

ENROLLMENT PRIORITIES
(POLICY FORMERLY KNOWN AS SIBLING RULE)

CSD will give enrollment priority to children of CSD full-time employees.

CSD will give enrollment priority to siblings of currently enrolled students who were admitted to CSD in a previous year and to siblings of a student admitted at a grade level after being drawn in a single “bundled” drawing by surname pursuant to the CSD Registration and Lottery Procedure (Policy 501); provided, if a child has previously been offered enrollment and declined or withdraws after enrollment then the sibling rule will no longer apply for that child.

CSD will give enrollment priority to siblings of students who completed 12th grade at CSD and who were enrolled in at least four grade levels at CSD (such siblings are referred to as “legacy students”).

As used herein, the term “siblings” includes the following who reside in the same household: half siblings, stepsiblings, and children residing in a family foster home.

If a student was enrolled at CSD within the past two years but left for academic study abroad, competitive admission residential program or due to vocational opportunities of the parents, CSD administrators may elect to give enrollment priority to the student upon request of the parent. Such determination will be on a case-by-case basis, and CSD administrators may consider any factors they consider relevant in making such determination. This priority status is referred to as a “qualified returning student.”

Among students with enrollment priority, CSD will grant priority in the following order:

1. Children of CSD full-time employees.
2. Siblings of currently enrolled students who were admitted to CSD in a previous year.
3. Legacy students.
4. Siblings bundled in the lottery, but such priority shall only apply if and when the placement number at the grade level at which they were entered into the lottery is admitted (in order based on the date of admission of the bundled sibling).
5. Qualified returning students.

After students are admitted or placed on the wait list (as applicable) based on the above order of priority, students will be admitted or placed on the wait list (as applicable) in the lottery selection order.

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