



**The STEM Academy at
Devon Aire K-8 Center**
10501 SW 122nd Avenue
Miami, Florida 33186
(305) 274-7100



Ms. Milagro Arango, Principal

AGREEMENT OF UNDERSTANDING

PLEASE READ CAREFULLY AND SIGN THAT YOU UNDERSTAND AND ACCEPT THIS INFORMATION.

The deadline* to submit the application is February 6, 2026. Failure to complete all requested information will cause this application to be rejected.

- Eligibility may be determined by such factors as skill, talents, academic performance, conduct, and interest.
- When the number of qualified student applicants exceeds the number of seats available, a random selection process will be utilized to admit eligible applicants.
- Failure to respond to our offer of acceptance by the specified time frame will be interpreted as declining the offer of acceptance.
- If a student's GPA falls below a 2.5, he/she will be placed on academic probation and registered for academic support. Students unable to bring their GPA to 2.5 by the following quarter will be removed from the program.
- Students in the program who accumulate 10 or more absences will be placed on probation and will require an attendance contract.
- Students with five (5) or more detentions or three (3) or more days of indoor suspension or ANY outdoor suspension will be dismissed from the program.
- Transportation will need to be arranged by the parent/legal guardian.

****You may contact the school after the deadline for waiting-list consideration***

Parent/Guardian

Signature: _____ Date: _____

RECOMMENDATION FORMS/ ACADEMIC REQUIREMENTS

Please read the directions carefully. The student candidate should request two instructional professionals (i.e., Math or Science teacher) **WHO ARE IN A POSITION TO JUDGE THE CANDIDATE'S ABILITIES** to complete the recommendation forms.

Forms should have the student's LEGAL name and ID number included. Please do not use nicknames.

Once completed, the form should be returned directly to:

ATTENTION: **Devon Aire K-8 Center**
Mrs. Patricia Gutierrez, Middle School Counselor
10501 SW 122nd Avenue
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****Additionally, the student candidate **MUST** submit a copy of his/her last report card.

DO NOT WRITE BELOW THIS LINE

Application signed
by parent/ guardian _____

Date Received _____

Recommendation #1 _____

Date Received _____

Recommendation #2 _____

Date Received _____

Copy of Report Card _____

Date Received _____

FILE COMPLETE DATE _____

SIGNATURE _____



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Your response to this evaluation is very important.

STUDENT NAME _____

ID # _____

TO BE COMPLETED BY TEACHER OR COUNSELOR				
GENERAL CHARACTERISTICS	Unable to Observe	Below Average	Average	Above Average
	0	1	2	3
Please check applicable box for your response				
<i>Demonstrates enthusiasm for learning.</i>				
<i>Demonstrates independence/initiative</i>				
<i>Works well in groups</i>				
<i>Follows directions</i>				
<i>Accepts constructive criticism</i>				
<i>Is at or above academic grade level</i>				
<i>Effectively expresses ideas in writing</i>				
<i>Potential for growth</i>				
I would highly recommend this student for admission to the program.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> NO			

Name _____

Signature _____

Position/ Title _____

Date _____

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