



Brevard Public Schools

School Choice Timeline

Applying for the 2026-2027 School Year

Educational Location Option (ELO) and Educational Program Opportunity (EPO)

Elementary Schools, Choice Schools, Secondary Schools and Programs, (Grades K-12)

Elementary Schools: Grades K-6

Choice Schools: Freedom 7, R.L. Stevenson, South Lake, and West Melbourne Elementary (K-6 Edgewood and West Shore Jr/Sr High (7-12)

Secondary Programs: Cambridge/AICE, CTE, IB. See matrix. Grades 7-12

November 3	Renewal Applications open for ALL K-12 School Choice
Dec 1-Jan 16	New Applications for K-12 School Choice
February 23	Lottery for School Choice
February 23-27	Notification of Seat Offering or Waitlist Status
March 13	Deadline for New Applicants to Accept or Decline Offered Seat
Week of March 30-April 3	Orientation Meetings for Choice Schools

May 1	Waitlist Applications Open for K-12 School Choice

Elementary and Secondary Choice Schools/Programs ELO and EPO Continual Waitlist

Applications to join the waitlist are on a first-come, first-served basis. These applications will automatically enter the waitlist in order of receipt and completion of all required steps. There is no guarantee that capacity will be available, or that seats will be offered from the waitlist.

Students placed on the waitlist from the lottery will remain on the waitlist and will remain in order from the lottery. Tiered priority may at times cause your students' location to move up or down on the waitlist. For more information about BPS and our School Choice plan, please visit our website.

Continual Waitlist Windows (Grades K-12)

First 9 Weeks

Sept 15	Capacity by School and Grade Level Posted to Website
Sept 22-Sept 26	Notification of Seat Offering
Oct 6-10	Deadline to Accept or Decline Offered Seat (removal from waitlist)
Oct 14	Students must be in attendance at new school or the seat will be revoked

Second 9 Weeks

Dec 8	Capacity by School and Grade Level Posted to Website
Dec 15-19	Notification of Seat Offering
Dec 22-Dec26	Deadline to Accept or Decline Offered Seat (removal from waitlist)
Jan 7	Students must be in attendance at new school or the seat will be revoked

Third 9 Weeks

February 23	Capacity by School and Grade Level Posted to Website
March 3-7	Notification of Seat Offering
March 9-13	Deadline to Accept or Decline Offered Seat (removal from waitlist)
March 16	Students must be in attendance at new school or the seat will be revoked

No continual waitlist seats will be offered after the first day of the fourth 9 weeks (March 16, 2026). All students on the continual waitlist will have their seats expired.