

STUDENT LEARNING ENVIRONMENT FORM

2023/2024



Dear Parents/Guardians,

We are beginning our work on the placement of students for the upcoming school year. The following criteria will be used by your child's teacher to place each child in a learning environment, which promotes optimal academic and social growth:

- Academic abilities
- Teacher and parent input
- A need to separate student "combinations"

We make efforts to balance our classrooms based on:

- Boy/girl ratio
- Ability levels (narrowing the range)
- Behavioral factors
- Special student needs

A combination of all the above factors is carefully considered by your child's teacher when placing your child in next year's class. If there are any educational or social/emotional needs that the current teacher may not be aware of, please indicate those needs below.

The district will no longer be accepting specific teacher requests. Please do not write specific names on the form below as they will not be considered in determining placement.

Alto Elementary

Paul Papes
Principal
6150 Bancroft
Alto, MI 49302
(616) 987-2600

Bushnell Elementary

Erin Walters
Principal
700 Elizabeth St.
Lowell, MI 49331
(616) 987-2650

Cherry Creek Elementary

Craig Veldman
Principal
12675 Foreman Rd.
Lowell, MI 49331
(616) 987-2700

Murray Lake Elementary

Molly Burnett
Principal
3275 Alden Nash Ave NE
Lowell, MI 49331
(616) 987-2750

Student's Name: _____

Current Teacher and Grade: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

Describe any special needs (educational, social or emotional), that would assist your child's teacher in making a suitable placement.

My child works best in an environment that is : _____

My child is motivated by: _____

My child needs the most help with: _____

Other Comments: _____

**Email or send in completed form with your student
to your school office by May 12, 2023.**