



Information Session

03/7/18

Please RSVP by email:

admissions@voicecharterschool.org

or by phone: (718) 361-1694

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2018-2019 APPLICATION FOR STUDENT ADMISSION
APPLICATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED BY 9:00 AM ON APRIL 2, 2018.

NO LATE APPLICATIONS WILL BE INCLUDED IN THE 2018 LOTTERY.

ABOUT VOICE CHARTER SCHOOL OF NEW YORK

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For the 2018-2019 academic school year, VOICE Charter School will offer Kindergarten through eighth grade. Our school is focused on academic rigor as well as an arts-infused education. Our program of performance-based instruction in choral singing guides students through the development of creative and critical thinking and learning skills that they will apply to daily living and the core academic subject areas.

The mission of VOICE Charter School is to create a safe and healthy learning environment that will nurture, motivate, and challenge all of our children to achieve the highest level of academic excellence and to develop into mindful, responsible, contributing participants in their education, their community, and the diverse society in which we live.

APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

All current students at VOICE Charter School of New York have absolute preference for the first through eighth grades; therefore there may not be any available seats.

An admission preference to VOICE Charter School is granted to applicants in the following manner: First, to applicants who are siblings of (a) students already attending VOICE or (b) applicants to VOICE who have already been accepted to VOICE through the lottery for the upcoming year; second, to children of full time VOICE employees; third, to a specified number of applicants, as determined by the board of trustees, (a) who reside in District 30 and (b) currently receive Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) benefits; fourth, to applicants residing in District 30; and fifth, to applicants who reside outside of District 30.

All applications must be completed, signed and sent to:

VOICE Charter School of New York
 36-24 12th St
 Long Island City, NY 11106
 (718) 361-1694

Students are selected through a lottery, in accordance with the New York Charter Schools Act. An electronic lottery will be held on:

Date: April 9, 2018 at 3:00 PM

Location: VOICE Charter School of NY

If your child is selected in the lottery, you will be notified and asked to return a signed acknowledgement and complete an enrollment packet. If your child is not selected in the lottery, his or her name will be placed on a wait list, according to lottery preference, in the order his or her name was drawn.

****If you have more than one child applying, then a separate application must be completed for each child.****

Please email us at admissions@voicecharterschool.org if you have any questions or concerns.

THE VOICE CHARTER SCHOOL OF NEW YORK ADMITS STUDENTS OF ANY RACE, COLOR, NATIONAL AND ETHNIC ORIGIN TO ALL THE RIGHTS, PRIVILEGES, PROGRAMS AND ACTIVITIES GENERALLY ACCORDED OR MADE AVAILABLE TO STUDENTS AT THE SCHOOL. IT DOES NOT DISCRIMINATE ON THE BASIS OF RACE, COLOR, NATIONAL AND ETHNIC ORIGIN IN ADMINISTRATION OF ITS EDUCATIONAL POLICIES, ADMISSIONS POLICIES, SCHOLARSHIP AND LOAN PROGRAMS AND ATHLETIC AND OTHER SCHOOL - ADMINISTERED PROGRAMS.

We have programs available for English Language Learners and Special Education Students. All students are welcome!

36-24 12th St. Long Island City, New York 11106
 Phone Number: 718 361-1694 Fax Number: 646 537-1703
 Email: admissions@voicecharterschool.org Webpage: www.voicecharterschool.org

2018-2019 APPLICATION FOR STUDENT ADMISSION - APPLICATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED BY 9:00 AM ON APRIL 2, 2018

* All applications must be sent to: 36-24 12th St., Long Island City, NY 11106. No email applications.

* Only students entering kindergarten, first, second, third, fourth, fifth, sixth, seventh, or eighth grade in September 2018 may apply to VOICE Charter School.

If you have more than one child applying, a separate application must be completed for each child.

* A random lottery will be held on April 9, 2018 to determine admission to the school and a waiting list will be created.

* The VOICE Charter School of New York admits students of any race, color, national and ethnic origin to all the rights, privileges, programs and activities generally accorded or made available to students at the school. It does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national and ethnic origin in administration of its educational policies, admissions policies, scholarship and loan programs and athletic and other school-administered programs.

Grade Applied For (2018-2019):

Kindergarten	1st Grade	2nd Grade	3rd Grade
4th Grade	5th Grade	6th Grade	7th Grade
		8th Grade	

Student Information

Student's First Name:

Gender: — Female — Male

Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy)

Student's Middle Name:

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Student's Last Name:

What is your child's student identification number for the New York City Public Schools? (Optional)

Parent/Guardian Contact Information

Parent/Guardian First Name:

Does applicant reside in New York City Community School District (CSD) 30?

Parent/Guardian Last Name:

Yes

Relationship to Student:

No

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Parent/Guardian Address (Including Apartment Number):

Address

Apt # City

State Zip Code

Home Phone:

Cell Phone:

Work Phone:

E-mail Address:

Please Note: Providing the following information is optional but may increase your chances of your child being admitted to VOICE Charter School.

Do you receive food stamps? If yes, then what is the:

Yes No

Food Stamp (SNAP) Case # _____

or

TANF/FDPIR Case # _____

* To be eligible for the above-mentioned preference **you must attach a copy** of the benefits letter showing the SNAP/TANF/ FDPIR number.

Current School Information

This year (2017-2018) my child is enrolled in:

Pre-Kindergarten	Kindergarten	First Grade	Second Grade	Third Grade
Fourth Grade	Fifth Grade	Sixth Grade	Seventh Grade	Other/Not Enrolled

Name of Current School:

Phone Number of Current School:

Sibling Information

Siblings are eligible for a sibling preference in the lottery. New York State law defines sibling as a brother, sister, or other child legally under your care and residing in the same household. You will need to produce proof of sibling status if your child is offered a place through sibling preference.

Does this applicant have a sibling currently attending VOICE Charter School?

Yes No

If yes, what is the name of the sibling currently attending this school?

First Name:

Last Name:

How are they related to the current student?

Brother/Stepbrother Other (please explain)
Sister/Stepsister _____

NOTE: To be eligible for the above-mentioned preference, you must attach a copy of the child's birth certificate or other document(s) proving the relationship.

Does this applicant have any siblings also applying for admission in 2018-2019?

Yes No

If yes, please write the names of all siblings applying to the school.

Sibling Full Name #1

Grade

Sibling Full Name #2

Grade

Sibling Full Name #3

Grade

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Name of person completing the application for this child to attend VOICE Charter School

Relationship to Student:

Mother/Stepmother
Father/Stepfather
Legal Guardian

I affirm that the information I have submitted above is true to the best of my knowledge. I understand that submitting this application does not guarantee admission to VOICE Charter School, but serves as entry into a lottery that will be held to select students for the 2018-2019 school year. I understand that providing fake information may make my child ineligible to be enrolled at VOICE.

I agree that the school records of the student for whom I am submitting this application may be used for studies of this charter school. In these studies, only aggregate outcomes, not individual students' scores will be reported. VOICE Charter School will not discriminate against any student, employee, or other person on the basis of national origin, ethnicity, gender, or disability or any other ground that would be unlawful if done by any other public school.

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date:

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