

YOUR seat school choice

**ST. JOHNS COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS,
THE NUMBER ONE CHOICE!**



Application Window 1 November 3-21, 2025

Families can apply for open seats at schools outside their zoned area based on availability. This flexible option gives every student the chance to find the right fit in St. Johns County's #1-rated public schools.

Lottery and Notification: December 1 – 5, 2025

Start Date: January 5, 2026

Schools with availability

- John A. Crookshank ES
- Cunningham Creek ES
- W.D. Hartley ES
- Hickory Creek ES
- Julington Creek ES
- Ketterlinus ES
- Otis A. Mason ES
- Ocean Palms ES
- Osceola ES
- Palencia ES
- PVPV/Rawlings ES
- Timberlin Creek ES
- James A. Webster ES
- Freedom Crossing A
- RJ Murray MS
- Sebastian MS



Your Seat

Find the right seat for your family

- Apply for an open seat at a school outside your zone.
- Seats are assigned through a lottery after the application window closes.
- In-county residents are prioritized; out-of-county families considered if seats remain.
- Students with IEPs may not be eligible if services aren't available at the requested school.
- Transportation is not provided.



Your School

Choose the school that's right for your child

- Flexible Options: Select a school near home, work, or childcare.
- Various Opportunities: Explore programs and activities that best fit your child.
- Long-Term Placement: Students may stay through the highest grade level if attendance and behavior remain in good standing.



Your Choice

Empowering families with options

- Families are notified by email during the week of December 1 and must respond within five workdays.
- Only one school seat can be accepted per student.
- Priority is given to:
 - Students of active-duty military
 - Students impacted by foster care or custody changes
 - Siblings of current students



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