



Magnet previews and registration are right around the corner! Jonesboro Public Schools is thrilled to return to onsite preview nights with full capacity. The magnet application process will continue with a one day only preferred online format allowing parents to apply for a magnet school from the comfort of home. Mark your calendar and make plans to join us for these exciting events!

2023-2024 Preferred Online Magnet Application
March 2, 2023

This registration is for:

- Kindergarten students applying for first grade in a Magnet School.
- Any student outside of the JPS district applying to choice/legal transfer to the JPS Magnet Schools.
- Students already attending a JPS Magnet School who wish to apply for transfer to a different JPS Magnet School for the 2023-2024 school year.

JPS Magnet School Application Rules

1. Preferred online registration will go live at 7:00 AM on Thursday, March 2, 2023. Online registration will close at 7:00 PM on March 2, 2023.
2. Complete one online registration form per child.
3. Applicants should list three different choices for magnet placement.
4. No early applications will be accepted.
5. Applications submitted online on March 2, 2023 will be considered for sibling preference, space permitting. Preference may be given when a sibling is *currently attending and will still be attending* the school to which the applicant has applied. The sibling must reside in the same household to qualify. **Sibling preference is not guaranteed for submissions after March 2, 2023.**
6. **Transfer students only:** Not every grade/school will have open seats available for transfer. Submitting a transfer request will open up the current magnet school placement. List only the school(s) you are willing to attend. New to district transfers (choice/legal transfer) require additional paperwork to be submitted. ***NOTE: Transfer requests are accepted once per year during open registration. The deadline to apply for transfer between magnet schools is June 2, 2023.***
7. Applications are checked for accuracy. False information will disqualify the applicant.

Application Process

1. Participate in magnet preview nights to aid in the selection process of a magnet school (see schedule below). For complete magnet school descriptions, go to www.jonesboroschools.net and select **Our Schools**.
2. Follow the registration link on the JPS website, www.jonesboroschools.net, to complete the online magnet application on March 2, 2023. This will be the only day that the online application will be available.
3. Following online application, paper forms will be available at JPS Magnet Schools, the Kindergarten Center, and the JPS Administration Building. You may also download the registration form from the JPS website, www.jonesboroschools.net. Submit completed applications to the JPS Administration office, 2506 Southwest Square.
4. Applications will be entered on a first come; first serve basis in the order in which they are received.
5. Student placement will be determined by date and time the application is received in the JPS Administration Building.
6. Notification letters of placement will be mailed on/around May 11, 2023 to the address on file with Jonesboro Public Schools.
7. If the student does not receive placement in his/her first choice magnet school, the parent may call the magnet office at 933-5800 ext.12253 to request the student be placed on the waiting list. First day of enrollment participants are automatically placed on the waiting list if the first choice school is over enrolled.

2023 Magnet School Preview Nights

Previews begin promptly at 6:00 PM

February 7 th	Math & Science	213 E. Thomas Green Rd.
February 9 th	Visual & Performing Arts	1804 Hillcrest Dr.
February 16 th	MicroSociety	1110 W. Washington Ave.
February 21 st	Health Wellness & Env. Studies	1001 Rosemond Ave.
February 23 rd	International Studies	1218 Cobb St.
March 2 nd	Preferred Magnet Registration	ONLINE ONLY

A Preview Night is an opportunity to tour the school, meet the principal, teachers and staff as well as experience the “theme” of the school.

Stay tuned for updated preview night information on the JPS website, www.jonesboroschools.net.

Please refer questions to Andrea McKinney, Magnet Coordinator, at 870-933-5800, 12253 or andrea.mckinney@jonesboroschools.net.