



# Freire

## Charter School

**Middle School Campus**  
1026 Market Street  
Philadelphia, PA 19107

**High School Campus**  
2027 Chestnut Street  
Philadelphia, PA 19103

### APPLICATION FOR ADMISSIONS

2018-2019 School Year

#### GRADE LEVEL

Student is **currently** in Grade: (circle one)    4    5    6    7    8    9    10    11    12  
 Student is **applying** for Grade: (circle one)    5    6    7    8    9    10    11    12

Please return applications for grades 5-8 to the Middle School and applications for grades 9-12 to the High School.

#### STUDENT INFORMATION

Name (First, Middle, & Last): \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Current School: \_\_\_\_\_

School District ID#: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have more than one student applying for this year's lottery?     YES     NO

#### SIBLING INFORMATION

Please complete ONLY if the applicant is a sibling of a current Freire student.  
 Sibling preference does not apply to siblings attending TECH Freire.

Name of Sibling currently at Freire: \_\_\_\_\_ Sibling Grade Level: \_\_\_\_\_

What is the relationship between students? (Please check one)    Biological Siblings     Step-Siblings     Other

#### PARENT/GUARDIAN INFORMATION

The below section is to be completed by the parent/legal guardian of the student applying for admissions. Preference is given to Philadelphia residents.

##### Parent/Guardian #1

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to student: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

##### Parent/Guardian #2

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to student: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Does the student live at the above address?     YES     NO

\*If no, please provide the address where student resides: \_\_\_\_\_

Name and relationship of parent/guardian living with student: \_\_\_\_\_

Would you like to receive text updates from the Admissions Office?     YES     NO



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### STATEMENT OF UNDERSTANDING

I understand that supplying incomplete, inaccurate, or misleading information may invalidate this application and result in the withdrawal of any subsequent offer of admission or enrollment. I understand that an offer of admission is tentative pending successful completion of previous grade. I also understand that all credentials submitted in support of this application become the property of Freire and are not returnable. I acknowledge that I have read the entire admissions policy online and agree unconditionally to all aspects of this policy. Finally, I will become familiar with the regulations regarding academic expectations and student behavior at the Freire Charter School and will fully comply with them during my child's enrollment at Freire.

By signing below, you accept these conditions and attest that you are the legal guardian of the prospective student.

Parent/Guardian's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

### STATEMENT ABOUT FREIRE

Since 1999, Freire Charter School has been a catalyst for unlocking the potential of some of Philadelphia's most underserved youth. Where many other schools have failed, Freire Charter School has achieved excellence for our children through a rigorous college preparatory program and a commitment to peace and nonviolence in our community – both within our walls and beyond.

The faculty and staff at Freire help create a caring community with clearly-defined expectations and boundaries. The environment our school provides is one in which our students feel safe enough to take the risks necessary for learning. By providing a safe place and encouraging individuality, students achieve both academic and emotional growth that prepares them for the challenges they will face in college and beyond.

The atmosphere at Freire empowers each student for growth, both inside and outside the classroom. By engaging with our community, Freire students are disproving stereotypes and improving their neighborhoods. Because of our high standards and our commitment to each individual student's potential, we are closing the gap between educational experiences that may have failed our children in the past and the incredible opportunities that lie ahead.

At Freire Charter School, we are building the future, one student at a time.

### STATEMENT ON DIVERSITY

Freire Charter School values diversity and seeks students from diverse backgrounds. Freire Charter School does not discriminate on the basis of race, sex, gender, gender identity, sexual orientation, religion, ethnic origin, or disability in its admissions policies. For more information about Freire, please visit us on the web at the following address: [www.freirecharterschool.org](http://www.freirecharterschool.org)

**All Applications are due January 26, 2018, in order to be eligible for the Lottery.**

This application is for the 2018-2019 school year only. Applicants must reapply each year since applications do not carry over. Freire Charter Middle School graduates are automatically eligible for a spot at Freire Charter High School the following year.