.
3. If your student's name is not drawn in the lottery, we will maintain your student's name on a waiting list and notify you before the end of the first week of school if a seat becomes available.
4. If the applicant is notified of their application acceptance, the required enrollment packet shall be submitted to the Enrollment office no later than July 17, 2020. Failure to do so will result in the loss of your seat within the district.
5. All applications will be screened for accurate information. This may involve contacting your child's former school district. ***Please note that all School of Choice enrollments are contingent upon receipt and review of the applicant's prior discipline records.***
6. Once enrolled through Schools of Choice, students may remain in Avondale School District until graduation if the student complies with all guidelines for Schools of Choice.
7. Siblings of Schools of Choice students will be given preference for enrollment into Avondale's general education program as long as they reside in Oakland County.

**Attendance:** Schools of Choice students are expected to arrive prior to the first bell and depart from school at the end of the school day. Students who are excessively absent or tardy are subject to the same rules and procedures as resident students. ***To ensure the safety of our students, it is expected that parents will pick students up on time at the end of the school day as well as when they are attending afterschool clubs, activities, or athletics.***

**Code of Conduct:** All *Student Code of Conduct* rules, procedures, and policies apply to all students who enter Avondale School District under the Schools of Choice guidelines and procedures.

**Redistricting:** If the need arises to change the boundaries of any school for the purpose of redistricting students, those students who registered as Schools of Choice students could be asked to transfer to another school in the Avondale School District.

**Transportation:** Transportation is the responsibility of the parents.

**Avondale High School:** Enrollment questions regarding Pathways, IT Program and HS Early College can be directed to Kim Olszak at [kim.olszak@avondaleschools.org](mailto:kim.olszak@avondaleschools.org) or 248-537-6120.

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