## STEM 2022-2023 Admissions Information and Timeline

## **Current Dearborn Public School 5th Graders**

Current Dearborn Public School 5th graders <u>do NOT</u> need to apply. There is no application for currently enrolled students. After the spring NWEA tests are administered, our district testing director will forward us the scores of ALL the 5th graders. We anticipate having the spring NWEA data as well as fall NWEA scores and 4th grade M-STEP scores sent to us by the **first week of May**.

We will be looking for students that score in the 80th percentile for BOTH math and reading on the spring NWEA. We will also look at fall data for additional information.

Students who meet the criteria will be emailed informing them that they have been invited to be considered for final admissions to STEM. We hope to have those emails sent out **Monday, May 9th**. The emails will be sent to student district emails as well as the current parent email on file.

There will be a virtual Q and A for parents of invited students **Wednesday**, **May 18th**. A Zoom link will be emailed to parents and students.

Students will need to respond "yes" or "no" to the invitation by sending an email to Ms. Fryzel no later than **Tuesday, May 24th**.

If more than 60 students accept the invitation, a lottery will be held Thursday, May 26th.

Acceptance and waitlist letters will be emailed to students and parents Tuesday, May 31st.

Students need to accept or decline their final invitation no later than **Thursday**, **June 9th**. After June 9th, waitlist students will be contacted to fill any open spots.

## **Current 5th Grade Students Attending Private and Charter Schools**

In order to apply, students MUST live within the Dearborn Public Schools boundaries.

Applications will be posted on our blog on or around **Monday**, **April 18th** and are due back NO LATER than **Wednesday**, **May 4th**.

Fall and spring NWEA scores will need to be submitted at the time of application.

See above timeline for the rest of the process.

## **Current 6th/7th Grade Students**

Current Dearborn Public School students, as well as students attending private/charter schools living within Dearborn Public Schools boundaries, may apply to STEM for a 7th grade spot.

This will depend on availability of space, test scores, and whether or not a student will qualify for advanced math.

Any questions can be directed to our Lead Teacher Ms. Jennifer Fryzel at <u>fryzelj@dearbornschools.org</u> Or Mr. Oussama Baydoun - Assistant Principal at <u>baydouo@dearbornschools.org</u>