



El Camino Real Charter HS Enrollment FAQ

Do you offer “open enrollment”?

What you refer to as “open enrollment” is what we call LOTTERY ENROLLMENT. This means students who live outside our attendance boundaries have the opportunity to attend through a lottery process. There is no priority or first-come first-serve basis.

When is lottery enrollment?

February 1 - February 28, 2018. You must register online.

When is the lottery drawing?

March 6, 2018 at 9 am. Attendance is not required. Results will be emailed.

Is the lottery random?

The lottery is completely random.

If I live in the area, do I fill out a lottery enrollment application?

No, if you live within the ECR boundaries, you do not fill out a lottery application. Registration will begin mid-April for those who reside within our attendance boundaries. Updates: ecrchs.net/enrollment/resident

How do I know if I live in the area?

Check your address at LAUSD School Finder ([HERE](#))

What if I do not get selected in the lottery?

You will be placed on a waitlist. We cannot guarantee spots for waitlisted students.

Siblings?

Siblings are given preference in the lottery (not guaranteed enrollment).

Conditions for sibling preference:

- a. Must complete a lottery application for sibling preference to apply
- b. Only applies to siblings enrolling for the upcoming school year.
- c. Must be blood or legal siblings (not cousins or family/friends living together)

Do you provide transportation?

No, students and parents are responsible for their own transportation to and from ECRCHS.

If we withdraw from school, does the student lose their lottery enrollment spot?

Yes.

If you are interested in returning, you must complete a new lottery enrollment application for the following school year.

Do sports/performing arts guarantee an enrollment spot?

No, students must apply for the lottery AND be awarded a spot BEFORE participating in tryouts/audition. There is no special consideration given for this.

What are the chances of my student getting in through the lottery enrollment?

It varies from year to year.

My child is in honors. My child is gifted. Do grades help?

No, grades do not influence our lottery. All students have an equal opportunity regardless of grades/previous courses they have taken. Again, the process is on a lottery basis.

Does ECRCHS have a SAS program?

No. Typically, students who have been in the SAS program at their previous school take Honors and/or AP classes while enrolled at ECRCHS. AP classes are offered for grades 10-12 only.

What information do I need to provide on the lottery enrollment application?

All you need is your basic contact/demographic information. We do not ask for grades, report cards, or other documentation with the lottery application.