



Discovery Woods

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APPLICATION FOR STUDENT ENROLLMENT 2024/2025

Accepting applications beginning January 22nd, 2024

Use a separate application for each child

All applications for the lottery draw must be submitted by Tuesday, February 6th 2024

Discovery Woods is a tuition-free public charter school. It is open to any and all students, and does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, creed, national origin, sex, or disability.

2024/2025

Grade Applying

for: **Pre-K**☐ **K**☐ **1**☐ **2**☐ **3**☐ **4**☐ **5**☐ **6**☐ **Date:** _____

STUDENT AND PARENT DATA

Student

Last Name: _____ Student First Name: _____

Student Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Parent 1 Work or Telephone: Home: _____ Cell: _____

Parent 1 Name: _____ Parent 1 Address: _____

Parent 2 Name: _____ Parent 2 Address: _____

SIBLING DATA

Sibling(s) applying for 2024/25:

1. Name: _____ Grade 2024/25: _____

2. Name: _____ Grade 2024/25: _____

3. Name: _____ Grade 2024/25: _____

READ CAREFULLY BEFORE SIGNING

Admission into Discovery Woods will be based solely upon the spaces available in each grade level. Once a child has been admitted, all other siblings in the family will have priority over other students applying for admission. If a greater number of applications are received by the deadline than space available, names will be drawn randomly in an admissions lottery. When a grade level has filled, the lottery will be used to place remaining students applying for that grade on a numbered waiting list.

Parent/Guardian email address: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

OFFICE USE ONLY DATE REC'D: _____ LOTTERY#: _____ WAITLIST #: _____ SIBLINGS: YES ☐ NO ☐

Discovery Woods Family - School Agreement

Discovery Woods knows that a good partnership between home and school is vitally important. Parent involvement in a child's education in and out of school greatly improves student success. Discovery Woods strives to maximize academic and emotional growth. We expect families and children to make the following commitments:

Timeliness- I will ensure my student arrives on time so that s/he can participate in all classroom activities.

Attendance- I will make every effort to ensure my student attends school except in the case of illness or pre-arranged trip/vacation. Appointments will be made outside school hours whenever possible.

Communication- I will keep open communication with teachers, administration and the school office.

Participation- I will attend all conferences and events regarding my student(s). I will attend most information sessions that are offered in order to help me understand the goals of the school and the Montessori philosophy and how I might improve the life of my child(ren).

Daily Reading- I will read to my child(ren) and listen to s/he read to me for at least 10 minutes every day because I value the importance of reading.

Skill Building- I will work with my child(ren) every week to build math, reading, spelling and vocabulary skills. I can do this by practicing counting/math facts, playing games, having meaningful conversations, taking trips to the library, museums and zoos and choosing educational TV programs and computer games.

Nutrition- I will encourage healthy eating by providing healthy snacks, drinks and lunches for my student(s). I understand the school lunches are comprised largely of fruits and vegetables and will try to incorporate these food groups in meals I send to school and provide outside of school.

Health- I will ensure my child gets the proper amount of sleep every night. (Experts recommend 10-11 hrs/night for 7-12 year-olds.) I will limit TV, video game and computer use. I will make every effort to create a stable, predictable schedule and home environment for my child(ren). I will encourage family members to eat well, get proper rest and engage in physical activity.

Outdoor Activity- I welcome the time my student will spend outside for recess, Phy-Ed and outdoor education and will make sure s/he dresses for the weather (warm clothes in winter, sunscreen on sunny days).

Environmental Awareness- I understand one of the goals of Discovery Woods is to increase environmental awareness among students and families. I will do my best to learn from school and my child(ren) to increase my appreciation for the earth and environment.

Volunteerism- I understand that I will be an important part of the Discovery Woods family. I am willing to find a way to support, serve on a committee or volunteer to help the students and the school achieve great things.

By signing here, I agree to the above commitments:

Parent Name(s): _____ Student Name: _____
Date: _____

Parent Signature(s):
