

**Are there Schools of Choice openings for the current school year (2009-2010)?**

Thank you for your interest in the Allen Park Public Schools. The Schools of Choice application period for the 2009-2010 has ended and the District is not accepting any other out-of-district students for the current year. At this point in time, the Allen Park Public Schools will only register those students who reside within the boundaries of the Allen Park Public School District.

**Is there a waiting list for next year?** No, there is not a waiting list for Schools of Choice. The District follows the guidelines set forth by the State of Michigan. If Schools of Choice is offered, individuals must apply on a yearly basis.

**Will Schools of Choice be offered for next school year (2010-2011)?** Normally, the Allen Park Board of Education makes a decision regarding Schools of Choice on a yearly basis in the spring of each year. We are not certain at this time whether Schools of Choice will be offered for the 2010-2011 school year; or if it is offered, what grade levels will be open. Please return to our Web site for an update at the end of March 2010, and we will inform you of the status for the 2010-11 (upcoming) school year. If we do offer Schools of Choice, we will inform you of the grade levels and available openings at each grade level. There is an application period and a procedure to be followed. If we receive more applications than openings available for any given grade level, the students are selected through a random drawing. It is not based on a first come, first served basis. We do follow the guidelines as established by the state.

**What if I have further questions?** If you have further questions, please contact the child accounting office at (313) 827-2105. Again, thank you for your interest.