

SUBJECT: Update from Boston Public Schools on Exam Schools Admissions Process

Dear Families,

Thank you for your patience throughout the admissions process for Boston's exam schools this year. The court issued a ruling today in the exam schools admissions suit that means Boston Public Schools (BPS) can now proceed with the temporary [Exam Schools admissions policy as adopted by the Boston School Committee in October 2020](#). This one-year policy was developed in response to the global COVID-19 pandemic and the challenges of administering the entrance exam during a public health crisis.

We are in the process of finalizing exam school invitations and working with our external independent partner to make sure our final calculations are accurate. Invitations to the three exam schools will be sent via email and regular mail by the end of April as soon as that work is completed.

We remain committed to communicating directly with you throughout this process, and will continue to make updates available on the BPS website. Visit www.bostonpublicschools.org/exam for more information. You can also contact Maria Vieira, Assignment Specialist for Exam Schools, at 617-635-9512 or exam@bostonpublicschools.org with any questions.

Sincerely,

BPS Welcome Services