2019/20 SCHOOL PREFERENCE PACKET
FOR THE HERON HEIGHTS/PARK TRAILS
COMBINED ELEMENTARY BOUNDARY
WITH CHOICE TO RIVERGLADES ELEMENTARY

ATTENTION HERON HEIGHTS & PARK TRAILS ELEMENTARY PARENTS:

Elementary students residing within the revised combined boundary of Heron Heights and Park Trails Elementary Schools (west of University Drive) who are not currently attending their desired school may indicate their preference by submitting a Choice Option Area application to Heron Heights Elementary, Park Trails Elementary or Riverglades Elementary.

The Demographics & Student Assignments Department will assign all elementary students within the revised combined boundary to Heron Heights Elementary, Park Trails Elementary or Riverglades Elementary, based on parent preference, priorities and available space.

Siblings will be guaranteed placement in the same school, and priority will be given to place students with siblings at the school they are currently attending. Existing geographic priority areas for Heron Heights and Park Trails Elementary Schools, not impacted by the boundary change, will be maintained.

Transportation will be provided as applicable and may include additional depot bus stops.

To indicate preference, parents may submit the one page application form included in this packet.

Each applicant must have a Broward County Public Schools student identification number in order to indicate school preference. If your child is not currently enrolled in a Broward County Public School, please go to either Heron Heights Elementary or Park Trails Elementary school to obtain a student identification number. This must be done prior to completing a Choice Option Area application.

If your child already attends a Broward County Public school and your address has changed, please update your residential address at your child’s current Broward County Public School before completing your Choice Option Area application. This must be done prior to completing a Choice Option Area application.

Notification letters will be emailed to the email address on file for the applicant.

Students applying to kindergarten must be 5 years old by September 1, 2019.

Mail or hand deliver all completed Choice Option Area application forms to Demographics & Student Assignments Department at:

Demographics & Student Assignments Department
600 SE 3rd Avenue, Fort Lauderdale, FL 33301
Phone: (754) 321-2480
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IMPORTANT INFORMATION - PLEASE READ BEFORE COMPLETING THIS APPLICATION

School assignment will be based on space availability, guaranteeing that siblings will be able to attend the same school. The educational program needs of the incoming child may impact school placement. Geographic priority will be based on the 2013/14 Heron Heights Elementary and Park Trails Elementary school boundaries. After the priority placements stated above, all remaining available seats will be filled on a first come, first served basis.

Students applying to kindergarten MUST be five years old by September 1, 2019. Emailed or faxed applications are NOT ACCEPTED. PLEASE COMPLETE ONE CHOICE OPTION AREA APPLICATION FOR EACH STUDENT PREFERENCE. Parents will be notified of their school placement by email.

Student Identification Number

Student’s Date of Birth

Gender

Grade Applying (K-05)

Month

Day

Year

Male

Female

Student’s Last Name

Student’s First Name

Race/Ethnic Category (check all that apply):

American Indian or Alaskan Native

Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander

Asian

Black or African-American

White

Is the Student Hispanic or Latino? Yes No

(Student’s present address and telephone number must agree with the school information on file. If you moved or have a different phone number, you MUST contact Heron Heights Elementary or Park Trails Elementary with the correct information BEFORE sending in this form.)

Student’s Address (No P.O. Box) Bldg/Apt#

City

State

Zip Code

Email Address (supply an email address status notification) @

Check all that apply:

( ) Sibling

Check the most appropriate option below:

( ) Applying student has a sibling that will continue to attend the requested school during the 2019/20 school year.

( ) Applying student has a sibling that is also applying to the requested school for the 2019/20 school year.

Sibling Identification Number

Sibling’s Last Name

Sibling’s First Name

Indicate the Choice Option Area preference for the 2019/20 school year by marking an “X” in one of the boxes below:

I would like for my child to attend Heron Heights Elementary School

I would like for my child to attend Park Trails Elementary School.

I would like for my child to attend Riverglades Elementary School.

By signing this document I confirm that I am the parent/legal guardian on file at the student’s current school. I certify that all information contained herein is true and accurate and I understand that providing false information may result in the denial or rescindment of any school placement. I agree to support and follow the Unified Dress Program, individual school discipline plan, Policy 5004.1, and the Student Code of Conduct.

Parent/Legal Guardian Last Name Parent/Legal Guardian First Name

Mobile or Home Phone

Parent/Legal Guardian Signature: Date:

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***END OF CHOICE OPTION AREA APPLICATION***