



INFORMATION REGARDING 2021-22 OPEN ENROLLMENT

There are two options for a student to request to attend a high school within the Antelope Valley Union High School District other than the student's school of residence: #1 Open Enrollment—General and Academies (Lottery) or #2 Open Enrollment—Sibling.

During February 2021, Open Enrollment application packets for the new 2021-22 school year will be mailed to the homes of current eighth grade public school students, to the homes of returning high school students, and to the principals of charter and private junior high schools. Application packets are also available on the AVUHSD website: <https://www.avdistrict.org/parents/open-enrollment>

Open Enrollment applications for the 2021-22 school year must be received by in the Student Services office by the deadline of Friday, March 12, 2021. Applications may be emailed to studentservices@avhsd.org. Applications may also be submitted by fax to 661-949-6292 or by mail to AVUHSD SS, 548 W. Lancaster Blvd, Lancaster, CA 93534. According to Board Policy, late applications will not be accepted with the exception of students who have a sibling attending the school requested. However, late applications from students who moved into the area after the deadline may be considered based on available space.

Response letters for approvals and waiting list results will be mailed during April 2021. When it comes time to register in March, parents/guardians are requested to complete the PowerSchool Enrollment for their student through the high school of residence. If approved to the Open Enrollment school, staff will then transfer the student's data to the approved school later as part of the registration process.

There will be a limited number of 2021-22 Open Enrollment spaces available at all high schools: Antelope Valley, Eastside, Highland, Knight, Lancaster, Littlerock, Palmdale, and Quartz Hill High Schools. These include general Open Enrollment spaces as well as some spaces specific to particular academies: AVHS Engineering/Green Enterprise Academy, EHS Biomedical Sciences Academy, HHS Public Service Academy, KHS Digital Design & Engineering Academy, LNHS Multimedia and Engineering Academy, Littlerock HS Biomedical Sciences Academy, PHS Engineering Academy, PHS Health Careers Academy, and QHHS Television and Video Academy. Also, qualified students entering grade eleven only may apply for the QHHS International Baccalaureate Diploma Program. Students interested in academies must also submit a separate academy application through the Academy Coordinator at the requested school. According to California Education Code 35160.5, Open Enrollment approvals will be on a lottery basis (random selection—**NOT** first come, first served). In addition to these spaces, all qualified sibling Open Enrollment applications to all schools will be approved.