



Discovery School of Tulsa

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Dear Prospective Parent:

Discovery School of Tulsa (DST) is a tuition-free, public charter school with a strong emphasis on academics. The academic curriculum focuses on Math, Science and Technology.

Discovery School of Tulsa is a public school to which anyone in the Tulsa school district can apply. The school does not have any affiliation with Tulsa Public Schools. It has 400 students and 29 highly qualified teachers. There are only 2 sections in each grade with 24 students each.

If you are looking for a small, safe, and academically challenging environment, consider our school. With the GT classes and College Curriculum, Discovery school is the best choice for the science and math buddies.

The school is now also accepting 9th grader applications for the upcoming school year!!

DST will be accepting applications for students entering K-9th grade for the 2011-2012 year. All application forms must be returned by March 24, 2011 at 3:00 p.m. to Discovery school of Tulsa, along with all supporting documentation requested by the school. Addresses with a P. O. Box number on the utility bills are not acceptable. Cable or telephone service bills are not accepted. Please write your student's name on the bill.

Checklist for Admission

- _____ 1. Application Form
- _____ 2. Signed Student & Parent Code of Conduct
- _____ 3. Letter of Recommendation (from current teacher or principal)
- _____ 4. Copy of student's birth certificate
- _____ 5. Copy of immunization record
- _____ 6. Copy of the last Report Card (For attendance and promotion records)
- _____ 7. Proof of residence (current utility bill — electric or gas under the parent's name)

For admission to Discovery School of Tulsa, students must:

- 1. Complete admission process
- 2. If home schooled, proficiency tests will be given for placement.
- 3. If more than enough applications are received, be successfully chosen in a random lottery (on March 25, 2011).

Should you need more information, please contact us or visit www.discoveryok.org

Sincerely,

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**DISCOVERY SCHOOL OF TULSA
CONFIDENTIAL TEACHER RECOMMENDATION**

To The Teacher: Your insight and evaluation of the following will be helpful as we consider this student's application. The information you provide will be strictly confidential. Thank you for taking the time to complete the evaluation.

Applicant's name: _____

Grade applied: _____

Current School: _____

Phone number: _____

Date: _____

How long have you known this applicant: _____

Academic Evaluation : Please check the appropriate ratings with 1 being the least and 10 the highest

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Academic Achievement										
Academic Potential										
Computational skills(Math)										
Problem solving ability (math)										
Express ideas in writing										
Ability to express ideas orally										
Study habits										
Ability to concentrate										
Maturity in terms of age and grade										
Involvement with school activities										
Social adjustment with peers										
Classroom conduct										
Follows Directions										
Participation in discussion										
Responsibility										

Additional comments:

Principal/Teacher's Signature _____ Date _____
 Subject _____ School _____
 Phone Number _____

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APPLICATION FORM FOR 2011-2012 ACADEMIC YEAR

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY Date : _____ Registration #: _____

DEAR PARENTS AND APPLICANT:

Thank you for your interest in DISCOVERY SCHOOL OF TULSA. Please fill out this application form completely. Falsifications, misrepresentations, or omissions may disqualify your application. Information you supply will not be given to any other person/company for any purpose. Applications received unsigned, incomplete, or after the closing date may not be considered for acceptance. All documents submitted will become property of DST.

Please either **type** or **print** clearly using black ink.

Applicant's name: _____
(Last) (First) (Middle)

Applicant's date of birth: (M/D/Y) _____ / _____ / _____

Gender: Male Female

Race: White Black Hispanic Native American Asian Pacific Islander Multi-cultural

Grade applied for: Kindergarten 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

Permanent address: _____
(Street & House/Apt. No.)

(City) (State) (Zip Code) **Phone:** (_____) _____
Area Code

Parent's Email Address: _____

APPLICANT'S FAMILY INFORMATION

MALE Parent / Custodial Parent / Guardian

FEMALE Parent / Custodial Parent / Guardian

Title (circle one): Mr. Dr.

Title (circle one): Miss Mrs. Ms. Dr.

Full name: _____

Full name: _____

Relationship to applicant: _____

Relationship to applicant: _____

Address (if different from above): _____

Address (if different from above): _____

Home Phone: _____

Home phone: _____

Job Position/Title: _____

Job Position/Title: _____

Employer's Name: _____

Employer's Name: _____

Employer's Address: _____

Employer's Address: _____

Work Phone: _____

Work Phone: _____

Applicant lives with: Mother Father Both Other: _____

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Current School: _____ School District: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: (____) _____ Fax: (____) _____ Years Attended: ____ to ____

Is applicant currently under expulsion from any school or school district? No Yes If yes, explain: _____

Has applicant ever skipped a grade? No Yes Which grade and why? _____

Has applicant ever repeated a grade? No Yes Which grade and why? _____

Does your child have any special accommodation? No Yes If yes, explain: _____

Please list applicant's honors, awards, or special achievements (in or out of school): _____

Please list applicant's talents, interests, hobbies, club memberships, and activities: _____

How did you learn about Discovery School of Tulsa?

