Enroll

Thank you for your interest in enrolling your child at KIPP Chicago Schools!

Click here to complete an application for the 2015-2016 school year.

If you have received notification of acceptance, you can begin the online enrollment process here.

For information about our schools, please click on the following links:

KIPP Ascend Primary
KIPP Ascend Middle
KIPP Bloom Middle
KIPP Create Middle

KIPP Chicago Schools are public schools open to all Chicago students. We serve special education students, English Language Learners, talented and gifted students, and everyone else who applies. The only information needed to apply to KIPP Chicago Schools is a student's name, residency in Chicago, and contact information. No test scores, grades, recommendations, or behavioral history will be taken into consideration.
Collaboration with families is essential to our students' success – it's woven into the DNA of everything we do. Through phone calls, emails, home visits, and parent-teacher conferences, KIPP schools regularly communicate with parents about their child's academic development. Families are asked regularly to review student work and progress.

At KIPP schools:
- Parents are encouraged to be involved and to contribute;
- Teachers have the freedom to innovate and never give up on a child;
- Students work hard and come to school ready to learn.

We help students learn by:
- Creating a safe and structured learning environment;
- Setting clear expectations by requiring that parents, teachers, and students all sign a Commitment to Excellence form;
- Extending the school day, week and year;
- Offering extracurricular activities;
- Organizing exciting end-of-year learning trips;
- Having teachers available by cell phone after school for homework help;
- Holding students accountable for behavior as well as academic success.

About our enrollment:
KIPP schools are tuition-free, open-enrollment public schools. Students are accepted regardless of background or academic record on a first-come, first-served basis. If more students apply than spaces are available, students are admitted by lottery.

To enroll your child in a KIPP school, please contact the school in your community directly by phone or email. For a list of KIPP schools with contact details and the grades served by each school, go to the KIPP School Directory.
KIPP Chicago Schools 2015-2016 Enrollment Interest Form

During the 2015-2016 school year, we will serve the following grades at the following schools:

- **KIPP:ASCEND PRIMARY SCHOOL**
  - **North Lawndale**
  - 1440 S. Chatham (Near Douglas and Homan)

- **KIPP:ASCEND MIDDLE SCHOOL**
  - **North Lawndale**
  - 1616 S. Avers (Near 16th and Pulaski)
  - 2015-16: Serving Grades 6-8

- **KIPP:CREATE COLLEGE PREP**
  - **Austin**
  - 4818 W. Ohio (Near Cicero and Ohio)
  - 2015-16: Serving Grades 5-8

- **KIPP:BLOOM COLLEGE PREP**
  - **Englewood**
  - 5515 S. Lowe (Near Garfield and Union)
  - 2015-16: Serving Grades 5-7

By 2016-17 will serve Grades 5-8

Required Student Information

- * First Name
- Middle Name
- * Last Name
- * Gender - Select -
- * Birthdate - mm/dd/yyyy

Current School

- * Grade for 2014-2015 - Select -
- * Grade for 2015-2016 - Select -

Which school would you like to attend?
- * - Select -

Address

- * Street
- Apt/Suite
- * City
- * State - Select -
- * Zip - xxxxx

* Family Email Address - username@domain.com

☐ Check here if you do not have an email address.

Does this student have any multiple births (twins, triplets, etc.) that would like to apply to the same school and grade?
Parent Information

* Student lives with - Select -

Mother/Female Guardian

First Name
Last Name
Relationship to student - Select -
Home Phone xxx-xxx-xxxx
Day/Cell Phone xxx-xxx-xxxx

Father/Male Guardian

First Name
Last Name
Relationship to student - Select -
Home Phone xxx-xxx-xxxx
Day/Cell Phone xxx-xxx-xxxx

Do you need to include information for another parent/guardian?
- Select -

Additional Information

Does this child have any siblings that currently attend KIPP?
- Select -

Does this child have any other siblings that are also applying to KIPP? (multiple birth children entered above do not need to be entered here)
- Select -

How did you hear about KIPP? Please check all that apply

☐ I am a current KIPP parent
☐ I am the parent of a KIPP alum
☐ I know a current KIPP parent
☐ New Schools Expo
☐ Newspaper Advertisement
☐ Open House
☐ Parent Power Chicago School Fair
☐ Recruiter/Street Team
☐ Direct Mailing
☐ Other