

# THE JAMES BALDWIN SCHOOL

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## Application for Admission

**DIRECTIONS:** All applicants should email, fax or mail this completed form to the above address (Attn: Admissions), or bring it to the main office. For students who are transferring from another school, we do also request other documents that will help us schedule you for the best courses. These documents include: **a current high school transcript, one letter of recommendation, and a record of attendance (the RISA form for NYC public schools)**. **A copy of the IEP is also requested for students who have one (if applicable).** Please bring / include what documents you have.

DATE OF APPLICATION: \_\_\_\_\_

STUDENT'S NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ GENDER: \_\_\_\_\_

HOME ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Address, including Apt#) (City) (State) (Zip)

STUDENT'S EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

STUDENT'S CELL PHONE: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ DATE OF BIRTH: \_\_\_\_\_

OSIS # (if known) \_\_\_\_\_ NUMBER OF CREDITS: \_\_\_\_\_

DO YOU HAVE AN IEP? \_\_\_\_\_ ARE YOU AN ELL STUDENT? \_\_\_\_\_

CURRENT SCHOOL: \_\_\_\_\_

SCHOOL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Address) (City) (State) (Zip)

SCHOOL TELEPHONE #: \_\_\_\_\_

CONTACT PERSON AT SCHOOL: \_\_\_\_\_

PARENT/GUARDIAN'S NAME: (1) \_\_\_\_\_

HOME PHONE: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ DAYTIME PHONE ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

CELL PHONE: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_@\_\_\_\_\_

PARENT/GUARDIAN'S NAME: (2) \_\_\_\_\_

HOME PHONE: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ DAYTIME PHONE: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

CELL PHONE: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_@\_\_\_\_\_

\*\*\*\* Be sure to answer the questions that follow this page \*\*\*\*

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**PLEASE ANSWER THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS THOUGHTFULLY AND HONESTLY. Please also make sure that you complete each question. If you are not sure what to write, you can write "I am not sure."**

1.) What interests you in attending the James Baldwin School? Why do you think that the James Baldwin School will be a good school for you?

2a.) What do you need from your school, teachers, and peers in order to be successful?

2b.) What habits do you need to adjust that will make your change to a new school successful?

2c.) What is a time that you have made a big change in your life? What helped you make this change successful?

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3a.) What are your educational, vocational, or personal goals for the present and for the future?

3b.) What specific goals have you set that will make your experience at JBS meaningful towards meeting these goals?

4.) What extracurricular activities are you involved in outside of classes? If you're not currently involved, what are you interested in trying? (For example: Are you on the basketball team? Do you have a job? Did you participate in a school play?)

5.) What other information should we know about you? (What sets you apart from other students applying to JBS?)