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Laura Rodgers  
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March 1, 2021

Dear Parents,

Roosevelt Magnet School is continuing auditions for the Visual and Performing Arts Magnet program as we prepare for the fall of 2021.

This means that all Peoria Public Schools students currently in fourth grade will have an opportunity to audition for participation in the Magnet program for the 2021-2022 school year.

Auditions will be held at your student's home school on the week of April 19<sup>th</sup> thru April 23<sup>rd</sup>. We will visit your child's school during the school day. All information is available on the Roosevelt Magnet School Website. A standardized rubric will be used, and each group will be judged by a group of professional educators. The rubrics will then be graded and tabulated. In order to qualify for the magnet program, students need to meet or exceed the cut scores in at least two areas: band, chorus, drama, or visual arts.

Students who are enrolled in the magnet program have two fine arts classes per day including at least four of the following areas: band, chorus, drama, visual art, and graphic arts/production. If your child has an interest in the arts and you would like your child to audition to attend Roosevelt Magnet School next year, please complete the forms posted on our webpage. Only students who are interested and whose parents have responded will be auditioned this year.

Please encourage your child to perform his or her best for the auditions. Audition materials will be provided during the audition. Any questions about the Fine Arts program or auditions can be sent to Cherilyn Semelroth at [cherilyn.semelroth@psd150.org](mailto:cherilyn.semelroth@psd150.org). Students who are accepted based upon their scores will be notified via mail. Parents will be asked to respond to reserve a place for their child to attend Roosevelt Magnet School next school year. Your responses are essential as we plan for staffing and transportation this spring for next school year.

We look forward to meeting your child and this is an opportunity for him or her to join us in re-building the Magnet program.

Sincerely,

Laura Rodgers  
Principal



Please return this signed slip to your child's principal by Friday, March 26, 2021.

Yes, my child, \_\_\_\_\_ is interested in fine arts and would like to audition to attend Roosevelt Magnet School for the Visual and Performing Arts for the 2021-2022 school year. Students will have the opportunity to audition in all subjects.

**Please Circle which subjects they most interested in pursuing.**

Art

Band

Choir

Drama

Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Child's Current School: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name of Parent/Guardian \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Parent/Guardian \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent/Guardian Contact information**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone number \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_