



Students who are ready to enter either their Grade 7 or Grade 8 year of elementary school in September of 2017, are eligible to be considered candidates for this programme. Students start in Destinations, apply to continue with Foundations for grades 9 and 10, and then are fully prepared for the International Baccalaureate Programme in their final two years of high school.

Admission Process

1. Student Application Package is due **Friday, February 10th, 2017.**
NO LATE SUBMISSIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED

Please submit required materials in an envelope to:

Harry J. Clarke Public School, 77 Rollins Drive, Belleville

Destinations Application

c/o Tina Jones, Principal

The application MUST include the following attached documentation:

- o **Cover Letter:** Explain why you are applying for the Destinations Programme (one page maximum).
- o **Resume:** Students should list their parent(s)/guardian(s) name(s) and contact information including an email address, current school and grade, academic strengths, achievements, technology skills, volunteer or community experience (if applicable), statement of consent to contact current teacher and/or principal. Please do not submit reference letters.
- o **December 2016 Progress Report**
- o Special Education students – latest copy of the Individual Education Plan (IEP).
- o Bring *a copy* of the **2017 Term 1 Report Card** that can be left with the interview team.

*****Please note that additional Board transportation will not be available for this programme. Students may be eligible for transportation if there is space available on an existing route. TRI-Board Student Transportation Services makes this determination, generally in late August. *****

For students who are **not** currently enrolled in a Hastings and Prince Edward District School Board School, you must also submit the following:

- o Copy of Student Birth Certificate/Passport
2. Student Interview: Applicants will be asked three oral questions and to provide a written response to an additional question. Applicant resumes and cover letters will be available during the interview. Please do not prepare a portfolio. Interviews will take place on **Monday February 27th** and **Tuesday February 28th.** **Candidates will be called or emailed and given an interview time.**
 3. Acceptance offers will be distributed on **Monday March 6th** and all acceptances must be confirmed by **Wednesday March 8th.** **Candidates will be asked to leave an email or a direct number to be reached at so communication can occur in a timely fashion.**
 4. **Demission Process** A student will be considered for demission when he/she demonstrates academic and/or social needs that could be met more successfully within a different classroom setting.

