

Highlights of Round 1: 2009-2010 School Year

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APPLICATIONS

For the 2nd year in a row more kindergarten families are applying to the SFUSD.

406 more SF kindergarten students applied to attend SFUSD this year

- We received **4,736** kindergarten applications from SF residents compared to **4,330** last year (406 more applications)
- We received 3,022 6th grade applications compared to 2,985 last year (37 more applications)
- We received 4,336 9th grade applications compared to 4,347 last year (11 fewer applications)

CHOICE

Overall (K-12), **78%** of applicants (10,849) **received one of their choices**, compared to 82% last year (10,853)

- 80% of kindergarten applicants (3,788) compared to 81% last year (3,502)
- 90% of 6th grade applicants (2,714) compared to 92% last year (2,753)
- 83% of 9th grade applicants (3,613) compared to 91% last year (3,967)

Overall (K-12), **61%** of applicants (8,557) **received their first choice**, compared to 63% last year (8,328)

- 64% of kindergarten applicants (3,046) compared to 63% last year (2,721)
- 80% of 6th grade applicants (2,417) compared to 80% last year (2,373)
- 62% of 9th grade applicants (2,704) compared to 68% last year (2,953)

Overall (K-12), **22%** of applicants (3,099) **did not receive one of their choices**, compared to 18% last year (2,394)

- 20% of kindergarten applicants (948) compared to 19% last year (828)
- 10% of 6th grade applicants (308) compared to 8% last year (231)
- 16% of 9th grade applicants (723) compared to 9% last year (380)

12 schools received triple digit increases in total demand this year.

- **George Peabody** received an increase of 129 Kindergarten requests (73% increase)
- **RL Stevenson** received an increase of 134 Kindergarten requests (42% increase)
- **Sunset** received an increase of 197 Kindergarten requests (61% increase)
- **Ulloa** received an increase of 125 Kindergarten requests (32% increase)
- **Roosevelt MS** received an increase of 139 requests for 6th grade (20%)
- **Balboa HS** received an increase of 255 requests for 9th grade (29%)

54 schools received double digit increases in total demand this year.

- **Sunnyside** received an increase of 122%
- **Paul Revere** received an increase of 84% (SN)
- **Visitation Valley ES** received an increase of 52%
- **James Lick** received an increase of 25%
- **Marina MS** received an increase of 133% (CN)

DEMAND

The demand for seats far exceeds the capacity at many of our schools. Examples of how this demand impacts assignments are illustrated in the tables below.

Most Requested: Kindergarten

	School	Grade	Program	Capacity 2009-10	# of Siblings	Openings For Non-Siblings	Total requests 2009-10	#Applicants per Seat
1	CLARENDON	K	GE	66	11	55	1128	20
2	ROOFTOP	K	GE	66	19	47	1086	23
3	WEST PORTAL	K	GE	66	17	49	986	20
4	LAWTON	K	GE	66	25	41	951	23
5	LILIENTHAL	K	GE	66	18	48	803	17
6	FONG YU	K	CN	66	23	43	641	15
7	ALAMO ES	K	GE	88	22	66	637	10
8	MIRALOMA	K	GE	60	24	42	630	15
9	CLARENDON	K	JB	44	24	20	552	27
10	D. FEINSTEIN	K	GE	88	21	67	535	8
11	SUNSET	K	GE	66	29	37	518	14
12	ARGONNE	K	GE	78	25	53	513	10
13	ULLOA	K	GE	66	21	45	512	11
14	ALVARADO	K	SN	44	23	21	505	24
15	SHERMAN	K	GE	66	19	47	503	11
16	LAKESHORE	K	GE	88	25	63	495	8
17	JEFFERSON ES	K	GE	88	24	64	491	8
18	ALVARADO ES	K	GE	44	10	34	476	14
19	WEST PORTAL	K	CN	34	13	17	446	26
20	STEVENSON ES	K	GE	88	21	67	433	6

Most Requested: 6th Grade

	School	Grade	Program	Capacity 2009-10	# of Siblings	Openings For Non-Siblings	Total requests 2009-10	#Applicants per Seat
1	PRESIDIO	06	GE	390	56	334	1417	4
2	GIANNINI	06	GE	396	54	342	1404	4
3	HOOVER	06	GE	330	33	297	1332	4
4	APTOS	06	GE	300	32	268	905	3
5	ROOSEVELT	06	GE	250	24	226	837	4

Most Requested: 9th Grade

	School	Grade	Program	Capacity 2009-10	# of Siblings	Openings For Non-Siblings	Total requests 2009-10	#Applicants per Seat
1	LINCOLN	09	GE	468	109	359	3178	9
2	WASHINGTON	09	GE	431	105	326	2933	9
3	LOWELL	09	GE	650	0	650	1947	3
4	GALILEO	09	GE	575	80	495	1732	3
5	BALBOA	09	GE	380	29	351	1131	3