

#### Classical School

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# **2024-2025 APPLICATION**

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# Please Print Clearly

NAME OF STUDENT APPLICANT				
CURRENT Grade CURRENT School		Grade for the 2024-25 School Year		
*Date of Birth/				
*If you are applying for kindergarten at Classical School, your child must be at least 5 years old by September 1st of his/her kindergarten year.				
Does a sibling currently attend Classical?	YES NO If yes, child's	s name	Grade	
Parents/Guardians Name(s)				
Email Address	Phone Number			
Address	City		_ Zip	
<ul> <li>Do you reside in the Appleton Area School District? YES NO         If yes, what is the neighborhood school assigned to your residence?         &lt;<if (920)="" 852-5308="" appleton="" area="" call="" confirm="" district,="" enrollment="" information.="" live="" of="" open="" outside="" school="" the="" to="" you="">&gt;         Does your child have an Individualized Education Program (IEP)? YES NO         Does your child have a 504 Plan? YES NO         Does your child receive EL (English Learner) services? YES NO     </if></li> </ul>				
FIRST* Music Choice (circle one):	Choir Band	Orchestra		
LIST BAND/ORCHESTRA INSTRUMENT IF APPLICABLE:				
*PLEASE NOTE: If your child is entering 6th, 7th, or 8th grade, it is ideal if he/she is currently enrolled in band or orchestra in order to choose band or orchestra. Due to course scheduling constraints, it may not always be possible to honor a student's first choice of music program.				
Parent/Guardian Signature:				

In order to be included in the enrollment lottery, applications must be returned between <u>December 1, 2023</u> and <u>February 23, 2024</u>. Applications received after February 23, 2024, will not be included in the lottery and will be processed in the order in which they are received. Send applications to:

Classical School – Attention: Sara Schroeder 3310 N. Durkee Street Appleton, WI 54911

You will be notified of lottery enrollment or waiting list status in March 2024. Transportation for charter school students is the responsibility of the parent/guardian. For any enrollment questions, please contact our Enrollment Specialist, Sara Schroeder, at 920-852-5525 x81716 or <a href="mailto:schroedersara@aasd.k12.wi.us">schroedersara@aasd.k12.wi.us</a>.

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# Building a just and excellent educational foundation

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#### **CURRICULUM**

Classical School is a Core Knowledge® school that provides a rich and academically rigorous curriculum. The school promotes content-centered education, cultural literacy, and the values of a democratic society. For the sake of academic excellence, greater fairness, and higher literacy, Core Knowledge provides a solid, specific, shared core curriculum to help children establish a strong academic foundation.

Students at Classical School are skill grouped for math and reading. Reading instruction begins in kindergarten and continues through fourth grade using the SRA Direct Instruction programs. Once students learn to read, instruction focuses on the further development of fluency skills through literary analysis, vocabulary development, and the introduction of more complex syntax. After fourth grade, students learn to further their language arts skills through a solid body of unabridged, classic literature. Grammar and writing are emphasized in all grades and content areas. Math instruction is delivered through the Saxon Math program. Mastery in all skills is emphasized. Most students at Classical complete algebra or geometry by the end of the eighth grade.

Students at Classical School also receive a solid common knowledge base of American and world history, geography, science, and the fine arts – including a solid base in art history and music history. Spanish language instruction is provided daily in grades kindergarten through eight. Students in grades K–8 participate in physical education, art production, and music classes each week. Orchestra is available for students in grades 4–8 and band for students in grades 5–8.

Classical School began in the fall of 1999. We currently enroll about 500 students in kindergarten through eighth grades.

#### **OPEN TO ANY STUDENT**

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## **ENROLLMENT FORMS**

Enrollment forms are available at the Classical School office or on the school's website at <a href="classical.aasd.k12.wi.us">classical.aasd.k12.wi.us</a>.

# **FURTHER INFORMATION**

For more information, please contact Sara Schroeder, Enrollment Specialist, at <a href="mailto:schroedersara@aasd.k12.wi.us">schroedersara@aasd.k12.wi.us</a>.

#### **VISIT OUR WEBSITE!**

Please visit our school's website to learn more about the school's curriculum and program, our wonderful teachers and other staff members, and other school details: <a href="mailto:classical.aasd.k12.wi.us">classical.aasd.k12.wi.us</a>.

#### **NO TUITION**

Classical School is a public school that operates as an instrumentality of the Appleton Area School District. Consequently, no tuition is charged.

## **SERVICES AVAILABLE**

Classical School students have access to special education, band, strings, chorus, library, guidance services, EL services, and physical education.

### **KINDERGARTEN**

Our kindergarten program is a full-day program. We do not offer a half-day option.