

February 7th, 2020

Dear Parents,

Families must apply for admissions to the Michael J. Petrides School. The deadline to submit an application is **March 16, 2020**. All Staten Island residents entering grades 1 through 5, including students with disabilities and English Language Learners, are eligible to submit an application for September 2020.

Offers are made through random lottery based on seat availability to eligible applicants, with priority to siblings of students currently enrolled at the Petrides School in kindergarten through grade 4. **Applicants** who are siblings of students currently enrolled in the school must provide sibling information on the application.

The Petrides School is a Pre-Kindergarten through Grade 12 educational environment that uses a variety of innovative and proven instructional practices, including team teaching, multi-age grouping of students, looping, block programming, and heterogeneous classes.

Students are not guaranteed yellow school bus services to the school. Transportation eligibility is determined by the office of Pupil Transportation within the limits established in the Chancellor's Regulations and applicable law.

Attached to this letter is the application for the 2020-2021 school year. This application is for students entering grades 1 through 5 at the Petrides School. This application must be submitted by mail or person by March 16, 2020 to:

The Michael J. Petrides School Re: School Secretaries 715 Ocean Terrace, Building B Room B109 Staten Island, NY 10301

Applications postmarked after **March 16, 2020** will not be processed. You will receive a receipt of your application and the lottery number assigned to your child's application. We expect the lottery to take place in late **April 2020**. Following the lottery, all families will receive notification of their application status.

Sincerely,

Joanne Buckheit

Principal of the Michael J. Petrides School

Grades 1 through 5

The Michael J. Petrides School 715 Ocean Terrace, Staten Island, NY 10301 Telephone (718) 815-0186

Use this form to apply for stud	dents entering gra	des 1-5 in Se	ptember 202	0.	
Date					
Student Application (Please P	rint)				
Last Name	First Name			Female/Male	
Home Address	<u>Apt.</u> C	SI <u>NY</u> ity State	Zip Code		
Current School:					
URRENT GRADE: APPLYING TO GRADE:					
Date of Birth: (mm/dd/yyyy) Student ID No. (if in public school)					
Last Name	If yes, complete below. First Name			lent ID	Class
Parent/Guardian: (Please Prin	it)				
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