

Kenner Discovery & Dr. John Ochsner Discovery Admissions Lottery Protocol - Updated March 13, 2024

(All information about how to access the lottery has been sent to all applicants through Smart Choice.)

Both lotteries will be held virtually

- 10:00 AM- Kenner Discovery Health Sciences Academy (KDHSA)
 - Link to access KDHSA Lottery: https://discoveryhsf-org.zoom.us/j/89237422643
- 2:00 PM- Dr. John Ochsner Discovery Health Sciences Academy (DJOD)
 - Link to access DJOD Lottery: https://discoveryhsf-org.zoom.us/j/89237422643

We are asking that only one member of each family view the lottery as there are capacity limitations. Virtual attendance is not mandatory; notifications regarding lottery placement will be sent no later than Wednesday, March 15, 2023.

Kenner Discovery Health Sciences Academy (KDHSA)

- 1,369 total eligible applicants
- Open seats in Pre-K, K and 9th
 - o 20 open in Pre-K
 - o 103 open in K
 - o 55 open in 9th

KDHSA Protocol

1st preference: Discovery faculty students 2nd preference: Kenner Discovery Siblings

3rd preference: Kenner Economically Disadvantaged

4th preference: Jefferson Parish Economically Disadvantaged

5th preference: Kenner Residents

6th preference: Jefferson Parish Residents

Dr. John Ochsner Discovery Health Sciences Academy (DJOD)

- 663 total eligible applicants
- Open seats in Pre-K and K
 - o 35 in Kindergarten
 - 20 in Pre-K 4 (Only Discovery School Employees and Ochsner Employee children are eligible for these seats)

DJOD Protocol

1st preference: Discovery faculty students

2nd preference: DJOD siblings

3rd preference: Ochsner Employee applicants qualified as economically disadvantaged

4th preference: Ochsner Employee applicants

5th preference: Neighborhood preference zone applicants qualified as economically

disadvantaged

6th preference: Jefferson Parish applicants qualified as economically disadvantaged

7th preference: Neighborhood preference zone applicants

8th preference: Jefferson Parish applicants