

Enrollment

The following questions are helpful conversation starters when considering enrollment.

Ask yourself

- Do I know my in-boundary school? Have I registered for my in-boundary school?
- Do I plan on remaining at my in-boundary school?
- Have I visited MySchoolDC.org? Have I created an account?
- Do I know the timeline for the common lottery for DC public schools? Have I applied for the lottery?
- What is important for me in a school? (location, special programs, before/aftercare, uniforms, international baccalaureate, dual language immersion)
- Is there anything about the enrollment process that I do not understand?
- What am I not asking that I should be?

Ask your teacher

- Are you a DCPS school or a charter school?
- Do you offer preferences for enrollment? If so, what are they?
- Is your information on MySchoolDC.org accurate/up-to-date?
- Do you participate in the lottery? If not, how do I apply?
- May I access your student handbook online? May I sit down with someone to discuss it before I register my student?
- Do you have an open house for potential families? Are there additional ways for me to see the staff and review the curriculum?
- What am I not asking that I should be?

For more information about schools/enrollment, visit <https://myschooldc.org>.
For information about out-of-school time opportunities, visit <https://learn24.dc.gov>.