

Public Random Drawing (Lottery)

Per Downtown College Prep's Student & Family Handbook '18-'19, page 27

If the number of applicants exceeds the number of available spaces, we hold a public random drawing (lottery) in accordance with Education Code Section 47605 (d). Following the open enrollment period, applications shall be counted to determine whether any grade level has received more applications than availability. In the event that this happens, the Charter School will hold a public random drawing to determine admission for the impacted grade level, with the exception of existing students, who are guaranteed admission in the following school year. All applicants will be notified via letter and phone call, and the date and time are posted publicly on the school website. Families will be invited to attend the lottery, but are not required to do so in order to secure their spot.

Admission preferences in the case of a public random drawing shall be given to the following students in the following order:

- 1. All students currently enrolled in the Charter School
- 2. In-District siblings of students currently enrolled in the Charter school
- 3. Out of District siblings of students currently enrolled in the Charter school
- 4. Students from other DCP schools
- 5. Students residing within district boundaries
- 6. Students residing outside district boundaries