# 2018 / 2019 HIGH SCHOOL (9th - 12th GRADE) CHOICE REQUEST FORM

Form must be completed and returned to student’s current school by **January 26, 2018.** Failure to complete form accurately and in full may result in Choice being denied. **Current school will send application to requested school.**

Student must be currently enrolled in a FCUSD school. Resident school is based upon student’s legal residence and the district boundary assigned school. If space is available, a student may **Choice** to a district high school outside of the established assigned boundary area. Choice applicants must provide student transportation to and from school. Accepted Choice students commit to the Choice school for their remaining high school years. **Note: CIF Bylaw 207 delineates transfer eligibility guidelines (www.CIFSJS.org)**

Notification of acceptance/denial will come from the requested school.

Please Print:

- **Student’s Legal Name:**
  - (Last) ____________
  - (First) ____________
  - (Middle) ____________

- **Grade:** ____________

- **Student’s Resident Address:**

- **Birthdate:** ____________

- **Parent/Legal Guardian Mailing Address:**

- **Parent/Legal Guardian Name(s):**

- **Print Name / Relationship:**

- **Contact Phone:**
  - Home: ____________
  - Cell: ____________

- **Parent/Legal Guardian Email Address:**

- **2018/2019 Resident School:**
  - (Boundary area school)

- **2018/2019 School Requested:**
  - (Choice school requested)

Reason for school Choice request: **(List)**

- [ ] Educational Option (explain): __________________________________________________________________________
- [ ] Sibling at school/Sibling Name: __________________________________________________________________________
- [ ] Other (explain): ________________________________________________________________________________________

Check all programs in which your student participates: Speech [ ] Special Ed [ ] AP [ ] 504 [ ]

If applicable, list programs mandated in student’s IEP: __________________________________________________________________

**AGREEMENT** - As a School Choice Applicant, I agree to provide transportation to and from school.

- **Parent/ Legal Guardian Signature**
- **Date**

- **Boundary Area School Principal/Designee signature of release**
- **Date**

- **Request Approved**
- **Request Denied / Grade Level and/or Program Impacted**

**Principal/Designee Signature of Requested Choice School**
2018-19 School Choice Updated Guidelines

The Folsom Cordova Unified School District has updated its guidelines regarding school choice requests. The changes were made during close and ongoing review of enrollment projections which will provide the District the flexibility to manage school capacities without having to make disruptive policy changes each year.

**Deadline:** Please return this form to your current school site by Friday, January 26, 2018. Applications turned in after the deadline will be placed on a waitlist and reconsidered after May 1, 2018.

**Guidelines and 2018-19 Capacity:** The updated guidelines apply to students residing within the District’s boundary:

- Choice into FCUSD secondary schools will be considered on a space-available basis.
- **IMPORTANT NOTE:** Vista del Lago High and Sutter Middle Schools are not expected to have capacity to accommodate school choice requests in the 2018-19 school year.
- Students of District employees (certificated and full-time classified) may be approved for school choice based on space available.
- Siblings may be grandfathered if, at the initial time of request, the older sibling currently attends and will continue to attend the secondary school requested for the next school year.

**Additional info:** School choice requests filed by the January 26, 2018 deadline will be considered before any Inter-district Transfer Permits (ITPs) – requests from students living outside of the FCUSD attendance boundaries – are considered. This ensures families living in our school and District boundaries are accommodated first.

**Questions?**
School choice acceptance / denial is made at the school site, not at the District level. Contact your school site or call the Educational Service Center, Secondary Instruction at (916) 294-9000.