What is Cedar Park?

Cedar Park Elementary is a small option school in the Lake City neighborhood with a focus on strong academic achievement and creative exploration experiences for all students.

Creative Exploration

Hands-On Learning & Application
- Minimum of 3 field work opportunities in each classroom to amplify in-class learning
- Collaboration with our community to bring in diverse artists, authors, experts and opportunities that bring learning to life and make real-world connections

IDEA Time
- Imagine, Design, Engineer, Artistically create
- In-school enrichment for all students offered several times a year
- Offered via collaboration with school and community members

Expeditionary Projects
- Opportunities for students to use all their learned skills to dive deep into a subject that interests them and to share their knowledge with peers in a creative way

Art Docent Program
- Highlights diverse artists, histories and expressions
- Opportunities to explore artists and perspectives through field work
- Opportunities to showcase school, community, national and global artists and experts

Important Enrollment and Option Choice dates and information is available at www.seattleschools.org
New Student Enrollment Information

Seattle Public Schools has begun its annual New Student Enrollment Drive for the 2021-2022 School Year. Below are some important dates and information:

- **SPS Enrollment begins on January 4th.** This is for students who will be new to the district next year or starting kindergarten next year. Please note, if you are currently enrolled in an SPP Preschool at Cedar Park, you will still need to enroll your student in Seattle Public Schools for Kindergarten.
- You may enroll your students online at [https://www.seattleschools.org/admissions/registration](https://www.seattleschools.org/admissions/registration)
- You will need a driver’s license or passport, two address verification documents, your child’s birth certificate and verification of immunization documents to enroll.
- Once enrolled, students will be automatically assigned to their Attendance Area school, which is based on their home address.
- Cedar Park is an Option School and you must apply during the School Choice Window.
- You will be able to request a different school during the School Choice Window. Between **February 1st** and **February 19th** you may print a School Choice Form from the SPS Website and submit it to the School District. [https://www.seattleschools.org/admissions/registration/school_choice](https://www.seattleschools.org/admissions/registration/school_choice)
- You must have already enrolled your student into Seattle Public Schools before you submit a School Choice Form.
- After the window closes on Feb 19th, the Enrollment Department will begin assigning students to their school of choice until those classes are full, at which point students will be put on a waiting list and families will be notified of the new assignment of wait list position.
- The John Stanford building will be open two days a week for all enrollment services on Mondays and Wednesdays starting January 4 from 8:30 a.m. – 4 p.m. No appointment is required.

Cedar Park Tour Information

Cedar Park will be offering two opportunities for a Virtual Open House on Zoom, where Administrators, Staff and family community members will be available to share information and answer questions.

- Wednesday, January 27th at 5:00 p.m., links available at cedarparkes.seattleschools.org
- Wednesday, February 3rd at 5:00 p.m., links available at cedarparkes.seattleschools.org

Assistance Available

We recognize that this year has been challenging and we understand that the process of enrolling your student at Cedar Park may feel daunting. We are always happy to help and answer any questions you might have and help you work your way through the process. Start by contacting our Administrative Secretary, Kelley Hofmann at kshofmann@seattleschools.org with your questions or assistance needs.

We have access to telephonic translators to ensure that all your questions are answered. Please email Ms. Hofmann at the above address to set up an appointment for a phone call with a translator in your preferred language.