



DISCOVERY SCHOOLS



Discovery Admissions Lottery Protocol - Updated March 14, 2022

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

Due to the COVID-19 virus, both lotteries will be held virtually

- 10:00 KDHSA
 - Link to access KDHSA Lottery: <https://us06web.zoom.us/j/83917003670>
- 2:00 DJOD
 - Link to access DJOD Lottery: <https://us06web.zoom.us/j/89932880355>

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 Friday, March 18, 2022.

Kenner Discovery Health Sciences Academy (KDHSA)

- 1,659 total eligible applicants
- Open seats in Pre-K, K and 9th
 - 20 open in Pre-K
 - 103 open in K
 - 55 open in 9th

KDHSA Protocol

1st preference: Discovery faculty students

2nd preference: Kenner Discovery Siblings

3rd preference: Kenner Discovery Student Ida Displaced

4th preference: Kenner Economically Disadvantaged

5th preference: Jefferson Parish Economically Disadvantaged

6th preference: Kenner Residents

7th preference: Jefferson Parish Residents

Dr. John Ochsner Discovery Health Sciences Academy (DJOD)

- 811 total eligible applicants
- Open seats in Pre-K and K
 - 37 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-DJOD Student IDA Displaced

5th preference: Ochsner Employee applicants

6th preference: DJOD Student IDA Displaced

7th preference: Neighborhood preference zone applicants qualified as economically disadvantaged

8th preference: Jefferson Parish applicants qualified as economically disadvantaged

9th preference: Neighborhood preference zone applicants

10th preference: Jefferson Parish applicants

The IDA Displaced preference for both schools only applies to students of Kenner Discovery or Dr. John Ochsner Discovery who were forced to withdraw due to temporary displacement following Hurricane IDA and are seeking to return to their home campus.