



Proposed Changes for Parkview/Centerpoint IB Candidate School
(pending final school board approval on February 8, 2010 - preliminary School Board review made on January 11, 2010)

Name Change

After an extensive process involving teachers, students, parents, and community members, the School Board reviewed the preliminary recommendation of "Matoska International." Matoska is a Native American word meaning "white bear."

Attendance Area

The historical attendance area for Parkview will remain in effect for the 2010-11 school year, with two options added.

Families in the Parkview attendance area have the opportunity either to go to Parkview/Centerpoint (Matoska International) or to another school with busing per White Bear Lake busing guidelines, as follows:

- If they live in the Parkview attendance area to the north of County Road E: can attend either **Lakeaires Elementary** or Parkview/Centerpoint (Matoska International).
- If they live in the Parkview attendance area to the south of Country Road E: can attend either **Willow Lane Elementary** or Parkview/Centerpoint (Matoska International).

Enrollment Priority Process

Parkview/Centerpoint (Matoska International) will continue to be a districtwide choice school. Currently enrolled students will automatically be accepted next year. It will be assumed that you will attend unless we hear from you. Other families who request Parkview/Centerpoint (Matoska International) for fall 2010 will be enrolled in the following order of preference:

1. Current Parkview/Centerpoint students.
2. Siblings of current Parkview/Centerpoint students.
3. Other families in the current Parkview attendance area not already at the school.
4. Students from other White Bear Lake Area elementary school attendance areas not already at the school.
5. Students from outside the White Bear Lake Area Schools not already at the school who would be making a request under open enrollment or tuition transfer.

Transportation

Students will continue to receive busing to Parkview/Centerpoint (Matoska International) from any location within the school district, within White Bear Lake busing guidelines.

Questions?

Contact Parkview/Centerpoint Associate Principals John Leininger or Becky Peterson, 651.653.2847.