



Coastal Grove Charter School

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A California public charter school guided by the Core Principles of Public Waldorf Education providing artistic, academic and practical work, educating the whole child... head, heart and hands.

2025-2026 Enrollment Information

Applications are available on our website or in the school office. Applications for the 2025-2026 school year can begin to be dropped off January 6, 2025. Applications received from January until March 7, 2025 at 4:00 pm will be a part of the enrollment lottery. **Applications received after 4 pm on Friday March 7, 2025 will not be included in the enrollment lottery.** They will be added to the wait list and considered when space becomes available.

TK Open House: Wednesday, January 22nd at 1920 Zehndner Ave. Arcata starting at 5:30 pm

Kindergarten Open House: Thursday, January 23rd at 5:30 pm

All School Open House: Thursday, January 30th at 5:30 pm

Lottery Process:

Enrollment for each grade is determined in stages until capacity is met. If needed, a waiting list will be formed. The order of the stages is:

- CGCS students currently enrolled in the site based or independent study program
- Children of Coastal Grove employees
- Siblings of existing Coastal Grove students
- Siblings and children of Coastal Grove graduates
- Residents of the Arcata School District
- All other enrollees

Lottery Results will be communicated via phone by Monday, March 31, 2025, so please be sure your voicemail box is able to accept messages. If we do not hear a response from you after two attempts of contact, we will move to the next student on the list.

Enrollment: If we have a potential spot for your child, you must complete all required paperwork by Friday, April 25th. This includes immunization records and a copy of your child's birth certificate. Please plan ahead to have this documentation available by Friday, April 25th. If paperwork is not in by the deadline your child's spot in the class may be forfeited.

Do you have a Transitional Kindergartener?

According to the California Department of Education, for the 2025-2026 school year your child is TK eligible if your child turns four by 9/1/2025.