

ELK TOWNSHIP SCHOOL DISTRICT Aura Elementary School

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School Choice

Elk Township School District has been selected as a New Jersey Choice School District for the 2024-2025 school year. The School Choice Program covers grades K-6. Although we do have spaces available per grade, only 5 seats have been granted by the NJ Department of Education for the 2024-2025 school year.

ATTENTION 2024-2025 PROSPECTIVE CHOICE APPLICANTS

The state of New Jersey has informed us that due to budget limitations the School Choice Program is being severely limited for the upcoming year. Based upon the state allotted numbers for each Choice School, Elk Township School District is only permitted to accept five (5) additional students for the 2024-2025 school year. If you are interested in attending Aura School as a Choice student at ANY grade level, you should still submit an application. One can never be sure if the State will reverse its decision. We will keep all applications and create a "waiting list" in the event that a Choice seat becomes available.

If needed, the open public lottery will be held on Wednesday, December 13, 2023 at 6:30 pm in the Delsea Middle School Media Center. Attendance is not mandatory for the lottery.

For more information:

NJ Dept of Education - Interdistrict Public School Choice Program

<u>Choice School Transportation Procedures</u>

Student Application Timeline

Student Application Process

FAQs for Parents

Elk Choice District Profile - English - Spanish

Contact:

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Please download and print the forms below. Forms can be submitted via US mail or direct email.

Notice of Intent to Participate - Deadline is November 17, 2023. This form must be submitted to your <u>resident school district</u> and is required for <u>all</u> choice applicants.

- Notice of Intent to Participate English
- Notice of Intent to Participate Spanish

Application - Deadline is December 1, 2023 to submit to our office. **Please contact our** office if you do not receive a confirmation of receipt of student application.

- Application English
- Application Spanish