SPECIAL ADMISSION (MAGNET) PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOLS

The Philadelphia School District uses an online application, which will be available beginning October 1, and is due no later than November 13. Two helpful links will be available on the homepage of the district's website: the application itself, and the Fall High School Guide. Go to www.phila.k12.pa.us

SCHOOL	7 th GRADE	TESTING Lang Arts and Math	ATTENDANCE PUNCTUALITY BEHAVIOR	OTHER
Academy at Palumbo	A/B record	88%	Excellent	Essay
215-276-5262		Somewhat Flexible		
Bodine HS for Int'l Affairs	A/B record	80%	Excellent	Essay on why you
215-351-7332				want to attend
www.phila.k12.pa.us/schools/bodine				Bodine
Central HS	A/B record	88%	Excellent	Essay
215-276-5262		Rigid		
www.centralhigh.net				
Creative & Performing Arts (CAPA)	B average	80%	Excellent	Visit and
215-952-2462		Somewhat		Audition
www.phila.k12.pa.us/schools/capa		Flexible		
Franklin Learning Center (FLC)	B average	75%	Excellent	Interview and
215-684-5916				portfolio
www.phila.k12.pa.us/schools/flc				
Masterman HS	A/B	88%	Excellent	Essay
215-299-4661		Rigid		
www.masterman.phila.k12.pa.us/about/	A /D 1	050/	T 11	
Philadelphia HS for Girls 215-276-5258	A/B record	85%	Excellent	
www.phila.k12.pa.us/schools/girlshigh				
Saul Agricultural Sciences HS	B average	75%	Excellent	Interview and
215-487-4467	-			Summer program
www.phila.k12.pa.us/schools/saul				
Science Leadership Academy (CC)	A/B record	88%	Excellent	Interview, teacher
Science Leadership Academy(Beeber)		Flexible		rec, and presentation
215-400-4000				
www.scienceleadership.org				

Spring of 7th grade

- Remember 7th grade and 1st Quarter 8th grade attendance records are requested by the schools.
- Take the ERBs and/or another nationally-normed standardized test.
- Talk to other families going through the process.
- Call schools to see if they would offer a tour, has an open house, or a shadow day.

Fall of 8th grade

- Submit online application. You may choose up to 5 schools.
- Complete other requirements essays, interviews, auditions.
- Attend the high school fair in October.
- Visit high schools open houses, shadow days, interviews.