



Highlights March 16, 2012 Assignment Run 2012-2013 School Year

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APPLICATIONS

- We received 4,799 **kindergarten** applications compared to 4,931 last year. This year the State's eligibility age for kindergarten moved back a month from a December 1 cut off to a November 1 cut off, resulting in an estimated 400 fewer applicants who were eligible to begin traditional kindergarten. Factoring in this change, the upward trend of applicants for kindergarten has continued.
- We received 3,252 **6th grade** applications compared to 3,131 last year. This shows a slight increase of 121 applications for 6th grade.
- We received 4,188 **9th grade** applications compared to 4,603 last year. This is consistent with the predicted decrease in high school enrollment.

K-12 Overall 13,919 applications received compared to 14,347 last year.

CHOICE

Overall (K-12), **80%** of applicants (11,139) **received one of their choices**, compared to 78% last year (11,233)

- 84% of kindergarten applicants (4,051) compared to 81% last year (4,000)
- 85% of 6th grade applicants (2,774) compared to 86% last year (2,708)
- 86% of 9th grade applicants (3,601) compared to 86% last year (3,622)

Overall (K-12), **60%** of applicants (8,395) **received their first choice**, compared to 58% last year (8,290)

- 56% of kindergarten applicants (2,668) compared to 57% last year (2,816)
- 70% of 6th grade applicants (2,269) compared to 72% last year (2,254)
- 73% of 9th grade applicants (3,040) compared to 63% last year (2,684)

Overall (K-12), **20%** of applicants (2,780) **did not receive one of their choices**, compared to 22% last year (3,114)

- 16% of kindergarten applicants (748) compared to 19% last year (931)
- 15% of 6th grade applicants (478) compared to 14% last year (423)
- 14% of 9th grade applicants (587) compared to 14% last year (587)



DEMAND

The demand for seats far exceeds the capacity at some of our schools. Examples of how this demand impacts assignments are illustrated in the tables below.

Most Requested: 9th Grade

SCHOOL	Grade	Program	Capacity	# of Siblings	Openings for Non-Siblings	Total Requests	# Applicants per Seat
LINCOLN HS	09	GE	470	63	407	2744	7
WASHINGTON HS	09	GE	500	72	428	2452	6
BALBOA HS	09	GE	300	45	255	1734	7
LOWELL HS	09	GE	665	N/A	N/A	1713	3
GALILEO HS	09	GE	460	54	406	1645	4

Most Requested: 6th Grade

SCHOOL	Grade	Program	Capacity	# of Siblings	Openings for Non-Siblings	Total Requests	# Applicants per Seat
GIANNINI	06	GE	380	62	318	1189	4
PRESIDIO	06	GE	352	44	308	1162	4
APTOS	06	GE	368	39	329	1115	3
HOOVER	06	GE	259	26	233	1006	4
ROOSEVELT	06	GE	240	19	221	826	4

Most Requested: Kindergarten

SCHOOL	Grade	Program	Capacity	# of Siblings	Openings for Non-Siblings	Total Requests	# Applicants per Seat
CLARENDON	K	GE	44	22	22	1202	55
ROOFTOP	K	GE	66	30	36	1105	31
WEST PORTAL	K	GE	66	22	44	943	21
LAWTON	K	GE	66	23	43	864	20
GRATTAN	K	GE	66	30	36	804	22
LILIENTHAL	K	GE	66	35	31	773	25
ALICE FONG YU	K	CN	66	27	39	728	19
SUNSET	K	GE	66	20	46	666	14
MIRALOMA	K	GE	60	18	42	661	16
JEFFERSON	K	GE	88	27	61	614	10
FEINSTEIN	K	GE	88	33	55	610	11
SHERMAN	K	GE	66	15	51	581	11
CLARENDON	K	JBBP	44	29	15	564	38
ALAMO	K	GE	88	29	59	558	9
ARGONNE	K	GE	66	16	50	542	11