



CARROLL

INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

Carroll Medical Academy Application and Selection Process

Thank you for your interest in Carroll ISD's CMA program. The information below outlines the potential selection for students interested in participating in Carroll Medical Academy.

Selection Process for Current 8th Grade CMA Applicants:

- Accept 60 students
- The committee will review and accept current CISD students prior to accepting out-of-district applicants
- All students are blindly reviewed on the following criteria:
 - 8th Grade core class Semester 1 Averages
 - Highest numerical average in each core course
 - Students must have a passing Semester 1 Algebra I or Geometry grade at the time of applying
 - All advanced courses are encouraged; Advanced math and science courses are strongly recommended
 - Essay
 - 8th grade science teacher recommendation
 - Attendance (not exceeding more than 4 unexcused absences)
 - Discipline (no ISS, OSS, or DAEP)
- *Students are not kept on a waitlist and do not have the opportunity to appeal*
- *Newly enrolled CISD students (after Jan deadline) or out of district students may submit an application*
 - Applicants will be considered in on *space available basis* only
 - Students will be notified of acceptance in August

Selection Process for Current 9th Grade CMA Applicants:

- Any **current** 9th grade student(s) may apply for CMA on a space-available basis
- Openings are filled with students receiving the highest score, and priority is given for qualified in-district students over out of district students
- All students are blindly reviewed on the following criteria
 - 9th Grade core class Semester 1 Averages
 - Highest numerical average in each core course
 - Students must have a passing Semester 1 Geometry or Algebra II grade at the time of applying
 - All advanced courses are encouraged; advanced math and science courses are strongly recommended
 - Essay
 - 9th grade science teacher recommendation
 - Attendance (not exceeding more than 4 unexcused absences)
 - Discipline (no ISS, OSS, or DAEP)
- *Students are not kept on a waitlist and do not have the opportunity to appeal*

Are 10th grade students permitted to apply for CMA? *Sophomore applications are not accepted.* It is important that CMA students build academic relationships and participate in all prerequisite courses during their 9th and 10th grade year. This provides greater support as students begin participation in medical field internships.