

Gifted Referral and Eligibility

NOMINATION PROCESS FLOW CHART

Step 1: Nomination

Student is nominated. The nomination may come automatically or from a teacher, a peer, a parent/guardian, counselor, administrator, or the student. Nominations need to be made by the end of September or by the end of February.

Step 2: Eligibility Committee Review

Eligibility committee makes the decision for referral or non-referral for formal evaluation.

Step 3: Refer for Evaluation

Parental consent is obtained before testing.

Step 4: Formal Evaluation

Data collected in four areas: mental ability, achievement, creativity, and motivation.

Step 5: Eligibility Committee Assessment

The gifted committee members review all the test data/portfolio information.

Step 6: Recommend Service Options

Student is recommended for the gifted program, or the file is held in abeyance while other data is collected or until another testing time is established.