



Private School Information Sheet

Eligibility	How to Apply
<p>To be eligible to participate, schools must:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">❖ Be located in Georgia❖ Be accredited (or in the process of becoming accredited) by a recognized accrediting agency❖ Demonstrate fiscal soundness by having been in operation for one school year, or by submitting a financial information report❖ Comply with federal antidiscrimination provisions, all health and safety codes applicable to private schools, and any other state laws applicable to private schools	<ul style="list-style-type: none">❖ The private school application periods for the 2026/2027 academic year will be open from February 1st - 28th and October 1st - 31st. Application decisions will be made within 60 days of submission❖ Once the application has been approved by GESA and is published on the eligible schools list at mygeorgiapromise.org, schools receive Odyssey platform access to complete registration, including banking setup and student enrollment capabilities❖ Schools may enroll students only in the grade levels for which they are accredited

Testing Requirements	Reporting Requirements
<ul style="list-style-type: none">❖ Participating schools are required to annually administer a nationally norm-referenced test approved by the Georgia Education Savings Authority (GES) or a state-wide assessment only to participating students❖ Click here to view the approved test list❖ Reminder: Participating schools must submit raw test data and percentile scores to GES annually	<ul style="list-style-type: none">❖ Report test results, aggregate student attendance and course completion rates, student enrollment dates from the prior school year, and the amount of account funds received for each participating student to GES❖ For high schools only: Graduation rates for all participating students must be reported to GES