



Application Form
2023-2024 School Year
Enrolling Grades K - 8

Student's Name _____

Grade in Fall of **2023**: _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Home Phone _____

Guardian's Name _____ Cell _____

Guardian's Name _____ Cell _____

Are any siblings **applying** for enrollment in Progeny Academy? ___ YES ___ NO

If "yes," list names and grades here:

_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

Return to:

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Date Received:

Questions? Please call:

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PROGENY ACADEMY ENROLLMENT DEADLINES/PROCESS 2023-2024

INFORMATION FOR NEW FAMILIES

If needed, a lottery will be held to fill all known open spaces for the 2023-2024 school year. Spaces will be filled by lot from all applicants in the applicant pool with a completed *Application Form* for a specific grade level. Preference will be given to siblings of current students and children of staff members. Once a student has accepted a space in the school, sibling preference applies for other siblings in that family. Students admitted to Progeny Academy will be placed in the appropriate grade based on their age and previous schooling.

STATE LAW

Progeny Academy follows Minnesota Statutes 124E.11 in its enrollment practices. The applicable text of the law is provided below.

124E.11 ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS AND ENROLLMENT.

- (a) A charter school, including its preschool or prekindergarten program established under section [124E.06, subdivision 3](#), paragraph (b), may limit admission to:
- (1) pupils within an age group or grade level;
 - (2) pupils who are eligible to participate in the graduation incentives program under section [124D.68](#); or
 - (3) residents of a specific geographic area in which the school is located when the majority of students served by the school are members of underserved populations.
- (b) A charter school, including its preschool or prekindergarten program established under section [124E.06, subdivision 3](#), paragraph (b), shall enroll an eligible pupil who submits a timely application, unless the number of applications exceeds the capacity of a program, class, grade level, or building. In this case, pupils must be accepted by lot. The charter school must develop and publish, including on its Web site, a lottery policy and process that it must use when accepting pupils by lot.
- (c) A charter school shall give enrollment preference to a sibling of an enrolled pupil and to a foster child of that pupil's parents and may give preference for enrolling children of the school's staff before accepting other pupils by lot. A charter school that is located in Duluth township in St. Louis County and admits students in kindergarten through grade 6 must give enrollment preference to students residing within a five-mile radius of the school and to the siblings of enrolled children. A charter school may give enrollment preference to children currently enrolled in the school's free preschool or prekindergarten program under section [124E.06, subdivision 3](#), paragraph (a), who are eligible to enroll in kindergarten in the next school year.
- (d) A person shall not be admitted to a charter school (1) as a kindergarten pupil, unless the pupil is at least five years of age on September 1 of the calendar year in which the school year for which the pupil seeks admission commences; or (2) as a first grade student, unless the pupil is at least six years of age on September 1 of the calendar year in which the school year for which the pupil seeks admission commences or has completed kindergarten; except that a charter school may establish and publish on its Web site a policy for admission of selected pupils at an earlier age, consistent with the enrollment process in paragraphs (b) and (c).
- (e) Except as permitted in paragraph (d), a charter school, including its preschool or prekindergarten program established under section [124E.06, subdivision 3](#), paragraph (b), may not limit admission to pupils on the basis of intellectual ability, measures of achievement or aptitude, or athletic ability and may not establish any criteria or requirements for admission that are inconsistent with this section.
- (f) The charter school shall not distribute any services or goods of value to students, parents, or guardians as an inducement, term, or condition of enrolling a student in a charter school.
- (g) Once a student is enrolled in the school, the student is considered enrolled in the school until the student formally withdraws or is expelled under the Pupil Fair Dismissal Act in sections [121A.40](#) to [121A.56](#).
- (h) A charter school with at least 90 percent of enrolled students who are eligible for special education services and have a primary disability of deaf or hard-of-hearing may enroll prekindergarten pupils with a disability under section [126C.05, subdivision 1](#), paragraph (a), and must comply with the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act under Code of Federal Regulations, title 34, section 300.324, subsection (2), clause (iv).

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