



DeKalb Elementary School of the Arts
 A K-8 Arts School
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**LIVE VIRTUAL TOURS AT 9:00 a.m. &
 AUDITION SUPPORT MEETINGS AT 6:30 p.m.**

- December 16, 2021**
- January 13, 2022**
- January 20, 2022**
- January 27, 2022**

Click the link below to register and receive information to attend a live virtual tour at 9:00 a.m. [Live Virtual Tour](#)

Families and students are HIGHLY encouraged to attend our audition support meetings to learn about our application & audition process for grades 4-8. Click the link below to register and receive information to attend a support meeting at 6:30 p.m. [Support Meeting](#)

GRADES K-3 APPLICATION INFORMATION

- Apply during the DeKalb County School District (DCSD) School Choice Open Enrollment process. Open Enrollment begins **Jan. 7, 2021 at 9:00 a.m. and ends Feb. 4, 2021 at 4:00 p.m.** <http://www.dekalbschoolsga.org/school-choice/>
- Acceptance is through the DCSD School Choice Lottery Process

**GRADES 4-8 APPLICATION &
 AUDITION STEPS**

1. Apply during the DeKalb County School District (DCSD) School Choice Open Enrollment period, **Jan. 7, 2022 at 9:00 a.m. to Feb. 4, 2022 at 4:00 p.m.** <http://www.dekalbschoolsga.org/school-choice/>
2. Submit a completed DESA’s online audition application to audition in **two arts areas below, by 11:59 pm Feb. 4, 2022** <https://app.getacceptd.com/dekalbelementary> (opens 1/7/22) (see online application for audition requirements)

Dance Drama Vocal Music Visual arts
 Instrumental Music (band or orchestra)

3. Complete the DESA audition process in two arts areas (see the column to the right for more information)

ATTENTION: Grades 4-8

After completing your DCSD School Choice Application:

You MUST click the link below to complete DESA’s audition application

<https://app.getacceptd.com/dekalbelementary>

Click login (upper right corner),
 Click sign up, & apply.

DESA’s Online Audition Application Submission Deadline:

Friday, February 4, 2022 by 11:59 p.m.

Application Components:

- Student Information
- Headshot
- Two Recommendations
- Report Card
- Art Portfolio (if applicable)

Auditions will be scheduled via a secure online platform

Audition Dates:

Wednesday

February 16, 2022
 4:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday

February 23, 2022
 4:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

Saturday

February 26, 2022
 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Audition Combinations

- Dance/Drama
- Dance/Vocal Music
- Dance/Inst. Music
- Dance/Visual Arts
- Drama/Vocal Music
- Drama/Inst. Music
- Drama/Visual Arts
- Vocal Music/Inst. Music
- Vocal Music/Visual Arts
- Visual Art/Inst. Music

Drama, music, and visual arts auditions will be held via a secure online platform. Dance auditions will be held face-to-face.