

Voluntary Enrollment Exchange Program

San Diego Unified School District is committed to offering its students a dynamic education through a variety of enriching programs. The **Voluntary Enrollment Exchange Program (VEEP)** is open to all students residing within a specific boundary of a school that has an approved VEEP pattern. VEEP offers transportation to encourage students from one community to attend approved pattern schools outside their neighborhood. Pattern schools are designated by the district. To find out if you reside in a VEEP pattern, please call the Enrollment Options Office at (619) 725-5672.

VEEP offers:

- Enhanced learning opportunities in a multicultural environment
- Equitable access to all programs and services at the school
- Quality support from school site administrators, teachers, and counselors
- A K-12 program which allows students to continue from elementary to middle to high school as long as the student does not move from the VEEP school pattern

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now to learn about
VEEP PATTERNS!
Applications must be
submitted between

November 1 and February 15

Application Process

VEEP applications are limited to VEEP pattern schools only. One application is used for all School Choice programs: Magnet, VEEP, Open Enrollment, and Program Improvement School Choice. You will find the application included in the back of this catalog. Applications received during the application period, November 1 through February 15, will be ranked by priority and sorted by grade level. VEEP options may be limited due to legislation that requires students from Program Improvement schools to be seated first. Students from Program Improvement schools will receive priority over VEEP applicants from non-Program Improvement schools. Some schools may be unable to enroll students or may only enroll limited VEEP applicants due to capacity limits and demands from other programs.

Continuity students do not need to submit a School Choice application:

Continuity students are students who attend a VEEP school and wish to articulate (move) with the VEEP school's resident students during regular articulation when students move between levels – elementary to middle and middle to high school.

Transportation Guidelines

Transportation is provided for students enrolled in approved VEEP pattern schools. District transportation guidelines and rules apply to this program, as they do to other district programs with transportation. It is important to note:

- There must be eight riders for a bus route to be established.
- Transportation is not provided for students who reside within 2.0 miles of an elementary or 2.5 miles of a secondary receiving school.
- Transportation is not provided to the school of residence.
- Bus stops for pick up and drop off are generally set up at or close to the school of residence.
- Students may be required to walk up to one mile at the elementary level and two miles at the secondary level to the bus stop.

