



Berkley Public Schools

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THOMAS J. LYNCH
Superintendent of Schools

April 13, 2021

Dear Parent/Guardian:

Berkley Public Schools is accepting requests for participation in School Choice for the 2021/2022 school year. The number of available seats per grade / per school determines the number of openings; therefore, the numbers vary. For the 2021/22 school year, choice openings are in Kindergarten, Grade 1, Grade 3, Grade 4, Grade 6, and Grade 7.

The selection of non-resident students for admission to the Berkley Public Schools Choice Program is in the form of a random drawing, if the number of requests exceed the number of available openings. There will be two drawings for this purpose. The first drawing will take place no later than July 1st. If seats are still available, a second drawing will take place mid-August.

To be considered for the Choice Program, a Choice Application must be completed and returned by **1 PM on Monday, June 7, 2021**. Completed applications may be sent via US mail to Berkley Public Schools, Office of the Supt. of Schools, 21 North Main Street, Berkley, MA 02779 or via e/mail to: tsilvia@berkleypublicschools.org

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Thomas J. Lynch". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, prominent "L" and "Y".

Thomas J. Lynch
Superintendent of Schools

Berkley Public Schools

SCHOOL CHOICE (Non-Resident) APPLICATION FORM, 2021/2022

(Kindergarten, Grade 1, Grade 3, Grade 4, Grade 6, Grade 7)

This form is to be completed by individuals seeking to gain acceptance in the Berkley Public Schools under the State's School Choice Program [M.G.L. 76.12]. Residence must be in MA. School Choice enrollment in the Berkley Public Schools is governed on a space-available basis, with such space availability being determined in accordance with the Berkley School Committee policy. Please print legibly.

SCHOOL & GRADE TO WHICH APPLICATION IS BEING MADE:

_____ Elementary (K-Gr. 4)

_____ Middle School (Gr. 5-8)

GRADE: _____ STUDENT'S NAME: _____
Last Name First Name M.I.

STUDENT'S ADDRESS: _____ TOWN: _____ ZIP: _____
Number Street Apt.#

PHONE #: _____ *DATE OF BIRTH: _____
Area Code Number Month Day Year

REQUESTED EFFECTIVE DATE: _____ *NOTE: Birth Certificates MUST accompany all Kindergarten and Grade 1 applications.

PARENT/GUARDIAN NAME: _____ Name of sibling attending BPS (if applicable): _____

Parent's E/mail: _____

This application must be completed, signed and returned to the BPS Superintendent's Office, 21 North Main Street, Berkley, MA 02779 by **1 PM on Monday, June 7, 2021** in order to be included in the random drawing to be held no later than July 1st. Unsuccessful applicants and/or applications submitted after the deadline will be retained until the second drawing is held in August, should space be available.

Parent's/Guardian's Signature _____ Date _____

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DATE RECEIVED: _____ RECEIVED BY: _____

STATUS: _____ ACCEPTED _____ WAIT LIST _____