



# Wilson Focus School

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January 21, 2025

Dear Prospective Wilson Focus Families,

Thank you for considering Wilson Focus School as the educational partner for your child's journey. We are excited to introduce you to our dynamic learning community, which proudly serves a diverse community of learners in grades 3-6 from across the Omaha Metropolitan Area. At Wilson Focus School, we believe in fostering a supportive and inspiring environment where students can excel academically, grow as leaders, and develop the skills needed to thrive in a rapidly changing world.

What sets Wilson Focus School apart is our commitment to academic rigor and innovation through a focus on Leadership, Communication, and Technology. As an Apple Distinguished School, we leverage cutting-edge tools and resources to integrate technology into daily learning experiences, ensuring that our students are prepared for the future. Our dedicated and highly trained staff work tirelessly to create engaging and challenging opportunities that ignite curiosity and a love for learning.

With small class sizes, each student benefits from personalized attention and a strong sense of community within their classroom. Enrichment courses, offered three days a week, empower our students to explore their interests and talents in areas beyond the core curriculum, making learning a truly holistic experience.

Together, we can build a strong foundation for your child's future.

Sincerely,  
Briana Larsen

*Briana Larsen*

Proud Principal of Wilson Focus School



Omaha Public Schools  
**2025-2026 APPLICATION**  
**WILSON FOCUS SCHOOL**  
Home of the Lions

Frequently asked questions-

**How many days are in the extended school year?**

180 Day School Year (15 additional school days)

**What time does school begin and end?**

7:40 am Student Arrival and Breakfast Served  
8:00 am School Day Begins  
3:30 pm Mondays, Fridays, and Non-Enrichment Days Dismissal  
4:30 pm Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday during Enrichment Sessions Dismissal

**What is a Bus Hub?**

Parents must provide transportation to and from a Bus Hub each day. Students that qualify for transportation ride the bus to Wilson Focus from one of nine Bus Hubs. The bus departure times from the Bus Hubs are varied, however may require being to the designated Bus Hub as early as 6:50 am. Bus Hub locations, pick-up times, and drop-off times are assigned and communicated with families in June. While every effort is made to assign the Bus Hub closest to your home it's not guaranteed.

<b>Bus Hub Locations</b>	
<b>School</b>	<b>Address</b>
<b>Lothrop Elementary</b>	3300 N 22nd St, Omaha, NE 68110
<b>Central Park Elementary</b>	4904 N. 42nd Street Omaha, Ne 68111
<b>Crestridge Elementary</b>	818 Crestridge Rd. Omaha, Ne 68154
<b>Picotte Elementary</b>	14506 Ohio St, Omaha, NE 68116
<b>Beals Elementary</b>	1720 S 48th St, Omaha, NE 68106
<b>Indian Hill Elementary</b>	3121 U St, Omaha, NE 68107
<b>Benson West Elementary</b>	6652 Maple St, Omaha, NE 68104
<b>Springville Elementary</b>	7400 N 60th St, Omaha, NE 68152
<b>Prairie Wind Elementary</b>	10908 Ellison Ave, Omaha, NE 68164

**Deadline for Application: March 7, 2025**

Please complete the following application to have your child entered into the lottery for acceptance into Wilson Focus School. Wilson Focus accepts student applications from all Omaha Public Schools and districts in Douglas and Sarpy Counties for students currently in grades 2, 3, 4, and 5. There are 60 available seats in 3<sup>rd</sup> grade for the 2025-2026 school year. Applications for students in 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, or 5<sup>th</sup> grade are considered on a space-available basis.

***Thank you for your interest in Wilson Focus School!***  
***For more information, please visit the Wilson Focus School website at [wilsonfocus.ops.org](http://wilsonfocus.ops.org)***  
***or call 531-299-2260.***



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Today's Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### STUDENT/PARENT CONTACT INFORMATION

Student Last Name

First Name

Middle Name

Birth date (MM/DD/YY)

Current School Building

Grade Level for the 2025-2026 School Year

Home Address (Street, Apartment, City, ZIP)

Parent/Guardian Last Name

First Name

School District of Residence

Female

Male

Does your child have any considerations? \_\_\_\_\_

Special Education ☐

Speech ☐

English Learner ☐

Are you eligible for free or reduced-price lunch? Yes ☐ No ☐

### PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE

I understand that the information provided on this application will be checked for accuracy. This is the only application for admittance to Wilson Focus School. Families that are accepted will be notified in May 2025.

Print Name

Relationship to Student

Signature

Date

Home Phone

Cell Phone

Email