PALMETTO ACADEMY OF LEARNING AND SUCCESS, INC.

REGISTRATION AND ENROLLMENT INFORMATION 2020-2021 SCHOOL YEAR

Palmetto Academy of Learning and Success is a public charter school. We are beginning registration for the 2020-2021 school year! The school's mission is to create a small, diverse learning environment that accommodates each student's individual differences, learning styles, and development while promoting high expectations for all students. By providing meaningful and innovative learning experiences, instruction for multiple learning styles, access to technology, and encouraging family and community involvement, Palmetto Academy of Learning and Success is committed to guiding students in the development of both their character and academic potential in preparation for their success as life long learners.

Tour of PALS

We encourage you to tour the campus and learn more about Palmetto Academy of Learning and Success. We are located on the former Air Force base at 3021 Fred Nash Blvd MB, SC 29577. You may schedule a tour by calling 843-293-1725. Please visit our website, www.palmettoacademy.com, for more information.

Admissions Requirements

PALS will admit all children eligible to attend a regular Horry County public school subject to space limitations and based on grade levels served. PALS currently serves grades K, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8.

Application Process

- PALS has a simple one page application. There is no test required for admission.
- There is no tuition fee for attendance.
- Students requesting entrance into PALS must submit a fully completed application. Any incomplete applications will not be processed.
- Applications will be <u>distributed and accepted from February 17, 2020 through March 13, 2020</u> in the main office of the school between 8 am and 3pm during normal school days. Applications will also be accepted via mail to 3021 Fred Nash Blvd, Myrtle Beach, SC 29577.
- Applications received after the deadline will be considered on a space available basis.
- A lottery (should the school receive more applications than available student slots) will be held within four (4) weeks of the application deadline. At the conclusion of the lottery all students will be placed on the waiting list for the 2020-2021 school year. After all currently enrolled students have been placed, the waiting list will be utilized to fill all remaining vacancies for the 2020-2021 school year. Parents will be notified after June 4 if they have a student who has been accepted to attend the school. If you're child remains on the waiting list, you will be notified when a spot becomes available.
- Please contact the school if you need help completing the application.

Enrollment

After the lottery and notification of acceptance, new students who have been chosen to attend PALS must register within 5 calendar days after notification by completing the "Student Enrollment Package". Students who do not enroll within the designated period will be withdrawn from the accepted enrollment list and they must re-apply if they wish to attend. Every effort will be made to reach each student. The enrollment package will require proof of Horry County residency and immunization records. It is the applicant's responsibility to inform PALS if your contact information has changed. Students who do not make contact on the first day of school and do not show on the first day of the school year will be automatically dropped from rosters and will no longer have a spot at PALS.

Future years: Returning students who are currently enrolled in PALS shall not be required to re-apply and are not part of the lottery drawing, but shall be required to notify the school of their intent by the specified deadline.

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