

**FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS
FOR MAGNET AND
SPECIAL PROGRAMS
SCHOOL YEAR 2022-2023**



Question: Where can I go to submit an application?

Answer: <https://apps3.fcps.net/SpecProgApp/>

Question: When does the window open?

Answer: The application window is open August 16 through October 7.

Question: When will program offers be sent?

Answer: Offers will go out as follows: **High School** notifications January 10th -11th;

Middle School notifications January 12th– 13th; **Elementary School** notifications January 14th.

Question: How will I receive my program offer notification?

Answer: Depending on the program, offers will go out by email or snail mail. Please make sure you check your spam, junk mail, & clutter during the week of January 10th as sometimes software will move unrecognized emails to junk mail. Be careful to check the dates that your offers should be received before reaching out to program coordinators/facilitators.

Question: When will I be contacted for Gifted and Talented Assessments?

Answer: The school level Gifted and Talented Recommendations Committee will review all students in their school and make recommendations on possible assessments. The GT resource teacher will notify parents/guardians via email provided in Infinite Campus, to seek permission to assess. Testing will be conducted in the fall of each school year for possible gifted and talented program placement.

Question: How much time do I have to accept or decline my offer?

Answer: In most cases, each applicant is given seven days to respond to an offer. Keep in mind there are hundreds of people wanting a spot in a program. In order to keep the process fair, a decision must be made within the timeframe stated on your offer letter.

Question: Who should I contact if I did not get an offer through snail mail or email on the specified notification date?

Answer: Please email special.programs@fayette.kyschools.us and someone from the Magnet and Special Programs team will research your issue and get back with you within 24 hours.

Question: Will I receive a notification if my application was declined?

Answer: Yes. There are three notification categories: Accepted, Waitlisted, Declined. Regardless of your status, you should receive notification of your application status.

Question: I am required to complete additional steps in the process, who do I contact?

Answer: Each program has different requirements. When you submitted your initial application, you should have received a confirmation email indicating next steps in the process. A facilitator from the program will be in contact with you should they need additional information. If you are required to complete additional steps, it could take a few weeks to hear from the program facilitator.

Question: Who should I contact to find out where my student(s) are on the waiting list?

Answer: Waitlisted applicants will be contacted according to space availability. If someone declines an offer, or is “no show” of an accepted offer, the next applicant on the waitlist will receive an offer. We will continue in order listed from the waitlist until spots are filled.

We wish your student the best during this offer season!

Magnet and Special Programs

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