Accessing the VPK Application

Log in via the M-DCPS Parent Portal by visiting www.dadeschools.net/parents

Log in using a Google or Apple ID.





Click on the VPK Lottery Application Tile Once you have logged into the M-DCPS Parent Portal, scroll down and click on the VPK Lottery Application tile.









Parent Dashboard



Once you are redirected to the VPK Lottery Application, you will see your Parent Dashboard.

| | Welcome | 2025-2026 | | | |
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| | There are no students linked to your parent account yet. Not to worry, click Get Started below to add your first student. | | | | |
| I Add a Student | | Get Started | | | |

Click the **Get Started** button in the *Add a Student* box to add your student.







Add a Student

If your student is a current M-DCPS or Charter School student within Miami-Dade (for example, is enrolled in M-DCPS Head Start, M-DCPS Early Head Start, the TAP program, or a Pre-K program for students with disabilities), you can look up your child using their first name, last name, date of birth and student ID number.

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| s your student currer | ntly enrolled in Mia | ami-Dade County Pul | lic Schools or a Charter | School and do you have their student ID? |
| | Yes | | | No |
| Student ID * | dhy | | | |
| First Name* | | | | |
| Last Name * | | | | |
| Date of Birth | | | | |
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Student Lookup

If your child IS NOT a current M-DCPS or Charter School student, you will need to answer NO and fill in the fields to add a student to your account.

Student Lookup

Final thank you for your interest in Miami-Dade County Public Schools. On this page, you will find a few instructions to get you started with the application.

Is your student currently enrolled in Miami-Dade County Public Schools or a Charter School and do you have their student ID?

Yes No





Add Forms

Once the student has been added to your account, locate The student on your dashboard. Next to their name, click on

the Add Forms button.

Sample Student

No records for the 2025-2026 school year







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Select Enrollment Type



From the Select Enrollment Type screen, click the Start Button at the bottom right of the VPK Lottery Application tile. This will start your VPK Lottery Application.

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