# 2022/2023 Middle/High School Monthly Admissions Guide

*Use the month-by-month checklist to stay on track for Middle and High School admissions*

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| August 2022| ● Explore public high school options in the [MySchools](#) directory  
 ● Access a practice [SHSAT](#)                                      | ● Explore [independent school websites](#) and access application materials.        |
| September 2022| ● Explore public high school options in the [MySchools](#) directory  
 ● Contact high schools or middle schools to learn if they are holding Open Houses (virtual or in-person)  
 ● Find charter school open houses on the [NYC Charter School Center’s calendar](#)  
 ● Sign up for the [NYC DOE admissions emails](#) for middle and/or high school  
 ● Learn about the [Specialized High Schools](#)                                      | ● Explore [independent school websites](#) for open houses  
 ● Registration for [TACHS](#) is open (for Catholic high schools) until 10/27/22  
 ● Registration for [ISEE](#) is open (for independent schools)  
 ● Registration for [SSAT](#) is open (for independent schools)  
 ● Register for High School Placement Test ([HSPT](#)). Note requirements/recommendation of Fordham Prep, Loyola, Regis, Xavier (list in progress and not exhaustive). |
| October 2022 | ● Access High School Welcome Letter at [Myschools.nyc](#) or visit a [Family Welcome Center](#). 
 ● Register for SHSAT (high school)  
 ● Attend a virtual admissions event - [high school](#) or [middle school](#)  
 ● High School application opens 10/12  
 ● Middle School application opens 10/26 | ● Explore [independent school websites](#) for open houses  
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| November 2022 | ● Register for **SHSAT by November 4**  
● Find public school open houses at [MySchools.nyc](https://www.myschools.nyc)  
● Find charter school open houses on the [NYC Charter School Center’s calendar](https://www.nyc.gov/site/charterschools/about/open-houses.page) | ● Schedule school visits  
● Work on/submit Independent School applications  
● Register for **SSAT**  
● Register for **ISEE**  
● Register for/take **TACHS** |
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| December 2022 | ● Submit your Middle School application by December 1.  
● Submit your High School application by December 5. | ● Independent School application deadline commonly December 1.  
● Parochial School Admissions opens December 1. |
| January 2023 | ● Parochial School decisions begin. | |
| February 2023 | ● February 14: Independent Middle School notification date. | |
| March 2023 | ● Public High School decisions expected. | ● March 1: Independent High School notification date.  
● March 3: Independent Middle School reply date.  
● March 16: Independent High School reply date. |
| April 2023 | ● April 1 Charter School application deadline.  
● Public Middle School decisions expected. | |

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