

# South Dade Senior High

## Magnet and Lottery Results Information

### If you were...

#### Accepted

Log into the Magnet application system via the [MDCPS Parent Portal](#) to accept placement at SOUTH DADE SENIOR HIGH.

Here is a link to a video to help with the [Magnet acceptance process](#).

**Please note** that once a school/program is selected, the other schools to which the student was accepted will be automatically declined. Once declined, a school/program will no longer be available for selection. Students will remain on the random selection list for the schools to which they are currently waitlisted.

- After accepting the seat online, you will receive an email about registration/enrollment deadlines, individual school forms, and an invitation to our Magnet Welcome and Registration Event. Please save the date, **April 11, 2026**.
- Parents must **accept by the deadline that is in the email you received from the Magnet Office**, or the seat will be forfeited and go to the next student on the waitlist.
- Parents **must fill out the Magnet Registration Packet and Parent ID Form**. These forms are all online and can be accessed using the links below.

[Magnet Packet for Current MDCPS and Charter School Students](#)

[Magnet Registration Packet for Students New to MDCPS](#)

[Parent ID Verification Form](#)

**Please know that you must accept the offer of a seat online through the portal and fill out the Magnet Registration Forms to secure the offer. If not completed by this due date, the offer will be automatically considered declined and go to the next person on the waiting list.**

## Wait-Listed

Students will be selected from the random selection waitlist as seats become available and notified electronically. Placement status is also available by logging into the Magnet Application System via the M-DCPS Parent Portal. You may only change acceptance to a preferred program if your child's status changes from Wait-Listed to Accepted. School waitlists may change daily.

## Not Accepted

Students who received a Not Eligible letter did not meet the admission criteria for your grade level. No further action is needed. You may apply again for admission for the 2027-2028 school year when the Application window opens on October 1, 2026.

If you have any questions or need more information, please contact:

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