- Brochure, flyer, handout
- Internet (URL?): _____
- Relative
- Walk-in
- Advertisement (where?): _____
- Newspaper (name?): _____
- Friend
- Other (please specify): _____

Briefly state why you wish to have your child/children enrolled at Discovery School of Tulsa:

We/I, the undersigned, hereby certify that, to the best of our/my knowledge and belief, the answers to the foregoing questions and statements made by us/me in this application are complete and accurate. We/I understand that any false information, omissions, or misrepresentations of facts may result in rejection of this application or future dismissal of the applicant.

Signature of Parent or Guardian (Male)

Date

Signature of Parent or Guardian (Female)

Date

Please return the completed application to:

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Because you have chosen Discovery School of Tulsa, we anticipate that you will accept the rights and responsibilities to be members of our community. We ask you to carefully read over and sign the contracts on this page. As the year unfolds, we expect you to do your best to behave in ways that will enhance your own and other's ability to learn

Student's Commitment

I Promise

- *I will follow the requirements of the Discovery School of Tulsa Student Handbook*
- *I will come to school every day dressed appropriately in my uniform.*
- *I will attend 100% of each class. I am aware that missing 10% of class/school will result in a failing class/grade.*
- *I will come to class on time with all necessary materials.*
- *I will make good use of class time, asking permission to speak, doing my best on school work, turning in complete assignments and homework on time, and letting others do their work.*
- *I will ask for help, in a courteous way, and at an appropriate time when I need it or do not understand.*
- *I will show careful regard for my property and the property of others, asking permission to borrow others' things and returning them promptly in a good condition.*
- *I will show respect for myself and others, showing consideration for others' rights and feelings, not using profanity, intimidation, threats or uncomplimentary names for myself, fellow students, and all those who work at the school, guests, or families of DST school community.*
- *I will be careful not to hurt myself or others physically by walking safely, not touching others, not fighting, not bringing any contraband to school, and not leaving school grounds without permission.*

Parents/ Guardians Commitment

- *I/We will provide volunteer services to the school of at least 5 hours a semester and have indicated my/our preferences of how that time will be contributed.*
- *I/We will see that my/our child comes to DST every day, on time, dressed appropriately and in uniform.*
- *I/We will make sure that my/our child attends after-school programs, such as tutoring or mentoring, and Saturday detentions when assigned.*
- *I/We will communicate with teachers and administrators by attending parent conferences and mandatory meetings and by updating information if my/our address or phone number changes. I/We understand that, it is my/ our responsibility to get information about our child's academics, attendance, discipline points in a regular basis from the homeroom teacher. Please get your homeroom teacher's contact information from the office.*
- *I/We will make sure that my/our child attends 100% of each class. I am aware that missing 10% of class/school (excused or unexcused) will result in failing class/grade and be subject to truancy by State Law.*
- *I/We understand that our child must follow the rules, as set forth in the DST Student Handbook, so as to protect the safety, interest, and the rights of all individuals at school.*
- *I will attend monthly meetings of Parent Teacher Organization (PTO)*
- *I will make sure my/our child does not fight in school, and understand he/she should go to a teacher or administrator if having trouble with another student.*

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- *I/We will provide transportation to and from school for my child. If I pick up my child later than designated hours, I/We understand that I will be charged a school care cost at whatever rate is in existence at that time. If my child is continually tardy, I understand that for the benefit of my child's education, he/she may be required to attend a school that is more accessible for my child.*
- *I/We will purchase uniforms for my child from DST, and ensure my child abides by the Dress Code of DST.*
- *In order to enhance my/our child's academic growth, I/we agree to do the following:*
 - A.** *To read and use information sent home by the school to keep parents informed of the academic topics to be introduced and studied in the classroom.*
 - B.** *To provide a suitable time and place within the home for homework.*
 - C.** *To assist my child in obtaining and regularly using a library card at the Public Library and allow for thirty minutes of reading daily.*
 - D.** *To limit television and video games during the week and allow more time for reading, studying, and family time.*
 - E.** *To check my child's homework nightly.*
 - F.** *To encourage my child to research his or her academic level with deep commitment and enthusiasm for learning.*

I /We understand that by not fulfilling my/our contractual obligations to the School and to my child, this will result in my child being suspended or dismissal and referred to a regular Public School or a private school of the parent's choice.

Together we can make a difference!

Student's Name Grade Student's Signature Date

Parent/Guardian's Name Parent/Guardian's Signature Date

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