ARMADA AREA SCHOOLS

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21/22 SCHOOL YEAR

SCHOOLS OF CHOICE APPLICATION

Complete a separate application for each student. Return completed application(s) to: ***Superintendent, Armada Area Schools, 74500 Burk Street, Armada, MI 48005***. **Applications accepted through September 3, 2021** for students to enroll for the 2021 / 2022 school year.

Student Name _____ Parent/Guardian Name _____

Street Address _____ P.O. Box _____ City _____ Zip Code _____

Phone Number _____ Residing District _____ Grade (2021-2022) _____

Do you plan on moving into the school district? _____ If so, when? _____

Are special education services currently provided for your child? _____ Yes _____ No
* ALL 105c Special Education Student approvals are considered "pending" contingent upon receipt of a signed cooperative agreement from the resident district.

Has your child been suspended within the last two years? _____ Yes _____ No

Has your child been expelled within the last two years? _____ Yes _____ No

How did you hear about Armada Area Schools' "Schools of Choice" program?

☐ Ad _____ ☐ Neighbor/Relative ☐ Other: _____
List which newspaper or website

Districts may not transport School of Choice Students to/from other districts; however, bus stops will be made available within the district, whenever possible. Are you willing to have your contact information shared with other School of Choice parents in your area for the purpose of carpooling? _____ Yes _____ No

In accordance with the rules of the Michigan High School Athletic Association, all non-resident pupils (including "Schools of Choice" pupils) need to contact the Armada Athletic Office at 586-784-2150 for eligibility rules.

Failure to provide accurate information on this application will result in immediate termination of this agreement.

"I hereby certify that the information provided on this application is accurate."

Signature of Parent/Guardian _____ Date _____

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY

Date application Received _____

Upon review of this application, and with consideration to the policies and procedures of the Schools of Choice program in Macomb County, this application is:

☐ Approved ☐ Disapproved

Signature of Superintendent _____ Date _____

District policy requires nondiscrimination on the basis of race, color, religion, national origin or ancestry, age, sex, marital status, English proficiency, disability, height or weight in its programs, services, activities, employment or admissions policies.

Copies: Applicant (original) Enrolling school File

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Disciplinary Record Release

This form authorizes the release of all disciplinary records for the stated student to Armada Area Schools. To assist in immediate review of records, ***please fax to: 586-784-4269, attention: Deborah Szydloski***

Most Recently Attended School Contact Information:

School Name: _____

School Address: _____

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School Phone #: _____ **Fax #:** _____

Student Information:

Student Name: _____

Student Date of Birth: _____

Student Current Grade: _____

_____ _____

Parent/Guardian Signature **Date**

FERPA is a Federal law that applies to educational agencies and institutions that receive funding under a program administered by the U. S. Department of Education. Parochial and private schools at the elementary school levels do not generally receive such funding and, therefore, are not subject to FERPA. The statute is found at 20 U.S.C. § 1232g and the Department's regulations are found at 34 CFR Part 99. Under FERPA, schools must generally afford parents: -access to their children's education records -an opportunity to seek to have the records amended -some control over the disclosure of information from the records. Parents may access, seek to amend, or consent to disclosures of their children's education records, unless there is a court order or other legal document specifically stating otherwise. When a student turns 18 years of age or attends a postsecondary institution, the student, and not the parent, may access, seek to amend, and consent to disclosures of his or her education records.

Access to Education Records

Schools are required by FERPA to: provide a parent with an opportunity to inspect and review his or her child's education records within 45 days of the receipt of a request; provide a parent with copies of education records or otherwise make the records available to the parent if the parent, for instance, lives outside of commuting distance of the school; redact the names and other personally identifiable information about other students that may be included in the child's education records.

Schools are not required by FERPA to: Create or maintain education records; Provide parents with calendars, notices, or other information which does not generally contain information directly related to the student; Respond to questions about the student.