NON-BUFFALO PUBLIC SCHOOLS APPLICATION 2018-2019
Frederick Law Olmsted #156 & City Honors School at Fosdick-Masten Park #195

PLEASE READ GUIDELINES CAREFULLY BEFORE COMPLETING THIS APPLICATION

This application must only be completed for students who currently DO NOT attend a Buffalo Public School (i.e., those who attend Charter, Parochial, or Private schools or are home schooled) and want to be considered for admission to Frederick Law Olmsted #156 (grades 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12) or City Honors School #195 (grades 5, 6, 7, 8, 9).

- All applications must be completed and submitted to a staff member from Central Registration Center on the date of testing (see test dates and times below).
- Parents/guardians must complete and submit one application for each child taking the entrance examination.
- Admissions testing for both schools will take place at Frederick Law Olmsted Middle/High School #156, 319 Suffolk Street, Buffalo, NY 14215.
- Students are permitted to complete one test per year according to the admissions testing schedule listed on page 2; no exceptions to the testing schedule will be approved. The same single test is used for admissions eligibility at both Frederick Law Olmsted #156 and City Honors School #195; students who complete the admissions testing will automatically be ranked for both schools.
- The following documents must be provided on the testing date; if required documents are not produced and verified, student will be denied access to the admissions test:
  - Copies of two distinct proofs of City of Buffalo residency from the list of the following four categories showing your Buffalo address: (1) Parent/guardian New York State driver’s license or non-driver’s license; (2) gas, electric, or cable bill within the last 30 days (only one utility bill can be used); (3) parent/guardian’s pay stub within the last 30 days; or (4) Notice of Decision from the Erie County Department of Social Services from 2017.
  - Applicant’s final cumulative report card from 2016-2017; final cumulative attendance record from 2016-2017 (may appear on report card).
  - Completed Non-Buffalo Public Schools Application 2018-2019 available at www.buffaloschools.org; and
  - Current IEP, 504, or English Language Learner documents, if applicable.

Note: A McKinney-Vento representative will be on-site on test dates to address residency concerns.

- School placement is conditional upon student successfully passing current grade.
- Sibling, proximity, & neighborhood preferences do not apply to Frederick Law Olmsted #156 and City Honors #195.
- Some specialized programs for special education or bilingual students may not be available at all schools.
- English as a New Language (ENL) services are available in every school.
- All assignments carry a one-year commitment.
- Waiting pools for students will remain active through December 7, 2018.
- Call Dr. Mark Frazier at (716) 816-3648 with questions regarding the application and testing procedures.
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<th>TEST DATES for NON-BPS STUDENTS</th>
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The Buffalo Public Schools does not discriminate on the basis of an individual’s actual or perceived race, color, creed, religion, religious practice, national origin, ethnic group, sex (including sexual harassment and sexual violence), gender identity, sexual orientation, (the term “sexual orientation” means heterosexuality, homosexuality, bisexuality, or asexuality), political affiliation, age, marital status, military status, veteran status, disability, weight, domestic violence, victim status, arrest or conviction record, genetic information, and other bias prohibited by New York State and/or federal nondiscrimination laws in its programs and activities and provides equal access to the Boy Scouts and other designated youth groups. The following person has been designated to handle inquiries regarding the non-discrimination policies: Deputy Director of Human Resources, 720 City Hall, Buffalo, NY 14202 or by calling (716) 816-3579.
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Applying to grade in 2018-2019: 

School # currently attending: 

School name currently attending in 2017-2018: 

School # attended in 2016-2017: 

School name attended in 2016-2017: 

Student last name: 

Student first name: 

MI: 

Date of birth: 

Gender: 

Student Identification Number: 

Is the student Hispanic, Latino, or of Spanish origin? 

Select one or more races: 

Address of student: 

House number & street: 

Apartment #: 

City: 

State: 

Zip code: 

Last name of parent/guardian: 

First name of parent/guardian: 

Home telephone number: 

Alternate telephone number: 

Email address(es): (1) ___________________________________________

(2) ___________________________________________

Mark each category with an (X):

Does the student receive 504/ADA (American Disability Act) Services? 

Yes ☓ No ☓ 

Does the student currently receive special education services? 

Yes ☓ No ☓ If yes, what level of service? ________________________________

Does the student speak or understand a language other than English? 

Yes ☓ No ☓ If yes, what other language is spoken in the home? ________________

Has this student ever received ENL (formerly ESL) or bilingual services? 

Yes ☓ No ☓

PARENT/GUARDIAN CONSENT

Your signature indicates that you:

- Certify that your primary residence is within the city limits of Buffalo, New York on the date you sign the application (a McKinney-Vento representative will be on-site on test dates to address residency concerns);
- Allow the Buffalo Public School District to access my child’s academic and attendance records for the purposes of the admissions process; and
- Acknowledge that all assignments carry a one-year commitment.

Signature of parent/guardian: _________________________________ Date: ______________