

# WYANDANCH



Kindergarten - 2nd grade • Fall 2022

**APPLICATIONS OPEN  
JANUARY 2022**

**What if there was a school in  
Wyandanch that believed  
in your kids like you do?**

### What is a charter school?

A charter school is a public school that is tuition free. It is open to all students and operates outside of the Wyandanch school district. The Academy Charter School is the 2nd charter school to open in Nassau County.

### How would I apply or enroll in the school? Is it free?

YES. The school is free, open to ALL kids. Parents simply need to fill out an application. If there are more applicants than there are open slots, then there will be a random lottery to select students. There are no admission requirements.

### Is busing provided?

YES. FREE busing is provided, depending on your school district of residence and how far your home is from the school.

### What grades will the school serve?

The school will open as a small school with small classes in grades K-2. Eventually the school will grow to K-8.

### What is the Academy Charter School?

The Academy Charter School is a high performing network of schools in the Long Island Area. Starting its first school with grades K-2 in 2009, it has maintained a standard of excellence. One of its most recent accomplishments is the 99% high school graduation rate for its inaugural year, with some of the scholars attending the most prestigious universities in the country.

### What is the school's curriculum?

The Academy Charter School will offer an exceptional interdisciplinary curriculum in a technology-rich environment that challenges students to explore connections across subjects and use experiential learning to bridge the gaps between theory and practice. There will also be a focus on character development, leadership skills and service-learning.

### If I don't live in Wyandanch, can my child attend the school?

YES. The school will be open to all children who will be in kindergarten through second grade that live in the surrounding communities. Wyandanch kids will be given preference.