

# 2025-26 Schools of Choice Application For students in grades K – 10

Applications will be accepted March 13, 2025 through August 28, 2025. Applications must be submitted in person at any ECS school or the Administrative Center. Approved applicants must complete registration by September 5, 2025. See SOC Guidelines on reverse.

Student Name:			
Date of Birth:	Current Grade:		
Parent/Guardian Name:			
Address:	City:		Zip Code:
Home Phone:	Cell Phone:	Work Pho	ne:
Student's Current School:		District:	
Address of School:		Telephone:	
Public School district of residence,	, if different from above:		
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## 2025-26 SCHOOLS OF CHOICE GUIDELINES FOR STUDENTS IN GRADES K-10

- 1. Applications for Schools of Choice will be accepted from through September 6, 2024, at any Eastpointe Community School or the Administrative Center.
- 2. Unlimited applications are being accepted for students in grades K-5 at Crescentwood, Bellview, Pleasantview, and Forest Park, grades 6-7 at Eastpointe Middle School, grade 8 at the 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Academy, and grades 9-10 at Eastpointe High School.
- 3. The buildings available for Schools of Choice students and the number of spaces in each building will be determined by Eastpointe Community Schools. Applicants entering grades K-5 are asked to rank their school preferences. Placement decisions are based on various factors, including school capacity and student needs.
- 4. All applications will be screened for accurate information. This may involve contacting the former school district.
- 5. You will be given the status of your application at the time it is submitted based on the information provided.
- 6. Your acceptance is conditional until Eastpointe Community Schools receives and reviews all school reports.
- 7. Eastpointe Community Schools' registration process for students accepted through Schools of Choice **must be completed by September 5, 2025**. If students are not registered by that date, Eastpointe Community Schools will assume that the application for Schools of Choice has been withdrawn.
- 8. If your child is **currently** eligible for special education programs and services and you reside <u>outside of Macomb County</u>, please be aware that Eastpointe Community Schools is required by state law to obtain a cooperative agreement regarding reimbursement for special education costs from your resident district before we can register your child in our school district. (MCL § 388.1705c(19)).
- 9. Once registered, students may remain in Eastpointe Community Schools until graduation if the student complies with all guidelines for Schools of Choice and the Eastpointe Community Schools' Student Code of Conduct.

## **Discipline Criteria for Schools of Choice Applicants**

Applications will not be accepted from students who do not meet the following discipline criteria:

Schools of Choice applicants may not have been suspended OR expelled from any school during the previous two school years (2023-24 and 2024-25).

#### **Attendance**

Transportation is not provided for Schools of Choice students. Students are expected to arrive and depart school on time, in accordance with the Eastpointe Community Schools' Attendance Policy and Student Code of Conduct. It is expected that parents will pick up students on time when they are attending an after school or evening event.

### **Student Code of Conduct**

All Student Code of Conduct rules, procedures, and policies will apply to all students who enter Eastpointe Community Schools under Schools of Choice.