

STUDENT PLACEMENT PARENT INPUT 2021-22 SCHOOL YEAR

At Columbia Elementary we assign students to classes considering academic, behavior and social needs. This is a collaborative team process working toward balanced classrooms that are best for our students. In addition, each team makes it a priority to place your child with a teacher who best fits your child's learning style and needs. If you would like to provide input to this process, please complete the following form below and return it to your child's teacher:

due by Friday, May 14 @ 4:00 pm.

The form will be used as additional information in placing your child in a classroom for next year. At this point, we do not have teacher assignments at each grade level solidly planned, therefore, please do not include names of preferred teachers. Keep in mind, your child's teacher will receive this input and present it to the placement team. We will consider your input that pertains to your child our placement decision. **Please use this form only. We will not be accepting letters, calls or emails for placement purposes. (Submit the form to the front office staff.)**

Your Student's Name: _____

Current classroom teacher: _____

Current grade level: _____

1. Describe how you believe your student learns best.

2. What are your student's strengths?

3. What special needs or considerations should we know about your student?

(Responses should not be limited to concerns only.)

_____ **I would like my child considered for a combination class.**

Signature: _____ Date: _____
Parent or Guardian

Print Name: _____
Parent or Guardian

Note: Our teams look at all factors and place each child with a great deal of care. Parents may not be aware of many factors that we must consider when placing students. Also, budget considerations and student enrollment may shift some of our staffing, so we encourage parents to trust our process and not make teacher requests.