

<i>Policy</i>	<i>Title</i> <b>ELEMENTARY PROGRAM SELECTION</b>	<i>Code</i> <b>JFBA</b>
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***HOLLISTON***

The Holliston Public Schools strive to provide programs that benefit the individual student and ensure that our schools represent the broad interests of our society. Currently we provide programs in French Immersion, Montessori, and Traditional education.

Every program will be identified as to its educational philosophy and objective(s). Qualities unique to each program will be identified and information about them will be readily available at each school office.

Placement advice, prerequisites and/or screening results will be provided if requested in order to help parents and students make informed decisions about their program selection. Information regarding the procedures for decision making and application will be available at the school office.

All programs should be available to every student who has fulfilled the necessary prerequisites. All students will have equal access to educational opportunities and resources provided in the Holliston Public Schools. When a program cannot accommodate all applicants, a lottery will be used.

The School Committee will periodically review capacity and class size relative to the educational goals and philosophy of the district.

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