

9th Grade High School Choice
Opportunity Options

School	October 1 9 th grade enrollment	Available seats for JPS 9 th Grade Choice Opportunity*
Bonnabel High School	907	136
East Jefferson High School	426	64
Fisher High School	69	10
Grand Isle High School	8	1
L.W. Higgins High School	410	62
West Jefferson High School	483	72

*Based on 15% of the schools 9th grade
October 01, 2024 enrollment

9th Grade High School Choice
Important Dates

January 31, 2025

High School Infomercials will
be posted on the 9th Grade

High Choice Webpage

<https://www.jpschools.org/fs/pages/11115>

February 3 - February 26, 2025

In- Person High School Student/
Parent Information Nights

February 03- February 28, 2025

IB Magnet Application Period*

John Ehret High and Riverdale High

March 03 - March 28, 2025

9th Grade School Choice Application
& Declaration Period opens on the
website

<https://www.jpschools.org>

April 25, 2025

Notification letters emailed

May 2, 2025

Acceptance/ Decline Response due



**9th Grade
SCHOOL CHOICE
ENROLLMENT**



2025-2026

JPS 9th Grade High School Choice General Information

To be eligible for the Choice program, students must:

- Be in 8th grade
- Be enrolled in a Jefferson Parish School for the 2024-25 school year



Key details about the Choice program:

- Only students seeking to change schools need to apply for School Choice.
- A student's zoned school is the school assigned based on the home address of the enrolling parent.
- A Choice School is a school outside the designated boundary area that a student can apply to attend.
- Choice assignments remain valid through 12th grade.
- Applications will be considered based on the number of seats approved by the district.
- Priority is given to children of district employees, students of active-duty military personnel, and placement of siblings, (provided there is capacity) but official documentation is required to receive this preference.
- Preference does not guarantee assignment to a Choice School.

Note: Submitting an application does not guarantee placement at a Choice School.



- Wait-list Process:
 - Students not placed at their Choice School during the notification period will be added to a wait-list.
 - The wait-list will remain active until the 15th day of school.
 - After the 15th day of school, no students will be reassigned as Choice students.
- Transportation: Transportation is not provided for students placed at a Choice School.
- Athletics Eligibility: Students receiving approval for 9th Grade High School Choice Transfer are subject to LHSAA eligibility regulations. For further details, students should consult their counselor or athletic director.

