

Applicant Checklist

Getting Started

- [Submit an inquiry](#) and create an account on our [Application Portal - Ravenna Hub](#).
- Search for Alta Vista School in the Ravenna directory
- Click “Upcoming Events” to sign up for our upcoming Prospective Families Information Session
- Click “Explore” to learn more and begin an application

Required Events

- Prospective Family Information Session** • These sessions are designed to guide families in deciding whether the Alta Vista School philosophy and program are a fit for your child.

Optional Events

- Getting to Know Us** • A set of one-hour gatherings where parents and guardians will have the opportunity to take a deeper dive into who we are, meet the staff, and experience distinctive highlights of the Alta Vista program.
- Meet the Community** • A set of one-hour gatherings with current AVS families, students, and administrators, ask questions and get to know our community.
- Interview with AVS** • This thirty-minute event gives families an opportunity to virtually meet, one-on-one, with a member of the Admissions team or a division head.

Required Assessments and Visits

- Junior Kindergarten and Kindergarten** applicants will use the ISSFBA Shared Assessment tool and upload it into Ravenna. More details will be posted on Ravenna at a later date.
- Lower School** applicants (1st–5th) will join us for a virtual visit with grade-level teachers.
- Middle School** applicants, (6th–8th) will join us for a virtual visit with grade-level teachers.

Final Steps

- Complete your application on Ravenna
- Send the electronic ISSFBA Confidential Student Evaluation Form to one more person at your child’s current school/program (please contact Admissions if your child does not currently attend school)
- For applicants entering grades 1-8, print the Records Release Form and provide it to your child’s current school. This will permit them to send Alta Vista School your child’s records.
- Shout hooray! You are finished! You will hear from us again in March.