



## University Prep Science and Math Middle School 2008-2009 Enrollment Guidelines

A public lottery for Grades 6-7 for University Prep Science and Math Middle School will be held at the Detroit Science Center on March 7<sup>th</sup> at 7:00pm to assign seats to new students and to assign the order of the waitlist for any new seats that become available. Priority for admission will be granted in the order detailed below. **Open Enrollment for the 2008-2009 school year is from January 8 to February 8, 2008.**

The priorities for admissions will be conducted in the following order:

### **Priority 1: Siblings of Newly Accepted Students**

Siblings of newly accepted students (students who are accepted for enrollment for the 2008-2009 school year) are given 1<sup>st</sup> Priority based on the number they receive in the lottery as long as they submitted an application during the open enrollment period from January 8 to February 8, 2008.

**NOTE: Any Priority 1 sibling that DOES NOT submit an application during open enrollment will NOT be given sibling preference.**

### **Priority 2: New Applicants with No Siblings at UPSM**

Students who apply during open enrollment but do not win a seat in the lottery and who do not have a sibling at UPSM will be placed on the waitlist based on the number they received in the lottery.

### **Priority 3: Applicants Applying After Open Enrollment**

Students who apply after open enrollment (all applications received after February 8<sup>th</sup>) will be placed on the waitlist behind the Priority 1 and 2 applicants based on the date and time their application is received. **This includes siblings that submit applications after February 8<sup>th</sup>.**

## **Sibling Determination**

Siblings who receive preference include:

- a. Full siblings (children who share the same mother and father) regardless of whether the full siblings live in the same household.
- b. Step-siblings/half-siblings who live in the same household\*. Step-siblings and half-siblings who **DO NOT** live in the same household **DO NOT** receive the preference.

\*They must live in the same household at the time they apply. If the student moves in with their sibling they need to reapply at that time and the old application is deleted. The parent may be asked to supply some sort of proof of residence for the student.