



K-12th Application Form

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Our community is founded on the principles of Design and Integral Learning: a lifelong adventure that ignites, innovates, and supports the fulfillment of self, society, and the greater field of life. It is a love affair with life and living, a passionate embrace of authenticity, community, and excellence.

*Parent/Guardian: Please complete this application and submit with a \$75 **non-refundable application fee**. Please contact Kristin Harkey at 828-259-3653 or email kharkey@odysseycommunity.org if you have any questions.*

For Academic year: _____ Grade: _____ Specific Current Academic Grade if different: _____

Student's full name (as it should appear on school records): First, Middle, Last

Commonly used first name

Date of Birth: (M/D/Y)

Gender/Pronoun

Home Phone (include area code)

Parent/Guardian: You must disclose information regarding all adults who have legal rights to this child.

Parent/Guardian #1 Email Address

Parent/Guardian #2 Email Address

Parent/Guardian #1 Cell Phone #

Parent Guardian #2 Cell Phone #

Family Information

Parent's/Guardian's Full Name

Parent's/Guardian's Full Name

Home Address (include city, state, zip)

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Relationship to Applicant

Relationship to Applicant

Nature of Work: Position

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Parent/Guardian #1 continued:

Parent/Guardian #2 continued:

Employer

Employer

Business Telephone (include area code)

Business Telephone (include area code)

We welcome families of all races, nationalities, creeds, religions, sexual orientations, and social and economic backgrounds.

Step-Parent Full Name (if applicable)

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Home Address

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Business Telephone (include area code)

Business Telephone (include area code)

Student lives with (check any that apply):

Father Mother Stepfather Stepmother Other Guardian

Please check any that apply:

Student adopted Parents divorced/separated Mother remarried
 Father deceased Mother has custody Father remarried
 Mother deceased Single parent household Father has custody
 Joint Custody Other: _____

Where did you learn about Odyssey School? Please check all that apply.

Odyssey website Google ads Blog Local Reputation Driving/Walking by Facebook Magazine (specify)

Friend/Acquaintance – Name(s): _____

Current Odyssey family or alumni – Name(s): _____

Applicant’s current school _____

Applicant’s previous school experience, including any years of home-schooling:

Name of School	City/State	Grades Enrolled	Academic Year(s)

Were you in any way dissatisfied with your child’s previous school environment(s)? _____

Please explain: _____

Please list name, gender, grade, and current school for all other children in your family:

Child's Name	Name of School	Grade	Gender/Pronoun

Maternal Grandparents:

Paternal Grandparents:

Name(s) _____
 Street Address _____
 City/State/Zip _____
 Home Phone _____
 Email _____

Name(s) _____
 Street Address _____
 City/State/Zip _____
 Home Phone _____
 Email _____

Grandparents are contacted a few times a year for school purposes – newsletters, invitations, and annual campaign.

Does your child speak a second language? None at all ___ A little bit ___ Fluently ___ Language _____

Has your child studied a second language in school? ___ If yes, in what grade(s)? Language _____

Please comment on your child's strengths, challenges, special needs, and special interests.

Please respond to the following by indicating whether your child is advanced, on target, slightly delayed, or delayed.

	advanced	on target	slightly delayed	delayed
Physical care				
Interactions with peers				
Interactions with adults				
Ability to focus and complete tasks				
Ability to understand spoken directions				
Coordination (large motor dev.)				
Letter symbol formation (fine motor dev.)				
Ability to understand written directions				
Responsibility				
Honesty/Integrity				
Math computation				
Reading level				

Does the applicant have any physical impairments or allergies which would in any way affect participation in the full range of school activities?

Yes No

Does the applicant have any recent serious physical or emotional illness which requires, or has required, the care of a physician? Yes No

If the answer to either question is "yes", please give details:

Does your child have discipline issues either for you or for others? _____ Please explain:

How likely is your child to distract or be easily distracted by others?

Has your child been recommended for evaluation or been evaluated or been identified as having learning differences, developmental delays, visual or auditory processing difficulties, or behavior or emotional disorders (ADD, ADHS, bipolar disorder, OCD. etc.)? _____. Do you suspect that your child may have any of the above delays or differences? _____ Please explain.

Has medication been recommended or been taken by your child to address any of the above diagnoses?

Yes No Please explain _____

Is your child seeing a therapist? If so, please list their name(s) and business phone numbers below:

If your child has been evaluated by one or more specialists, please list their name(s) and business phone numbers below.

Please share any instances of disciplinary action, including expulsion, which your child has experienced.

****Failure to disclose information could result in your being required to withdraw your child and forfeit tuition.****

After evaluation, a decision will be made and you will be notified. If the applicant is accepted, you will need to sign an enrollment contract and send in a tuition deposit. An enrollment contract is for one year only, or in the case of a transferring student, from the time of transfer to the end of that school year. Granting of subsequent contracts for future years is subject to annual decision on the part of the school.

If, after being accepted, a student is found to have special needs that that no one was previously aware and/or to an extent that Odyssey School cannot provide for, the school may terminate contract. In this case, the parent(s) or guardian(s) would be released from their tuition contract. If special needs from a student support staff are deemed necessary, there will be additional fees for providing extra assistance and accommodations in the classroom.

I certify that all information that I have provided on this application is accurate and authorize the release of all information from evaluation specialists and previous teachers to the teachers and administrators at Odyssey School. While we can successfully work with students with varying learning styles and needs, limits exist in the range and number of needs that we can serve effectively. Odyssey teachers will observe your child closely the first five school days that he/she is enrolled and if significant concerns arise regarding the appropriateness of your child's placement at Odyssey, we will contact you for a conference. We reserve the right to dismiss a child whose needs we determine we cannot meet.

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Signature (s): _____ Date _____
_____ Date _____