

THE SCHOOL BOARD OF SARASOTA COUNTY, FLORIDA
EXCEPTIONAL STUDENT EDUCATION
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GIFTED MAGNET APPLICATION

Instructions: This form is for students that reside out of the county who want to apply to one of the Sarasota County School District's Gifted Magnet Programs. The parent must fill out and submit this COMPLETED application with the below required documents to the ESE liaison at the Gifted Magnet Program site of preference. **The deadline for submission of the application and all required documents below is May 7, 2021, with no exceptions.** As an out of county student, if the child meets the Gifted Magnet Program criteria, the parent is responsible for transportation. Transportation will not be provided by the district. Preference is given to Sarasota county residents first. There could be a waitlist or the possibility of a lottery if there are more students than space available.

Student Name _____ DOB _____ Grade _____

Parent/Guardian Name (Print) _____

Address _____

City _____ County _____ Zip _____

Home Phone _____ Work _____ Cell _____

Magnet school and sites are as follows: Fruitville Elementary, Toledo Blade Elementary, Venice Elementary, Booker Middle, Laurel Nokomis Middle, Sarasota Middle, Woodland Middle, and Pine View

Indicate your preference for school/site (choose one) _____

The following documents are required in order to determine if your child meets entry criteria for one of the Sarasota County Gifted Magnet Programs. A description of each of these items is on the school district gifted page. **The deadline for submission of all required documents is May 7, 2021. Incomplete application packets WILL NOT be processed.** Initial each requirement below.

_____ Proof of residency in the State of Florida

_____ Gifted EP or Gifted Eligibility document from the State of Florida or gifted plan for out-of-state

_____ Test of Individual Academic Achievement

_____ 1 year of current report card grades for English and Math

_____ Letter of recommendation from at least one core-curricula teacher

_____ Letter of recommendation from a certified school counselor

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

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